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**Senior Vice President**  
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Sherri L. Brown joined the American Red Cross as Senior Vice President for Service to the Armed Forces in 2008. In this role, she provides oversight and direction for worldwide American Red Cross programs and services for military members, veterans and their families.

Prior to assuming her position at the American Red Cross, Sherri served with the Internal Revenue Service, most recently as Deputy Chief of Staff. She began her career as an active duty officer in the United States Coast Guard, with subsequent reserve assignments at Marine Safety Office/Group Philadelphia, Office of Military Justice/Physical Disability Evaluation System, Coast Guard Legal and Defense Services, Maritime Intelligence Fusion Center Atlantic, Maintenance and Logistics Center Atlantic, and the Fifth Coast Guard District in Portsmouth, Virginia. In the summer of 2010, Sherri served a two-month active duty assignment in External Affairs for the Deepwater Horizon BP Oil Spill Response in New Orleans, Louisiana. In October 2011, she was appointed for a two-year term to the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Advisory Committee on Women Veterans, an expert panel that advises the VA on issues and programs affecting women veterans.

Sherri has a Bachelor of Science degree in Marine Transportation from the United States Merchant Marine Academy and a Juris Doctorate degree from the George Washington University Law School.