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## CHIEF OF STAFF AND EXTENSION FOR AUGUST 2019

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Welcome Brothers and Sisters to another Auxiliary Year. This could prove to be a wild and crazy year under our new leadership.

Every Department has the opportunity to join the Circle of Excellence for the 2019-2020 Year. President Mary needs (5) requirements to get into the circle. One of these is getting **ALL** Auxiliary Presidents and Treasurers bonded by August 31<sup>st</sup>. **GETTER DONE. MALTA IS NOW ONLINE FOR THE NEW YEAR.**

Inspections will be starting shortly—NEW forms are being used this year. Inspectors PLEASE be honest when filling out these reports. An honest report allows the Auxiliary to have affirmation that they are in good working order, or if they need help in some area.

EVERY Auxiliary's goal should be to meet the 5 Essentials, so members can begin serving veterans and families in all the unique and wonderful ways they can. National requires these:

1. Auxiliaries should have at least ten business meetings per year. (Sec. 210). Five members in good standing (of that Auxiliary) shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. (Sec. 212)
2. Dues should be paid on at least ten members on or before February 1 of current year. (Sec. 207)
3. Quarterly Audits by Trustees **must** be submitted. (Sec. 814)
4. Officers elected, installed and reported to National Headquarters no later than June 30. This generates the bond application via email. (Sec.804A and 806A)
5. The offices of President and Treasurer **MUST** be bonded by August 31<sup>st</sup>.

**THERE'S NO REASON TO BE UNHEALTHY THIS YEAR. Yell for help if needed, we have a lot of caring angels willing to aid you, just a call or email away.**

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