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**Florida State Representative Morales Mets With Louisiana State Representative Beaulieu to Discuss HB 45: Educational Opportunities For Disabled Veterans as a National Model**

**Orlando, Fla.** - Today, **Representative Daisy Morales (D- Orlando)** met with Louisiana State **Representative Beau Beaulieu (R-48)** and staffers to discuss making [HB 45 Educational Opportunities for Disabled Veteran](#), a bill passed by **Representative Morales** during the 2022 Legislative Session, legislation in Louisiana and talks of a national model for disabled veterans on the state level.

The bill provides an education benefit to certain disabled veterans who qualify as residents to attend a state university, Florida College System institution, career center operated by a school district, or charter technical career center, but who do not qualify for the 100% eligibility tier federally, waiving the remaining tuition and fees from the institution attended.

**Representative Daisy Morales** had this to say, “It’s great to work as partners to help disabled veterans who have scarified so much for our country with educational opportunities to eliminate challenges they face when they have given so much for our country and allow them to support their families. My office will work closely with other State Legislators looking to pass legislation for educational tuition assistance.” We love our Veterans in the State of Florida!

“Florida’s HB 45 of the 2022 legislative session could serve as a national model to provide educational opportunities to our disabled veterans and provide an avenue for their future success,” said **Louisiana State Representative Beau Beaulieu**.

**HB 45** went into effect on July 1, 2022.

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