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In order to further improve the lines of communication and to respond to the concerns between the National VA Council and you our members, I have established a National VA Council Briefing. This NVAC Briefing will bring you the latest news and developments within DVA and provide you with the current status of issues this Council is currently addressing. I believe that this NVAC Briefing will greatly enhance the way in which we communicate and the way in which we share new information, keeping you better informed.

Alma L. Lee
National VA Council, President

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**In This Briefing:** [Here's How OPM Is Telling Hacked Feds Their Data Was Stolen](#)

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News From Nextgov

Victims of a data breach that exposed intimate details on national security professionals inside and outside government, along with their families have begun receiving a generic notification letter directing them to a government website for assistance.

But, be forewarned, the site at the Office of Personnel Management, the agency responsible for the data, directs affected individuals to a dot-com web page for entering personal data.

The recently updated OPM site also now displays exactly what these letters look like, apparently to prevent any of the 21.5 million victims from responding to

fraudulent letters.

Read the [rest of the story here.](#)