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Population you work with at the STL VAMC: Hospice and Short stay Skilled

**Pet Projects: Cultural Transformation** 

Boots on the Green Sweat with the Vets

**Local Wheelchair Games Local Creative Arts Festival** 

Philosophy on Therapeutic Recreation: Use of leisure has a direct impact on an individual's quality of life. Therapeutic Recreation offers individuals an opportunity to learn new leisure skills, improve physical functioning, and participate in adaptive recreational activities.

