

## **VETERANS AFFAIRS FACT SHEET**

The Department of Veterans Affairs is committed to supporting the well-being and success of Veterans by delivering services and benefits tailored to their needs, embodying the nation's gratitude for their dedicated service.



## Department of Veterans Affairs

- 1. Health Care Services: VA offers a comprehensive range of services including primary care, speciality care, mental health, inpatient, emergency care, homeless assistance, home health and geriatric (elder) care, telehealth, prosthetics, prescriptions, and more through access to 170 VA medical facilities and over 1,200 community based outpatient clinics across the nation.
- 2. Disability Compensation: Veterans with service-related disabilities may be eligible for disability compensation, providing financial support based on the severity of their disability. Contact us to learn more about the process.
- 3. Education Benefits: The GI Bill offers education and training benefits, covering tuition, housing, and books for eligible Veterans, helping them pursue higher education and vocational training. Vocational rehabilitation is also offered as a form of education and training benefit.
- 4. Home Loan Guaranty: The VA Home Loan Guaranty Program assists Veterans in securing affordable home financing, providing favorable loan terms and conditions with no down payment.
- 5. Employment Assistance: Veterans can access various employment resources, including job placement assistance, vocational rehabilitation, and transition support to facilitate a smooth integration into the civilian workforce.

- MVoA provides essential information about the services and resources offered by VA to Veterans and family members in specific circumstances according to eligibility, addressing their health care, benefit, and support needs after military service.
- 6. Mental Health Services: The VA prioritizes mental health care, offering counseling, treatment for post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), and crisis intervention through programs such as the Veterans Crisis Line. Veterans with dishonorable, other than honorable, or uncharacterized discharged may qualify for one free mental health emergency treatment at VA, as well as additional short term treatments.
- 7. Pension Programs: Eligible wartime Veterans with limited income may qualify for pension programs that provide financial assistance to support their basic needs.
- 8. Burial and Memorial Services: The VA provides burial benefits, including burial in national cemeteries, headstones or markers, certificates signed by the President, and burial flags to honor the service of deceased Veterans.
- 9. Women Veterans Health Care: Specialized health services and resources cater to the unique healthcare needs of women Veterans in women's health clinics, ensuring comprehensive and inclusive care.
- 10. Outreach and Support: The VA actively engages in outreach programs to connect with Veterans, providing information, assistance, and support through community events and online resources.
- 11. MyVA311: Veterans can access information about VA services by dialing MyVA311 (1-844-698-2311), a contact center providing assistance and guidance.







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