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Dear Veterans, Service Members, and Supporters,

In January of 2014, I signed a proclamation making 2014 the “Year of the Veteran” in Nevada and announced my goal of making Nevada the most military- and veteran-friendly state in the nation. In May of the same year, I signed Executive Order 2014-13 requiring the Nevada Department of Veterans Services to develop and publish a Nevada Veteran Resource and Service Directory. This directory fulfills the requirements of that order and, more importantly, it fulfills the intent by increasing awareness, access, and coordination of existing services for veterans, service members, and their families.

This directory is a small part of our effort to say thank you to those who have served our nation and to ensure that they have what they need when they return. It lists major services and organizations, and it also provides a roadmap to engage with Nevada’s unique online coordination platform, the Green Zone Network. I am proud that Nevada is leading the way with this extraordiarily capable tool and I invite you to participate.

Thank you for your service, and for supporting those who have sacrificed for our nation. We owe them our gratitude and support.

Sincerely,

Brian Sandoval
Governor
Chapter 1

Nevada Department of Veterans Services

The Nevada Department of Veterans Services provides access to benefits, programs and services to Nevada veterans and their families. The department promotes awareness and offers veterans and their families a variety of resources related to advocacy, education, benefits assistance, memorials, and medical care. The mission of the Nevada Department of Veterans Services is to improve the lives of Nevada veterans and help them integrate into their communities. Programs and services offered include: Services & Benefits; Cemeteries; Veterans Homes; Resources for Women; Green Zone Network; Employment Information; Helpful Links; and Veterans Organizations.

Nevada Department of Veteran Services
6880 S. McCarran Blvd.
Suite #2
Reno, NV 89509
(866) 630-8387
www.veterans.nv.gov/index.html

Services & Benefits:

Benefits and services are provided for eligible Nevada veterans and their families. Offices are located across the state to assist veterans and their families in evaluating eligibility for available programs and services. Information about a variety of benefits and services is accessible on the Services & Benefits page at: www.veterans.nv.gov/

www.veterans.gove/services_benefits.html.

Veterans can find information related to: Rural Outreach for Veterans Enrichment and Resources (ROVER); Joining Community Forces (JCF)/Nevada National Guard (NNG)/Nevada Department of Veterans Services (NDVS) combined Workshops; Veteran of the Month; Veterans Benefits; Educational Benefits; Operation Recognition; Veterans Dental Care Options; Veteran Cemeteries; Veterans Home; and Employment Services.
Rural Outreach for Veterans Enrichment and Resources (ROVER)

Rural Outreach for Veterans Enrichment and Resources (ROVER) is an outreach program that provides scheduled site visits and Interactive Video Conferencing (IAV) by Veteran Service Officers to rural Nevada communities. Veterans and their families can schedule an appointment during these visits and select IAV sites to meet with the Veteran Service Officer to discuss their benefits and options. Veterans are asked to schedule an appointment in advance by calling Josh at (775) 688-1653. For more information about ROVER schedules and a list of recommendations to prepare for an appointment, please visit: www.veterans.nv.gov/rover.html.

JCF/ NNG/NDVS combined Workshops

JCF/NNG/NDVS (Joining Community Forces/Nevada National Guard/Nevada Department of Veterans Services) combined Workshops are hosted by the State of Nevada to engage veterans, community supporters, National Guard volunteers, and leadership in an effort to increase statewide understanding of programs, services, and resources available to Nevada veterans. These workshops also include seminars that present new programs, training opportunities, and resources to help veterans, their family members, and the community better understand and prepare for the current and future challenges facing veterans. For more information please visit: www.veterans.nv.gov/407.html.

Veteran of the Month

The Veteran of the Month award started by Governor Sandoval on Veterans Day in 2011. The monthly award recognizes Nevadans who served in the military, and who continue to contribute their time and energy to support their fellow veterans. Winners have ranged from the highest levels of the Veteran Service Organizations, to veterans who volunteer their time independently.

The Veteran of the Month award is managed by the Nevada Department of Veterans Services, which is always seeking nominations of possible awardees. Nominations are reviewed and chosen by the members of the Veterans Service Commission during their quarterly meetings. More information can be found on the Nevada Department of Veterans Services Website.

Veterans Benefits

Veterans Benefits are provided to all eligible veterans at locations across the State of Nevada. Please contact your local office with questions related to Veteran Benefits.

Northern Nevada Veterans Advocacy and Support Office

VAST Reno
5460 Reno Corporate Drive, Suite 131
Reno, NV 89511
(775) 321-4880 (775) 688-1656 (fax)

Southern Nevada Veterans Advocacy and Support Office

VAST Las Vegas
6900 North Pecos Road, Room 1C237
North Las Vegas, NV 89086
(702) 224-6025 (702) 224-6927 (fax)

Rural Nevada Veterans Advocacy and Support Offices

VAST Elko
762 14th Street
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 777-1000 (775) 777-1055 (fax)

VAST Fallon
485 West B Street, Suite 103
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 428-1177 (775) 423-9371 (fax)

VAST Rural Outreach
5460 Reno Corporate Drive Suite 131
Reno, NV 89511
(775) 688-1653 (775) 688-1656 (fax)

Educational Benefits

Educational Benefits are available for veterans and their qualifying dependents. These benefits are offered through VA Benefits educational outlets as well as institutions of higher education. General information can be found on VA Educational Benefits page at www.veterans.nv.gov/378.html. Formal requests for VA educational benefits must be submitted in order to receive assistance. The institution or training center can provide specific information and assistance with this process. Please refer to Chapter 4 of this Guide for more information on Educational Benefits, including different types of financial assistance for veterans, resources, and institutions for higher education that have veteran-specific programs.
Operation Recognition

Operation Recognition is a special outreach program that serves World War II through Vietnam veterans. This program provides eligible veterans the opportunity to receive their high school diploma. For more information or to download the application, please visit: http://www.veterans.nv.gov/133.html.

Veterans Dental Care Options

Veterans Dental Care Options for Returning OEF/OIF veterans is a dental care program designed specifically for veterans returning from the Middle East. Available care options include 180 Day Dental Benefit and 5 Years of Cost Free Health Care. For more information please contact the OEF/OIF Program Coordinator at either (775) 786-7200 or (702) 636-3000. Additional information is also available online at www.veterans.nv.gov/140.html.

Veteran Cemeteries

Eligible veterans and their spouses may be buried at Veteran Cemeteries in either Northern or Southern Nevada. There is no charge for the gravesite of a veteran, and there is a $450.00 fee for the burial of a family member. For more information, please contact either the Northern or Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery. For more information or to locate a VA Plot, please visit: www.veterans.nv.gov/cemeteries.html.

Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Physical Address: Veterans Cemetery
14 Veterans Way
Fernley, NV 89408

Mailing Address: Veterans Cemetery
P.O. Box 1919
Fernley, NV 89408

Contact Numbers: (775) 575-4441 (775) 575-5713 (fax)
www.veterans.nv.gov/northern_nevada_cemetery.html

Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Veterans Cemetery
1900 Veterans Memorial Drive
Boulder City, NV 89005
(702) 486-5920 (702) 486-5923 (fax)
www.veterans.nv.gov/southern_nevada_cemetery.html

Veterans Home

The Nevada State Veterans Home is dedicated to sharing in the responsibility of “Caring for America’s Heroes” and offers quality skilled nursing and rehabilitative care to Nevada Veterans. To find out more about the Nevada State Veterans Home including information for applicants, admission criteria, contact information, links to additional resources, or to take the virtual tour, please visit: www.veterans.nv.gov/veterans_home.html.

Nevada State Veterans Home

100 Veterans Memorial Drive
Boulder City, NV 89005
(702) 332-6784 (702) 332-6762 (fax)

Employment Services

The State of Nevada aims to offer state employment to veterans and to provide resources and opportunities to Nevada veterans. For available opportunities please visit: www.veterans.nv.gov/open-positions.html. The State of Nevada also offers employment benefits information at: www.veterans.nv.gov/employment_benefits.html. Additional information and resources related to employment assistance can be found at: www.veterans.nv.gov/158.html. For more information about the State of Nevada’s commitment to hiring veterans for civil service jobs, please call the Nevada Department of Human Resource Management at (775) 684-0150 in Carson City or (702) 486-2900 in Las Vegas.
November 26, 2014

Dear Nevada Veterans, Service Members, and Supporters,

The men and women of the Nevada Department of Veterans Services are committed to assisting those who have served, or are serving our nation, in accessing the benefits and opportunities they have earned. We are only one small part of the solution, however. There are many, many outstanding organizations and agencies working to ensure that troops returning home can successfully transition back to civilian life.

As a part of Governor Sandoval’s 2014 “Year of the Veteran” Initiative, this inaugural State of Nevada Veterans Resource Directory identifies many of the great organizations working to improve the lives of Nevada veterans. I hope you find this a helpful tool and would be grateful for your recommendations for future editions. The information in this directory will be incorporated into the Green Zone Network, Nevada’s online platform for connecting Veterans, Service Members, their families and caregivers with those who support them. You can find the Green Zone Network at www.greenzonenetwork.org.

If you need information regarding veterans services and programs not covered in this directory, please do not hesitate to contact my office for assistance.

Serving America’s Heroes,

Kat Miller, Director
Nevada Department of Veterans Services
Chapter 2
The Green Zone Initiative

Purpose of the Green Zone
The American public today is extraordinarily interested in serving those who have served our nation in uniform. Service members, veterans, and their families have more services, resources, benefits, and opportunities available to them during deployments, during transition, and after than at any other time in our nation’s history. This respect and concern for our veterans is so pronounced that the Department of Defense has taken to calling it the “Sea of Goodwill.”

At its best, the “Sea of Goodwill” is a powerful force for helping veterans who need assistance during or after transition. At its worst, it is a complicated, uncoordinated, and at times, overwhelming collection of resources and services too daunting to be effective in the lives of those who could benefit from its resources. In Nevada, we have worked for the last two years to make all of the “Sea of Goodwill” relevant to those who it aims to serve, and more important, to ensure that every service directed at Nevada’s veterans is accessible.

We have done this primarily under what we call the Green Zone Initiative (GZI), which is Nevada’s effort to marshal all available resources under the three focus areas of employment, education, and wellness for Nevada’s service members, veterans, and their families. The GZI initiated a statewide strategic planning effort and architecture designed to improve services, increase collaboration and reduce duplication among service providers, provide onramps for policy solutions at the most local level, and to provide mechanisms to feed those solutions up to local and state bodies, including the Nevada State Legislature. It works through a statewide architecture to build strong networks and partnerships with private philanthropy and corporate business partners that work to bring in private resources to support our public efforts and advance systems change at all levels.
Although the GZI architecture consists of numerous important pieces, including the Interagency Council on Veterans Affairs and specific programs for each of the three focus areas, the most important element of the Green Zone is arguably the Green Zone Network (GZN). The GZN is the State of Nevada’s social networking platform for service members, veterans, family members, service providers, and interested members of the statewide community. It is intended to provide access to the many services provided in our state, to coordinate those services, and to identify existing and future needs by encouraging and allowing for interaction at various levels throughout the state.

By creating a profile on this platform, service providers anywhere can coordinate their services, maximize the use of their resources by filling gaps and reducing duplication in services, and see what other organizations exist that might be interested in partnering for specific efforts. Similarly, veterans from different backgrounds can create profiles in order to communicate their thoughts, ask important questions, find resources, share personal experiences, develop affinity communities, and more. Perhaps most important, through this platform, the gap between the service providers and organizations and the veterans who need their services, benefits, or opportunities can be bridged in a direct and personal way.

The GZN is such an important part of the architecture because of the ways that it meets the overall mission of the GZI and facilitates the missions of the various sub-initiatives of the effort. This can be seen in numerous ways, for example:

- Employers who have chosen to become certified veteran-friendly employers through the Green Zone Employer program can create a profile on the GZN in order to list job opportunities for veterans under the “employment” tag.
- Local service providers can engage with their local communities to advertise their activities, seek input, and more.
- The Interagency Council on Veterans Affairs can engage with the statewide community to advertise their activities, seek input to develop policy changes, and more.
- Service organizations wishing to connect with veterans can announce scholarship opportunities, meeting times and locations, and other events.

Because this system is Internet based, it is dynamic, highly versatile, and accessible from anywhere that there is an Internet connection. It can facilitate collaboration between all of the groups identified above and more, while making itself available for service members stationed abroad who are coming home or considering making Nevada their home. The potential to increase collaboration through this site is almost limitless, and it is our hope that everyone within the veteran community will see the Green Zone Network as a one-stop-shop for all services, resources, benefits, and opportunities that are needed for the success of Nevada’s veterans.

Are you a veteran, a service provider, or a member of the community interested in serving our veterans? If the answer is yes, then we highly encourage you to join this network. Go to [www.GreenZoneNetwork.org](http://www.GreenZoneNetwork.org) and build a profile. Then take a moment to see what other opportunities are out there, what other opportunities might be needed, and what partnerships might exist to help serve those who have served our nation. In doing so, you will help make the “Sea of Goodwill” all it can be to those who need it most.
Chapter 3

Nevada 2-1-1 and National Crisis Numbers

Nevada 2-1-1 is Nevada’s most comprehensive, free connection to critical health and human services, and veterans and their families are encouraged to call 211 for any health and human needs. Information about local community services is available in a single statewide location that can be accessed via voice, text, and online.

Nevada 2-1-1 is a statewide partnership that is led by the State of Nevada, United Way of Southern Nevada, United Way of Northern Nevada and the Sierra, Crisis Call Center, and HELP of Southern Nevada. Nevada 211 was launched in February 2006, with the goal of connecting any and all Nevadans to the vital health and human resources and to eliminate the confusion and frustration of knowing where to turn in a time of need.
Nevada 2-1-1

Nevada 2-1-1 has information about:

- Basic human needs resources (food, clothing, shelter, temporary financial assistance, transportation)
- Physical and mental health resources (crisis intervention, prenatal care, support groups, counseling, drug and alcohol intervention, rehabilitation, children’s health insurance programs)
- Financial stability (EITC, WIC, credit counseling, food stamps, rent and utility assistance, unemployment benefits, job training, education programs)
- Support for older Americans and persons with disabilities (home health care, adult day care, congregate meals, Meals on Wheels, respite care, transportation, homemaker services)
- Support for children, youth and families (childcare, after-school programs, family resource centers, recreation, mentoring, tutoring, literacy programs, protective services)
- Volunteer opportunities and donations (support Nevada’s local organizations)
- Support during a community crisis and disaster recovery

Where Nevadans Find the Help They Need

www.nevada211.org

National Crisis Numbers

National Call Center for Homelessness

www.va.gov/homeless/nationalcallcenter.asp

(877) 4AID VET (877) 424-3838

Veterans Crisis Line

Confidential Help for Veterans and Their Families

www.veterancrisisline.net

Call: (800) 273-8255 and Press 1
Text: Send a text message to 838255
Chat Online: www.veterancrisisline.net/ChatTermsofService.aspx
Support for the deaf or hard of hearing:

www.veterancrisisline.net/GetHelp/Accessibility.aspx
Chapter 4

Education

The United States Government passed legislation in 1944 to assist veterans with their education after returning from active duty service. The Servicemen’s Readjustment Act of 1944, which is commonly known as the GI Bill of Rights, began with a $20 a week stipend to help unemployed veterans pay for college and university courses. In the decades since President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the original GI Bill on June 22, 1944, the U.S. Government has expanded upon the original act to enhance veteran educational benefits. In 2008, the GI Bill was updated to give veterans with active duty service on or after 9/11 enhanced educational benefits to cover more educational expenses, provide a living allowance, money for books, and the ability to transfer unused educational benefits to spouses or children. Some of the more common GI Bill related program information and eligibility requirements are discussed in this directory with special attention to education opportunities in Nevada.

Federal Education Programs

Montgomery G.I. Bill

The Montgomery GI Bill is available to those who enlist in the U.S. Armed Forces, and the benefits are offered through two main programs: Montgomery GI Bill Active Duty (MGIB-AD) is for active duty members who enroll and pay $100 monthly for 12 months, which entitles them to receive a monthly education benefit once they complete a minimum service obligation; Montgomery GI Bill Selected Reserve (MGIB-SR) is specifically for reservist members who complete a six-year obligation in the Selected Reserve and are actively drilling. For more information about the Montgomery GI Bill, visit:


Post 9/11 G.I. Bill

The Post 9/11 GI Bill may be available for those who have at least 90 aggregated days of active duty service after September 10, 2001, and still on active duty, or who were honorably discharged or discharged for a service-connected disability after 30 days. For additional information about the Post 9/11 GI Bill including benefits, eligibility requirements, as well as specific types of approved training programs, visit: http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/post911_gibill.asp.
Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP)
The REAP program provides educational assistance to members of the Reserve components who were called or ordered to active duty during times of war or national emergency declared by the President or Congress. For more information about eligibility requirements, descriptions of benefits, types of assistance, and other program-related information, please visit: http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/reap.asp.

Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (VOC Rehab): Chapter 31
The Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment program is designed to help veterans prepare for a career as a civilian. The program includes an array of services such as comprehensive skill and interest evaluation; vocational counseling and planning; employment assistance; job retention; on-the-job training and apprenticeship programs; technical, vocational, or other related training at colleges, universities, and other institutions of higher education, and many more. For more information, about eligibility requirements, program offerings, or program benefits, please visit: http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocreb/eligibility_and_entitlement.asp.

Survivors and Dependents Assistance: Chapter 35
The VA offers two main GI Bill programs that provide educational assistance to survivors and dependents of veterans: The Marine Gunnery Sergeant John David Fry Scholarship (Fry Scholarship) currently serves children of military members who died in the line of duty after September 10, 2001. Beginning January 1, 2015, Fry Scholarships will also be available for surviving spouses of military members who died in the line of duty after September 10, 2001. The Survivors’ and Dependents’ Educational Assistance (DEA) Program offers a series of education and training opportunities to eligible dependents of veterans who died while on active duty or as a result of a service-related condition or of veterans who are totally and permanently disabled due to service-related condition. For more information about eligibility requirements or benefits information, please visit: http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/survivor_dependent_assistance.asp.

Veterans Educational Assistance Program (VEAP)
VEAP provides education and training opportunities to eligible veterans who made contributions from their military pay while on active duty. The government matches the contributions to help veterans pay for the program. For more information about the specific types of training, available benefits, eligibility requirements, and other factors to consider, or to request additional information or apply, please visit: http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/veap.asp.

U.S. Department of Education Resources
Department of Defense Site for Defense Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) www.dantes.doded.mil

Department of Education
www.ed.gov

Department of Labor’s Employment and Training Administration (ETA) www.doleta.gov

State of Nevada
Nevada Department of Education
Recommended Internet search for GI Bill information and resources. www.doe.nv.gov/search.aspx?q=qi%20bill&t=state
Nevada System of Higher Education

The Nevada System of Higher Education provides leadership, vision, and direction for the public institutions of higher education in the State of Nevada. Within NSHE, there are a collection of two universities, one state college, one research institute, and four community colleges. For more information about NSHE, please visit: http://system.nevada.edu/nshe/.

Nevada System of Higher Education
4300 S. Maryland Pkwy.
Las Vegas, NV 89119
(702) 889-8426 (702) 889-8495 (fax)

Northern Nevada Institutions of Higher Education

Great Basin College (GBC)
Student Financial Services
1500 College Parkway
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 753-2399 (775) 753-2390 (fax)
www.gbcnv.edu/financial/veterans.html

The Student Financial Services Office at GBC is responsible for the administration of veteran educational benefits. Veteran students can contact the office in person or by telephone for assistance with completing VA forms, academic advising and course selections, and benefits verification and processing.

GBC Satellite Campuses
Battle Mountain Center
835 North 2nd Street
Battle Mountain, NV 89820
(775) 635-2318

Pahrump Valley Branch Center
551 East Calvada Boulevard
Pahrump, NV 89048
(775) 727-2000

Ely Branch Campus
2115 Bobcat Drive
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 289-3589

Winnemucca Branch Campus
5490 Kluncy Canyon Road
Winnemucca, NV 89445
(775) 623-4824

Truckee Meadows Community College
Veterans Benefits
7000 Dandini Boulevard
RDMT 315
Reno, Nevada 89512-3999
(775) 673-7045 (775) 674-7566 (fax)
http://www.tmcc.edu/veterans-benefits/

TMCC maintains a Veterans Educational Benefits Office to assist eligible students with veteran specific questions and issues. The Veterans Education Benefits Office, located on the Dandini Campus, offers an array of services to Nevada veterans to promote an individual academic experience. Since 1989, TMCC has been offering Veterans Upward Bound (VUB), a free educational program for honorably discharged Nevada veterans who meet eligibility requirements. VUB is funded by the U.S. Department of Education and offers an array of services and activities that promote an individual academic. For more information, please visit: http://www.tmcc.edu/veterans-upward-bound/.

Veterans Upward Bound Program
Truckee Meadows Community College
5270 Neil Road, S303
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 829-9007

University of Nevada, Reno
Veteran Services (0121)
Fitzgerald Student Services Bldg, Room 217
Reno, NV 89557
(775) 682-5929 (775) 327-5082 (fax)
http://www.unr.edu/veteran

UNR is dedicated to serving veterans interested in or actively pursuing higher education opportunities. The Veteran Services Office at UNR provides support and assistance to veteran students and acts as a liaison to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs and the university community. This includes verifying education benefits; assisting with VA forms, applications, and eligibility requirements; academic advising; and a variety of student support interactions.
Western Nevada College

Financial Assistance

Bristlecone Building 102
2201 West College Parkway
Carson City, NV 89703
(775) 445-3260  (775) 445-3058 (fax)
www.wnc.edu/new_student/veterans.php

Western Nevada College has satellite campuses across the Silver State to serve their students. WNC assists veteran students with eligibility determinations, accessing and filing education claims, and completing enrollment certifications each semester. Specific satellite location and contact information has been included in this guide to help serve Nevada veterans from rural areas.

Carson City
2201 West College Parkway
Carson City, NV 89703
(775) 445-3000

Fernley
595 Silver Lace Boulevard
Fernley, NV 89408
(775) 423-5765

Smith Valley
20 Day Lane
Smith, NV 89430
(775) 423-5765

Douglas
1680 Bently Parkway South
Minden, NV 89423
(775) 782-2413

Fallon
160 Campus Way
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-7565

Hawthorne
601 A Street
Hawthorne, NV 89415
(775) 423-5765

Lovelock
765 Western Avenue
Lovelock, NV 89419
(775) 423-5765

Yerington
Jeanne Dini Cultural Center
120 North California Street
Yerington, NV
(775) 423-5765

Southern Nevada Institutions of Higher Education

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Office of Veteran Services
Box 452003
4505 South Maryland Pkwy
Las Vegas, NV 89154-2003
(702) 895-2290  (702) 895-1154 (fax)

UNLV Student Veterans Organization:
Jefferson Detrick - President
jefferson.detrick@gmail.com

Bruno Moyi - Vice President
bmoyas337@yahoo.com

www.unlv.edu/veterans

UNLV offers a wide variety of veteran-related programs and services that help veteran students connect to veteran communities and employers across Nevada, and to support them on their academic endeavor. Programs include: Rebel Women Vets; Student Veteran Organization; Nevada Office of Veteran Services: Green Zone Initiative; Veteran Career Fair; VetSuccess; and Yellow Ribbon Fundraising. For more information or to learn more about the programs and services available at UNLV, please visit: www.unlv.edu/veterans/programs-initiatives.
College of Southern Nevada (CSN)

Veterans Educational Center
Room D-204
6375 West Charleston Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89146
(702) 651-5060  (702) 651-7430 (fax)
www.csn.edu/admissions/va.asp

CSN is the largest institution of higher education in the State of Nevada serving around 35,000 students. The Veterans Educational Center offers support and guidance to veteran students as they navigate access to higher education. Specifically, the Veterans Educational Center staff processes VA educational benefits and provides information and guidance on various VA related issues. Additionally, the Veterans Educational Center works as a liaison between the Department of Veterans Affairs and veteran students enrolled at CSN. The college has three main campuses in addition to a smaller technology center and satellite campuses to offer classes, programs, and services to their students.

Main CSN Campuses
Charleston Campus
6375 West Charleston Boulevard
Las Vegas, NV 89146
(702) 651-5000

Henderson Campus
700 College Drive
Henderson, NV 89002
(702) 651-3000

Cheyenne Campus
3200 East Cheyenne Avenue
North Las Vegas, NV 89030
(702) 651-4000

CSN Satellite and Technology Centers

Green Valley Center
1560 West Warm Springs Rd.
Henderson, NV 89014
(702) 651-2650

Mesquite Center
140 North Yucca St.
Mesquite, NV 89027
(702) 346-2485
(702) 346-2486

Nellis AFB Center
99th MSSQ/MSE
Nellis AFB, NV 89191
(702) 652-5524
(702) 651-4155

Sahara West Center
2409 Las Verdes St.
Las Vegas, NV 89102
(702) 651-4487

Western Center
4601 West Bonanza Rd.
Las Vegas, NV 89107
(702) 651-4800

Moapa Valley Center
2400 North St. Joseph St.
P.O. Box 359
Logandale, NV 89027
(702) 398-7545

The NCS Admissions and Records Office is primarily responsible for the administration of veteran programs and benefits. To help expedite veteran applications and student record processing times, NSC has a Veterans Enrollment Certification Checklist posted online at www.nsc.edu/666.asp. The direct link to the Veterans Enrollment Certification Checklist is www.nsc.edu/729.asp.

Nevada State College (NSC)
Veteran Services
1125 Nevada State Drive
Henderson, NV 89002
(702) 992-2110
http://nsc.nevada.edu/666.asp

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Chapter 5
Employment

Veterans face many challenges when returning to civilian life after active duty service, including employment. Active duty service members and veterans have a wealth of unique, transferable skillsets, abilities, work experience, and capabilities; however, these traits do not always translate into civilian employment. Unfortunately, veterans who sacrificed so much for our country are left not only without a career, but also out of a job after leaving active duty service. The State of Nevada has joined the U.S. Government and numerous community groups and non-profits to offer training and resources to help veterans find employment as they transition to civilian life.

Federal Employment Resources

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs supports veterans’ transition from active duty service through a variety of employment related programs. For more information about veterans benefits related to employment, training, and vocational rehabilitation, please visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/benefits/.

Some of the included topic areas and information provided by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs are listed below:

Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment

The Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment provides “vocational rehabilitation and employment services to help with job training, employment accommodations, resume development, and job seeking skills coaching.” Additionally, on the Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment website, http://www.benefits.va.gov/voc rehab/index.asp, there is information under “For Employers” that encourages the hiring of veterans. Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors and Employment Coordinators work with veterans during their transition to provide information about Reemployment; Rapid Access to Employment; Self-employment; Employment through Long-Term Services, which includes On-the-Job Training and Apprenticeship Programs; and Independent
Living. Additional resources and materials available to assist veterans, including employers who participate in the Non-Paid Work Experience program and contracts available to veterans through VocRehab, can be found online at http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/links_resources.asp.

Transitional to Civilian Employment
The VA along with the Department of Defense and Department of Labor offer a joint program called Transition Assistance Program (TAP), which encourages veterans to explore career options. The Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment section of the VA is an integral contributor to this transitional program. Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors are available by appointment at (800) 827-1000 to assist veterans as they participate in TAPs and transition to civilian life. More information about the Transition Assistance Program, in addition to the role of the VA and Vocational Rehabilitation program, is available online at http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/transitional_from_service.asp.

Veteran Employment Resources
The VA offers a series of tips and resources related to employment, job seeking, interviewing, resume writing, and other job-related topics on their Veteran Employment Resources national website, http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/jobs_for_veterans.asp.

VetSuccess on Campus
The VA is dedicated to improving the transition from active duty to college life as part of the VetSuccess on Campus program. “The VetSuccess on Campus (VSOC) program aims to help Veterans, Servicemembers, and their qualified dependents succeed and thrive through a coordinated delivery of on-campus benefits assistance and counseling, leading to completion of their education and preparing them to enter the labor market in viable careers.” The University of Nevada, Las Vegas is one of a long list of participating universities nationwide that participate in the VetSuccess project. For more information about VetSuccess on Campus, please visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/vsoc.asp.

Veterans Opportunity to Work
The Veterans Opportunity to Work (VOW) program offers training and career assistance to prepare veterans for their next mission – life as a veteran. VOW serves veterans both directly and indirectly with the resources offered such as transitional assistance, extended assistance for unemployed veterans, retraining programs for veterans starting a second career, in addition to hiring resources for employers interested in hiring a veteran. For more information about programs offered by VOW, please visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/vow/.

Veterans Employment Center – eBenefits & The Veterans Job Bank
The Department of Veteran Affairs and the Department of Defense create and maintain an online Veterans Employment Center at the eBenefits website https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/jobs. This website provides veteran job seekers an opportunity to search a nationwide Veterans Job Bank. Additional search options are also available as part of the National Resource Directory, which can be found at https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/nrd.

U.S. Department of Labor
The U.S. Department of Labor is dedicated to serving the welfare of Americans with services related to employment policy and regulation. The U.S. Department of Labor’s mission is “to foster, promote, and develop the welfare of the wage earners, job seekers, and retirees of the United States; improve working conditions; advance opportunities for profitable employment; and assure work-related benefits and rights.” Additionally, the U.S. Department of Labor provides specific resources for veterans who have specific skills, capabilities, and experience as they transition out of active duty service. As the population of veterans grows nationwide, the Department of Labor is expanding their service with Veterans’ Employment and Training Services (VETS) and 11 specific programs and services. To serve Americans across the country, Department of Labor offices are located in specific cities, including two in Nevada.

U.S. Department of Labor
Frances Perkins Building
200 Constitution Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20210
(866) 4-USA-DOL (866) 487-2365
http://www.dol.gov/
Veterans’ Employment and Training Services (VETS)
The U.S. Department of Labor created a specific service component for veterans, known as Veterans’ Employment and Training Services (VETS). “VETS serves America’s veterans and separating service members by preparing them for meaningful careers, providing employment resources and expertise, and protecting their employment rights.” Specific programs and services offered by the Department of Labor and the Veterans’ Employment and Training Service are detailed individually in this chapter. For more information about VETS or to contact a representative at the Department of Labor, please visit http://www.dol.gov/vets/.

Veterans’ Employment and Training Service
2800 East St. Louis Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89104
(702) 486-2883  (702) 486-6426 (fax)

Priority of Service at American Job Centers
The Department of Labor has designed programs and services so that veterans receive priority service for all federally funded employment and training programs at the approximately 2,500 American Job Centers nationwide. These programs and services help veterans update their resume, find careers that match their experience and interest, as well as provide interviewing and networking tips. “Disabled and other eligible veterans also receive intensive services from specialists, with the maximum emphasis directed toward serving those who are economically or educationally disadvantaged, including homeless veterans and veterans with barriers to employment.” Additional information about these programs and services can be found online at http://jobcenter.usa.gov.

Hiring Fairs
Recently, First Lady Michelle Obama and Dr. Jill Biden partnered their Joining Forces Initiative, http://www.whitehouse.gov/joiningforces, with the U.S. Chamber of Commerce’s Hiring our Heroes program to better serve veterans and their families. This partnership provides “veterans across the United States with opportunities to connect with employers who are pledging to hire veterans.” Aligned with other veteran support agencies and programs, regularly scheduled hiring fairs are held around the nation to introduce veterans and employers. Additional information and hiring fair schedules can be found online at http://www.uschamberfoundation.org/hiring-our-heroes.

Protect Civilian Job Rights and Benefits for Veterans
The Department of Labor protects civilian job rights and benefits for veterans and other members of the military, including active and Reserve components as part of the requirements of the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act. The Act offers job protection to service members and veterans and “provides that returning service-members must be promptly reemployed in the same position that they would have attained had they not been absent for military service, with the same seniority, status and pay, as well as other rights and benefits determined by seniority.” For more information about the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act, please visit http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/userra/.

Transition Assistance Program
The Department of Labor developed the Transition Assistance Program as part of the Veterans Opportunity to Work and Hire Heroes Act of 2011, which requires service members, who are separating from active duty, to attend a three-day intensive employment workshop, which is offered at military installations around the world to help prepare veterans and their families for their transition to civilian life.

Gold Card
The Veteran Gold Card from the Department of Labor is designed to assist unemployed post-9/11 veterans with job services and market resources in a consistent and intensive format. The Gold Card is accepted at American Job Centers nationwide and provides enhanced in-person services to veterans that may include:

- “Job readiness assessment, including interviews and testing”
- “Development of an Individual Development Plan (IDP)”
- “Career guidance through group or individual counseling that helps veterans in making training and career decisions”
• “Provision of labor market, occupational, and skills transferability information that inform educational, training, and occupational decisions”
• “Referral to job banks, job portals, and job openings”
• “Referral to employers and registered apprenticeship sponsors”
• “Referral to training by WIA-funded or third party service providers”
• “Monthly follow-up by an assigned case manager for up to six months”

My Next Move
The Department of Labor has developed an interactive career assessment tool, My Next Move for Veterans, http://www.mynextmove.org/vets/. Veterans can find career resources by industry, employment types, and compare civilian careers to their active duty experience. “The site has tasks, skills, salary information, job listings, and more for over 900 different careers.” Additionally, My Next Move for Veterans includes the O*NET Interest Profiler, which provides personalized career recommendations based on previous work experience and current interests.

Getting Homeless Veterans Back on Their Feet
As part of the Veterans’ Employment and Training Services (VETS) programs and services, the Department of Labor has developed, implemented, and funded a Homeless Veteran Reintegration Program (HVRP), http://www.dol.gov/vets/grants/hvrp.htm. This program is designed to connect veterans with training and resources to help them succeed in civilian careers. Recently reported data from the HVRP indicates that over 12,000 veterans nationwide have benefited from these programs and services.

Apprenticeships
Apprenticeship programs have increased nationwide as President Barack Obama called for doubling the number of available apprenticeships in a five-year time period. Veterans have unique skills and work experience that typically prepare them for successful completion of Apprenticeship programs. The Department of Labor has increased veteran access to these programs through Registered Apprenticeships that allow veterans to use GI Bill benefits to receive monthly stipends during apprenticeships.

Preparing Women Veterans to Succeed
Women have been serving the U.S. Military since the beginning of our nation, and the Department of Labor is committed to preparing women veterans to succeed after active duty. Women veteran issues related to employment and homelessness led to the creation of the Women Veterans Initiative. This initiative has dedicated its mission to “determine the distinct challenges for women veteran employment, identify the department services needed to close the gap and elevate women veterans’ issues among stakeholders and the public.” The Women Veterans Initiative works in concert with the Veterans’ Employment and Training Service, http://www.dol.gov/vets/, and the Women’s Bureau, http://www.dol.gov/wb/, to accomplish their goal to prepare women veterans for success.

Employer Outreach
The American Job Centers, which are highlighted in this chapter of the Veterans Resource Directory, provide veteran specific resources to employers. With approximately 2,500 American Job Centers nationwide that connect employers and job seekers in their communities in addition to veteran programs available online at http://jobcenter.usa.gov/, the American Job Centers help Americans find jobs and American business hire skilled employees.

Labor Market Statistics
The Bureau of Labor Statistics provides reports on labor and market trends across the nation, which can be accessed at http://www.bls.gov/. These reports are utilized by various agencies and organizations to determine funding needs, employment trends, and demographic summaries. The Bureau of Labor Statistics includes specific information, data, and trends related to veteran employment in an annual report to increase understanding of the veteran workforce. This information can be utilized to increase training programs, develop veteran specific resources, and improve the nation’s service to our veterans.

U.S. Office of Personnel Management
The U.S. Office of Personnel Management provides federal job opportunity and application support resources for veterans and their families. The U.S. Office of Personnel Management maintains two main sources where veterans can find information about available federal jobs.
U.S. Office of Personnel Management
1900 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20415-1000
(202) 606-1800

Feds Hire Vets
“The one-stop resource for Federal veteran employment information”

Veterans Employment Program Office
U.S. Office of Personnel Management
1900 E Street NW,
Washington, DC 20415
(202) 606-7304
http://www.fedshirevets.gov/

USA Jobs
U.S. Office of Personnel Management
“The Federal Government has a long and outstanding record of employing veterans. Federal service provides a means for veterans to continue their noble service to this country.”
“The Federal Government’s official one-stop source for federal jobs and employment information.”
https://www.usajobs.gov/
State Employment Resources

State of Nevada

The State of Nevada is proud to celebrate and support the American heroes living in the Silver State. The State provides veterans and their families an array of resources, support, and opportunities to improve and enjoy their lives in Nevada. The State of Nevada is dedicated to continuing its vital and efficient service to support veterans as they transition into our communities and begin their endeavors as Nevada veterans.

State of Nevada
State Capitol Building
101 N. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701
www.nv.gov

Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation

“The Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation (DETR) consists of divisions that offer assistance in job training and placement, vocational rehabilitation, workplace discrimination and in collecting and analyzing workforce and economic data.” The mission of DETR is to provide Nevada’s businesses with access to a qualified work force and encouraging equal employment opportunities. In order to accomplish this mission, the DETR provides programs and services in the following areas: Employment Security; Rehabilitation; Nevada Equal Rights; Research and Analysis; and Information Development and Processing. Additional information about the programs and services provided by the Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation is available online at http://detr.state.nv.us/index.htm.
In addition, DETR along with Nevada JobConnect and American Job Center has an online resource guide for jobseekers at http://detr.state.nv.us/PDFS/Jobseeker_Resource_Guide.pdf.

Las Vegas Office
2800 E. St. Louis Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89104
detradmn@nv detr.org

Carson City Office
500 East Third Street
Carson City, NV 89713
detradmn@nv detr.org
Vocational Rehabilitation Program
The Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation provides a Vocational Rehabilitation Program designed to address assessment, training, treatment, and job placement for Nevadans with disabilities. This program is funded through a combination of state and federal funding to help individuals with disabilities work and live independently. Vocational Rehabilitation offices are located around Nevada to better serve Nevadans in need of these services.

Reno Rehabilitation Office
1325 Corporate Boulevard
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 823-8100 (775) 688-1426 (TTY)

Northern Nevada General Information
(775) 684-4040 (775) 684-8400 (TTY)

State of Nevada Casual Labor Office
Northern Nevada
Veterans Employment Representative
420 Galletti Way
Sparks, NV 89431
(775) 687-6899

Las Vegas Rehabilitation Office
3016 W. Charleston, Suite 200
Las Vegas, NV 89102
(702) 486-0300 (702) 486-6830 (TTY)

Southern Nevada General Information
(702) 486-5230 (702) 486-1018 (TTY)

State of Nevada Casual Labor Office
Southern Nevada
Veterans Employment Representative
1001 North A Street
Las Vegas, NV 89106
(702) 486-3441

American Job Center - Nevada
The American Job Center was created to offer Americans in search of work a one-stop, single access point to search for jobs, job training programs, employment resources. The American Job Center also serves as a launching point for other employment resources websites, many of which are partners with the American Job Center in a national network. One such partner is the CareerOneStop website, which is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Labor. This website offers a variety of employment-related information including the America’s Service Locator service, an employment search engine that searches the Internet for local job centers and job training resources and provides a single list. In addition, Nevada has developed employment resources that partner with the American Job Center. The One Stop Career Center is a local workforce development agency designed as a consortium to provide career training, job search, career services, employment case management, and career counseling in one location.

American Job Center
(877) US2-JOBS (877) 872-5627
http://jobcenter.usa.gov/

CareerOneStop
(877) 348-0502 (877) 348-0501 (TTY)
info@careeronestop.org
http://www.careeronestop.org/

Nevada JobConnect
cbshepard@nv detr.org
*Developed and managed by Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation*
http://www.nevadajobconnect.com/index.php

One Stop Career Center
6330 W. Charleston Blvd, Suite 190
Las Vegas NV 89146
(702) 822-4200 (702) 822-4250 (fax)
http://www.nvcareercenter.org/
Northern Nevada JobConnect Locations

Carson City
1929 North Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701
(775) 684-0400  (775) 684-0466 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Ely
1500 Avenue F, Suite 1
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 289-1616  (775) 289-1615 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Elko
172 Sixth Street
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 753-1900  (775) 753-7212 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Fallon
121 Industrial Way
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-5115  (775) 423-6116 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Reno
Reno Town Mall
4001 South Virginia Street
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 284-9600  (775) 284-9663 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Sparks
1675 East Prater Way, Suite 103
Sparks, NV 89434
(775) 284-9520  (775) 284-9511 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Winnemucca
475 West Haskell Street, #1
Winnemucca, NV 89445
(775) 623-6520  (775) 623-6523 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Southern Nevada JobConnect Locations

Henderson
119 Water Street
Henderson, NV 89015
(702) 486-0300  (702) 486-0328 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Las Vegas
3405 South Maryland Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89169
(702) 486-0100  (702) 486-0118 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Las Vegas
6330 W. Charleston Blvd, Suite 190
Las Vegas NV 89146
(702) 822-4200  (702) 822-4250 (fax)
http://www.nvcareercenter.org/

North Las Vegas
2827 Las Vegas Boulevard North
Las Vegas, NV 89030
(702) 486-0200  (702) 486-0230 (fax)
www.nevadajobconnect.com

Pahrump
1020 E Wilson
Pahrump, NV 89048
(775) 537-2323  (775) 537-2322 (fax)

Nevada Civil Service Preference

The State of Nevada is committed to providing quality employment opportunities to Nevada veterans. The Nevada Department of Human Resource Management offers veterans who are applying for state employment a service-connected disability preference. For more information about this program or to learn more about open positions with the State of Nevada, contact the local Nevada Department of Human Resource Management office in Las Vegas at (702) 486-2900 or in Carson City at (775) 684-0150, or visit the Nevada Department of Human Resource Management Open Positions website at http://www.veterans.nv.gov/open-positions.html.

Nevada State Welfare Assistance

The State of Nevada is committed to serving and providing resources to support Nevadans in need of government programs and support. The Division of Welfare and Support Services, which is part of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services, summarizes this commitment in the agency's mission statement. “The mission of the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services is to provide quality, timely and temporary services enabling Nevada families, the disabled and elderly to achieve their highest levels of self-sufficiency.” To serve Nevadans across the Silver State, the Division of Welfare and Support Services has office locations in a number of areas in Northern and Southern Nevada.
Northern Nevada Office
1470 College Parkway
Carson City, NV 89706
(775) 684-0500
https://dwss.nv.gov/

Southern Nevada Office
2505 Chandler Avenue, Suite 1
Las Vegas, NV 89120
(702) 631-2072 (702) 631-2073 (fax)

Northern Nevada State Welfare Offices

Carson City
2533 North Carson Street
Suite 200
Carson City, NV 89706
(775) 684-0800 (775) 684-0844 (fax)

Ely
725 Avenue K
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 289-1650 (775) 289-1645 (fax)

Hawthorne
1000 C Street
PO Box 1508
Hawthorne, NV 89415
(775) 945-3602 (775) 945-4439 (fax)

Sparks
630 Greenbrae Drive
Sparks, NV 89431
(775) 824-7400 (775) 824-7450 (fax)

Southern Nevada State Welfare Offices

Belrose District
700 Belrose Street
Las Vegas, NV 89107
(702) 486-1646 (702) 486-1634 (fax)

Craig Road District
3223 West Craig Road, Suite 140
North Las Vegas, NV 89032
(702) 631-3386 (702) 631-3387 (fax)

Flamingo District
3330 East Flamingo Road, Suite 55
Las Vegas, NV 89121
(702) 486-9400 (702) 486-9401 (fax)

Henderson District
520 South Boulder Hwy
Henderson, NV 89015
(702) 486-1001 (702) 486-1270 (fax)

Nellis District
611 North Nellis Blvd
Las Vegas, NV 89110
(702) 486-4828 (702) 486-4737 (fax)

Owens District
1040 West Owens Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89106
(702) 486-1899 (702) 486-1802 (fax)

Pahrump District
1840 Pahrump Valley Road
Pahrump, NV 89048
(775) 751-7400 (775) 751-7404 (fax)

Spring Mountain District
3101 Spring Mountain Road, Suite 3
Las Vegas, NV 89102
(702) 631-3077 (702) 631-3078 (fax)

Elko
1020 Ruby Vista Drive
Suite 101
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 753-1233 (775) 777-1601 (fax)

Fallon
111 Industrial Way
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-3161 (775) 423-1450 (fax)

Reno
4055 South Virginia Street
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 684-7200 (775) 448-5094 (fax)

Yerington
215 West Bridge Street, Suite 6
Yerington, NV 89447
(775) 684-0800 (775) 463-7735 (fax)

Veteran-Owned Business Assistance

Small businesses provide a stable source of economic growth for the nation as well as the State of Nevada. Veterans bring extraordinary skills and experience to any job in addition to other capabilities, characteristics, and abilities including small business development and ownership. The State of Nevada, along with the U.S. Government, provides programs to support and guide veterans through the small business development process to help veterans establish themselves in their communities.

Small Business Administration

The U.S. Small Business Administration is committed to providing small business support to our nation’s entrepreneurs as well as our veterans. “If you are a veteran or service-disabled veteran, SBA has resources to help you start and grow your small business. From creating a business plan to finding your first customer, we’re here to help you succeed.” There are a variety of resources specifically designed for veteran small businesses on the SBA website. Financing resources for veteran-owned small business include information about Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loans and Loans and Grants Search Tool. The SBA also offers Small Business Assistance to veterans in the form of Operation Boots to Business: From Service to Startup; Veterans Business Outreach Centers; Office of Veterans Business Development; National Veterans Business
Development Conference & Expo; and Business Resources for People with Disabilities. For more information about programs and services available to veterans, visit the Veteran-Owned Business website at https://www.sba.gov/content/veteran-service-disabled-veteran-owned.

**US Small Business Administration**

409 3rd St, SW
Washington DC 204
SBA Answer Desk: (800) 827-5722
Disaster Loans: (800) 659-2955

**Small Business Resources**

**SBA Nevada District Office**

300 South Fourth Street, Suite 400
Las Vegas, NV 89101
(702) 388-6611  (702) 388-6469 (fax)

**SBA Reno Area Office**

745 West Moana Lane, Suite 375
Reno, NV 89509
(775) 827-4923

**Small Business Contracts**

(800) 949-8387
Veteran-Owned Business Contracts available through the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.
www.va.gov/osdbu

**Center for Veterans Enterprise**

As part of the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs, the Center for Veterans Enterprise “provides information about the Center for Verification and Evaluation efforts to verify Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Businesses and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses.” The VetBiz website includes an array of veteran small business related information, resources, support, and requirements. The Center for Veterans Enterprise also serves as the contracting verification office for veteran small businesses. For more information about programs offered by the Center for Veterans Enterprise, contact the VetBiz Help Desk at (866) 584-2344 or visit http://www.vetbiz.gov/.
Chapter 6
Health and Wellness

Veterans and their families face unique service-related challenges as they transition successfully from military to civilian life, many of which have an impact on both the health and wellness of veterans as well as their families and communities. The State of Nevada, the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, national non-profit organizations, as well as community organizations and agencies across our state and country, work to provide resources for veterans to help address these challenges. This Veterans Resource Directory is divided into three subject areas — Health, Mental Health, and Recreation — to provide resources and contact information related to each.

Health

Veterans and their families encounter health conditions, issues, and problems that require specialized care. As veterans return to their families and reintegrate into their civilian lives after active duty service, the State of Nevada, United States Government, national non-profits, Veterans Service Organizations, and many other community-based agencies and organizations provide health-related services for our veterans as well as their families.

Veterans Health Administration

The Veterans Health Administration, part of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, is the largest system of integrated health care in the United States with 150 medical centers, nearly 1,400 community-based outpatient clinics, community living centers, and Vet Centers. The Veterans Health Administration is committed to providing veterans with comprehensive care. With a staff of more than 53,000 licensed health care practitioners, the Veterans Health Administration provides medical services, treatment, care, and support for more than 8.3 million veterans each year. For more information about the Veterans Health Administration, please visit [http://www.va.gov/health/](http://www.va.gov/health/).

“To care for him who shall have borne the battle for his widow and his orphan.”

—Abraham Lincoln
VA Sierra Nevada Health Care System
The VA Sierra Nevada Health Care System, located in Reno, Nevada, provides primary and secondary care that includes 20 counties in northern Nevada and northeastern California. In addition to the services offered at the main location in Reno, the VA Sierra Nevada Health Care System also manages Community-Based Outpatient Clinics and one Rural Outreach Clinic. To learn more about the services, treatments, and clinics provided by the VA Sierra Nevada Health Care System, please visit [http://www.reno.va.gov/index.asp](http://www.reno.va.gov/index.asp).

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<td>(800) 613-4012 ext. 6443</td>
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<td><strong>VA Salt Lake City Health Care System</strong></td>
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<td>500 Foothill Drive</td>
<td><em>Staffed on a bi-weekly basis by a representative from the VA staff in Fallon, NV.</em></td>
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<td>Salt Lake City, UT 84148</td>
<td>(877) 320-4990 (appointments)</td>
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<td>(801) 582-1565</td>
<td><strong>VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System</strong></td>
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<td><em>serves Northeastern Nevada</em></td>
<td>The VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System has been serving Southern Nevada veterans since 1972 and continues to offer services to more than 240,000 veterans in surrounding areas. In addition to services and programs offered at the main facility in Las Vegas, the VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System manages service and care locations and Community-Based Outpatient Clinics across southern Nevada. To find out more about the VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System; learn about available treatments, care services, or programs; and access health care providers who work with veterans, please visit <a href="http://www.lasvegas.va.gov/">http://www.lasvegas.va.gov/</a>.</td>
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<td>(877) 252-4866 (Nurse Advice Line, 24/7)</td>
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Other Southern Nevada Clinics for Veterans

**East Specialty Clinic**
East Specialty Clinic
(702) 791-9059

**North Specialty Clinic**
North Specialty Clinic
(702) 791-9077

**West Specialty Clinic**
West Specialty Clinic
(702) 791-9047

**Healthcare for Homeless Veterans**
Healthcare for Homeless Veterans
(702) 791-9077

**Veterans Recovery Center**
Veterans Recovery Center
(702) 791-9060

**Women’s Health Clinic**
Women’s Health Clinic
(702) 791-9176

My Health-e-Vet
The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs provides an online personal health record system designed for veterans, active duty service members, their dependents, and caregivers. My Health-e-Vet system assists health care practitioners across the nation by providing an online resource of health information. This system also provides decision-making resources for consumers to help manage their continued medical care. For more information about My Health-e-Vet program and available account types, please visit https://www.myhealth.va.gov/index.html.

Veterans Benefits Administration
The Veterans Benefits Administration works under the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs to support veterans as it relates to benefits and services. The Veterans Benefits Administration has Regional Benefit Offices spread-out across the country to serve both veterans and active duty service members. These Regional Benefit Offices serve veterans closer to their homes and assist them with benefits, pre-discharge paperwork and requirements, compensation, education and training, vocational rehabilitation and employment, home loans, life insurance and pension support. For more information about the Veterans Benefits Administration, please visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/benefits/.

Reno Regional Benefit Office
The Reno Regional Benefit Office serves Nevada veterans with offices and locations across the state to assist veterans with wide range of benefits including health benefits and claims, life insurance, pension support, and other related paperwork. For more information about the Reno Regional Benefit Office, services provided in Nevada, or other related questions to veteran benefits, please visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/reno/.

**Reno Regional Benefit Office**
5460 Reno Corporate Drive
Reno, NV 89511
(800) 827-1000

Disability Compensation
The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs provides disability compensation based on active duty military service. The VA defines disability compensation as “a monthly tax-free benefit paid to Veterans who are at least 10 percent disabled because of injuries or diseases that were incurred in or aggravated during active duty, active duty for training, or inactive duty training.” For more information about eligibility for Disability Compensation, contact the VA at (800) 827-1000 or visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/compensation/.

Disability Pension
The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs offers Disability Pension to those veterans who have limited income and are unable to work. General eligibility requirements, as determined by the VA, indicate a veteran “must have at least 90 days of active duty service, with at least one day during a wartime period to qualify for a VA Pension.” For more information about Disability Pension, please contact the VA at (877) 294-6380 or visit http://www.benefits.va.gov/pension/.

Claims Assistance
The State of Nevada offers assistance to Nevada veterans who need help filing claims with the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs. For more information about assistance programs offered by the State of Nevada please visit http://www.veterans.nv.gov/index.html.
Nevada Department of Health and Human Services

The Nevada Department of Health and Human Services provides health care resources for homeless Nevadans as well as Nevadans in need of special assistance or government-provided health programs. For more information about programs and services offered by the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services, please visit [http://dhhs.nv.gov/](http://dhhs.nv.gov/).

Nevada Department of Health and Human Services
(775) 684-4000  (775) 684-4010 (fax)
nvdhhs@dhhs.nv.gov

Mental Health

As a result of military service, veterans and their families may encounter unique mental health needs and experience specific challenges. The State of Nevada, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Service Organizations, national non-profits, and community groups focus on providing specialized care, support, and resources to our veterans and their families.

U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs
Mental Health
http://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/index.asp

About VA Mental Health

One of the resources provided by the VA Mental Health program is the Guide to VA Mental Health Services for Veterans and Families, which is available on the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs’ website at [http://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/VAMentalHealthGroup.asp](http://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/VAMentalHealthGroup.asp). The guide provides information on the mental health services available through local or regional VA health care facilities. Below are the basic guiding principles that form the foundation of VA mental health care:

- **Focus on Recovery:** By focusing on recovery, veterans are empowered to take charge of their treatment and redefine their life to find new meaning. This approach focuses on strengths, while promoting individual respect, honor, and hope.

- **Coordinated Care for the Whole Person:** Coordinated care amongst VA health care providers promotes effective treatment and holistic care for veterans in every aspect of their lives, from health and fitness to mental health and family support.

- **Mental Health Treatment in Primary Care:** Patient Aligned Care Teams (PACTs), a medical team that includes mental health experts, provide veteran’s health care at Primary Care clinics.

- **Mental Health Treatment Coordinator:** Veterans receiving specialty mental health care work directly with a Mental Health Treatment Coordinator (MHTC) for more individualized care and support.
• **Around-the-Clock Service:** Emergency mental health care and services are available 24/7 at VA medical centers. If a local VA does not have a 24-hour emergency room, it must have an agreement with a local, non-VA hospital, to provide these services. VA medical centers also provide telephone evaluations, and the national crisis hotline is available 24/7.

• **Care that is Sensitive to Gender & Cultural Issues:** VA health care providers receive training about military culture, gender differences, and a variety of ethnic issues to better understand and serve our veterans.

• **Care Close to Home:** The VA is committed to expanding resource locations to veterans by adding more clinics in rural communities, increasing the usage of mobile clinics, and partnering with local health care providers to better serve veterans and their families.

• **Evidence-Based Treatment:** The VA is committed to providing treatments that have been proven to be effective for particular problems. Mental health providers and practitioners working with our veterans have received training in evidence-based treatments and are required to offer these types of services and treatment options to veterans.

• **Family & Couple Services:** Family members of veterans play an integral role in the treatment and care of veterans. The VA offers services and care for family members that include but are not limited to family therapy, marriage counseling, and grief counseling.

**Vet Center Program**

Vet Centers can be found across the country, including Nevada, and offer a broad range of counseling, outreach, and referral services to eligible veterans as they transition into civilian life after active duty. Vet Centers are dedicated to transitional assistance and readjustment support to help veterans and their families with veteran specific challenges such as Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), alcohol and drug assessment, and suicide prevention. More information about the Department of Veterans Affairs national Vet Center Program can be found online at [http://www.vetcenter.va.gov/](http://www.vetcenter.va.gov/).

**Nevada Vet Centers**

The State of Nevada has three Vet Centers – located in Henderson, Las Vegas, and Reno -- that provide mental health related care, support, and resources to Nevada veterans and their families. Contact information for these offices is included below.

**Northern Nevada Vet Center**

**Reno Vet Center**

5580 Mill St., Suite 600

Reno, NV 89502

(775) 323-1294

(877) 927-8387

(775) 322-8123 (fax)

**Southern Nevada Vet Centers**

**Henderson Vet Center**

400 North Stephanie, Suite 180

Henderson, NV 89014

(702) 791-9100

(877) 927-8387

(702) 433-5713 (fax)

**Las Vegas Vet Center**

1919 S. Jones Blvd., Suite A

Las Vegas, NV 89146

(702) 251-7873

(877) 927-8387

(702) 251-7812 (fax)

**Mental Health Organizations and Agencies in Nevada**

**National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)**

The National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) is the nation’s largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to serving the nearly 60 million Americans affected by mental illness. NAMI advocates for better access to treatment, services, support, and is committed to raising awareness and building a community for those in need. Additional information about NAMI and their programs can be found online at [http://www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org). In Nevada, there are three NAMI offices to serve and support those with mental illness, including veterans and their families.
National Alliance on Mental Illness
NAMI Nevada
(775) 329-3260
skstamates@gmail.com

Northern Nevada NAMI
(775) 329-3260
skstamates@gmail.com
Located in Reno, NV
Serving Reno and Washoe County

Southern Nevada NAMI
NAMI of Southern Nevada
222 S. Rainbow Blvd., Suite 205
Las Vegas, NV 89145
(702) 310-5764
namisnv@yahoo.com
Located in Las Vegas, NV
Serving Southern Nevada
www.namisouthernnevada.org

Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services
The Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services serves Nevadans with mental illnesses by providing 24-hour crisis services including a medication clinic, acute short-term and long-term inpatient hospitalization, outpatient psychotherapy services, and psycho-social rehabilitation.

Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services
6161 West Charleston Boulevard
Las Vegas, NV 89146
(702) 486-6000
(702) 486-8020 (hotline) (702) 486-6248 (fax)

Recreation

Nevada Department of Wildlife
The Nevada Department of Wildlife supports veterans in their recreational and leisure activities around the state with free hunting and fishing licenses for eligible veterans. For more information about eligibility requirements or to speak with a Department of Wildlife representative, please contact your local office or visit: www.ndow.org/Forms_and_Resources/License_Fees/.

Nevada Department of Wildlife Headquarters
1100 Valley Road
Reno, NV 89512
(775) 688-1500 (775) 688-1207 (fax)
ndowinfo@ndow.org
8am to 5pm, M-F

Disabled Veteran Combination License
Combination hunting/fishing licenses are available free of charge for eligible Nevada veterans. Eligibility requirements include: Nevada residency of six months or longer and a service-connected disability of 50-percent or more. First-time applicants must submit an application along with supporting documentation of the disability. Licenses are issued ONLY at NDOW offices.

Annual Disabled Veteran Fishing License
Annual fishing licenses are available free of charge for eligible Nevada veterans. Eligibility requirements include: Nevada residency of six months or longer and service-connected disability of 50-percent or more. First-time applicants must submit an application along with supporting documentation of the disability. Licenses are issued ONLY at NDOW offices.

Annual Serviceman Fishing License
For Nevada resident serviceman on active duty who are stationed outside of Nevada. Must show duty or leave papers at the time of purchase. $9.00

Serviceman’s Hunting License
For Nevada resident serviceman on active duty who are stationed outside of Nevada. Must show duty or leave papers at the time of purchase. $9.00
Western Region: Department of Wildlife Offices

Fallon
380 West B. St.
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-3171  (775) 423-8171 (fax)
M-F 9a-5p

Winnemucca
815 E. Fourth St.
Winnemucca, NV 89445
(775) 623-6565  (775) 623-6568 (fax)
M-F 10a-3p

Eastern Region: Department of Wildlife Offices

Elko
60 Youth Center Road
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 777-2300  (775) 738-2485 (fax)

Reno
1100 Valley Rd.
Reno, NV 89512
(775) 688-1500  (775) 688-1595 (fax)
M-F 8a-5p

Ely
1218 N Alpha St
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 289-1655 ext. 21  (775) 289-1649 (fax)

Southern Region: Department of Wildlife Offices

Las Vegas
4747 Vegas Dr.
Las Vegas, NV 89108
(702) 486-5127  (702) 486-5133 (fax)

Henderson
744 S. Racetrack Rd.
Henderson, NV 89015
(702) 486-6742  (702) 486-6784 (fax)

Nevada State Parks

Nevada State Parks offers annual permits for $30.00 to honorably-discharged Nevada resident veterans with permanent service-connected disabilities of 10 percent or more. This annual permit can be purchased in person at local regional offices, the headquarters office in Carson City, or at state parks, or can be received through the mail. A valid photo identification, a copy of the disability letter, and DD-214 Form to verify honorable discharge are required to purchase the permit. The Disabled Veteran Permit provides unlimited entrance to all parks and use of camping and boat launch facilities for a consecutive 12-month period after the permit is used. Additional fees are required for special events, reservations, cabin reservations, boat slip rentals, utility hook-ups and other special program fees. For more information, please visit www.parks.nv.gov.

Nevada State Parks Regional Offices

Northern Region Office
19799 Lahontan Dam
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 867-3001  (775) 867-4559 (fax)
region3@cccomm.net
M-F 7am-5pm

Southern Region Office
4747 Vegas Drive
Las Vegas, NV 89108
(702) 486-5125  (702) 486-5186 (fax)
lvregionhq@parks.nv.gov
M-F 8am-5pm
Nevada State Parks

Beaver Dam State Park
PO Box 176
Panaca, Nevada 89042
beaverdam@mwpower.net
(775) 728-4460
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/beaver-dam-state-park/

Big Bend of the Colorado SRA
Big Bend of the Colorado SRA
4220 S. Needles Hwy #3
Laughlin, Nevada 89029
bigbendsra@embarqmail.com
(702) 298-1859 (702) 298-0421 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/big-bend-of-the-colorado-state-recreation-area/

Cave Lake State Park
P.O. Box 151761
Ely, Nevada 89315
cavelake@mwpower.net
(775) 289-1693
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/cave-lake-state-park/

Echo Canyon State Park
HC 74, Box 295
Pioche, Nevada 89043
echo@calandsky.com
(775) 962-5103
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/echo-canyon-state-park/

Elgin Schoolhouse State Historic Site
C/O Kershaw-Ryan State Park
PO Box 985
Caliente, Nevada 89008
Kershaw@lcturbonet.com
(775) 726-3564 (775) 726-3557 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/elgin-schoolhouse-state-historic-site/

Fort Churchill State Historic Park
Ranger Office
10000 Highway 95A
Silver Springs, Nevada 89429
ftchurchill@hdiss.net
(775) 577-2345
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/fort-churchill-state-historic-park/

Kershaw-Ryan State Park
PO Box 985
Caliente, Nevada 89008
Kershaw@lcturbonet.com
(775) 726-3564 (775) 726-3557 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/kershaw-ryan-state-park/

Lahontan State Recreation Area
16799 Lahontan Dam Road
Fallon, NV 89406
LahotanSRA@gmail.com
Churchill Ranger Station
(775) 867–3500 (775) 867-4559 (fax)
Silver Springs Ranger Station
(775) 577–2226 (775) 577-4408 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/lahontan-state-recreation-area/

Spooner Backcountry
PO Box 6116
Incline Village, NV 89452
tahoe@parks.nv.gov
(775) 831-0494 (775) 749-5980 (peak season)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/marlette-ho-bart-backcountry/

Mormon Station State Historic Park
PO Box 302
Genoa, Nevada 89411
mormonstation@parks.nv.gov
(775) 782-2590
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/mormon-station-state-historic-park/

Berlin-Ichthyosaur State Park
HC 61 Box 61200
Austin, Nevada 89310
berlinstatepark@yahoo.com
(775) 964-2440 (775) 964-2012 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/berlin-ichthyosaur-state-park/

Cathedral Gorge State Park
PO Box 176
Panaca, Nevada 89042
cathedralgorge_vc@lcturbonet.com
(775) 728-4460 (775) 728-4469 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/cathedral-gorge/

Dayton State Park
PO Box 1478
Dayton, Nevada 89403
washoelake@hdiss.net
(775) 687-5678
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/dayton-state-park/

Elgin Schoolhouse State Historic Site
C/O Kershaw-Ryan State Park
PO Box 985
Caliente, Nevada 89008
Kershaw@lcturbonet.com
(775) 726-3564 (775) 726-3557 (fax)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/elgin-schoolhouse-state-historic-site/

Sand Harbor
PO Box 6116
Incline Village, NV 89452
tahoe@parks.nv.gov
(775) 831-0494 (775) 749-5980 (peak season)
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/marlette-hobart-backcountry/

Cave Rock
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/cave-rock/
Old Las Vegas Mormon Fort  
500 E. Washington Ave.  
Las Vegas, NV 89101  
oldfort@parks.nv.gov  
(702) 486-3511  (702) 486-3734 (fax)  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/old-las-vegas-mormon-fort/

Rye Patch State Recreation Area  
2505 Rye Patch Reservoir Road  
Lovelock, Nevada 89419  
ryepatchsra@gmail.com  
(775) 538-7321  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/rye-patch-state-recreation-area/

South Fork State Recreation Area  
353 Lower South Fork #8  
Spring Creek, Nevada 89815  
sfsra@getbeehive.net  
(775) 744-4346  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/south-fork-state-recreation-area/

Spring Mountain Ranch State Park  
PO Box 124  
Blue Diamond, Nevada 89004  
smrrangers@parks.nv.gov  
(702) 875-4141  (702) 875-1909 (fax)  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/spring-mountain-ranch-state-park/

Spring Valley State Park  
HC 74, Box 201  
Pioche, Nevada 89043  
springvalley1@lcturbonet.com  
(775) 962-5102  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/spring-valley-state-park/

Ward Charcoal Ovens  
PO Box 151761  
Ely, Nevada 89315  
wardcharcoalovens@mwpower.net  
(775) 289-1693  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/ward-charcoal-ovens-state-historic-park/

Valley of Fire State Park  
P.O. Box 515  
Overton, Nevada 89040  
vof@mvdsl.com  
(702) 397-2088  (702) 397-2621 (fax)  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/valley-of-fire-state-park/

Wild Horse State Recreation Area  
HC 31 Box 265  
Elko, Nevada 89801  
wildhorsesra@gmail.com  
(775) 385-5939  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/wild-horse-state-recreation-area/

Washoe Lake State Park  
4855 Eastlake Blvd  
Carson City, Nevada 89704  
washoelake@hdiss.net  
(775) 687-4319  
http://parks.nv.gov/parks/washoe-lake-state-park/
Navigating the housing market after years of military service, veterans face unique challenges and issues in the real estate market. There are number of resources available to assist veterans and their families as they search for a home. Additionally, the Federal government offers veteran specific loan programs to better assist our service members after they transition back to civilian life. Some of the resources discussed include information for emergency and transitional housing as well as home ownership programs.

**Home Loan Guarantee Program**
The Department of Veterans Affairs offers a Home Loan Guarantee Program through which veterans are able to access information about home loans, lending processes, and partnerships with public and private industries. The entire listing of resources made available to Nevada veterans can be found by visiting [http://www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans/index.asp](http://www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans/index.asp). Information included on the website provides veterans and their families with the resources and understanding to successfully navigate the home-buying process.

**Home Retention Programs**
The Department of Veteran Affairs offers Foreclosure Alternatives/Home Retention Options to support veterans who are having trouble making their monthly mortgage payments. Home retention programs are designed to assist veterans who are who are in default retain their home. The options available include loan repayment plans, special forbearance, loan modification, short sale, or deed-in-lieu of foreclosure. Please contact your local VA Regional Loan Center to learn more about the services and programs that are available to eligible veterans.
Veteran Housing Resources

VA Regional Loan Center:
“VA helps Service members, Veterans, and eligible surviving spouses become homeowners. As part of our mission to serve you, we provide a home loan guaranty benefit and other housing-related programs to help you buy, build, repair, retain, or adapt a home for your own personal occupancy. VA Home Loans are provided by private lenders, such as banks and mortgage companies. VA guarantees a portion of the loan, enabling the lender to provide you with more favorable terms.” The nearest VA Regional Loan Center, located in Phoenix, Arizona, administers VA Home Loan Guaranty program with special offerings for those veterans applying for the VA’s Specially Adapted Housing benefit.


Phoenix Regional Loan Center
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
3333 North Central Ave.
Phoenix, AZ 85012
(888) 869-0194
Open 7:30am-4pm MST

Nevada Housing Division:
Nevada Department of Business & Industry, Housing Division is dedicated through the various programs it offers to improve the lives of Nevada’s honored veterans. Resources for veterans and military personnel in need of affordable housing options can be found at NVHousingSearch.org.

Realizing the dream of homeownership is made easy for qualified veterans and active military personnel through the Division’s Home is Possible for Heroes program. Benefits include below market rate interest and no first time homebuyer requirements. These benefits and so much more can be found on our website.

Details on all of the Division’s veteran programs can be found at www.housing.nv.gov.

Las Vegas
7220 Bermuda Road, Ste. B
Las Vegas, NV 89119
(702) 486-7220  (702) 486-7227 (fax)
(888) 486-8775

Carson City
1535 Old Hot Springs Road, #50
Carson City, NV 89706
(775) 687-2040  (775) 687-4040 (fax)
(800) 227-4960
NHDinfo@housing.nv.gov

Emergency and Transitional Housing
Some Nevada veterans are facing or have faced civilian life circumstances that have led to the need for emergency or transitional housing. Resources to assist veterans in need of emergency or transitional housing can be found at both the federal and state level in addition to the non-profit sector resources.
Emergency and Transitional Housing Resources

National Coalition for Homeless Veterans:

“Although flawless counts are impossible to come by – the transient nature of homeless populations presents a major difficulty – the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) estimates that 49,933 veterans are homeless on any given night.” The National Coalition for Homeless Veterans serves as a veteran support and advocate in the fight against homelessness among our veteran communities. [www.nchv.org](http://www.nchv.org)

National Coalition for Homeless Veterans
333½ Pennsylvania Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20003-1148
(202) 546-1969 (202) 546-2063 (fax)
(800) VET-HELP (888) 233-8582 (fax)

National Coalition for the Homeless:

“The National Coalition for the Homeless is a national network of people who are currently experiencing or who have experienced homelessness, activists and advocates, community-based and faith-based service providers, and others committed to a single mission: To prevent and end homelessness while ensuring the immediate needs of those experiencing homelessness are met and their civil rights protected.” The coalition also focuses specifically on the homeless problem facing veterans and providing resources to help advocate to end homelessness in our veteran communities.

[http://nationalhomeless.org/](http://nationalhomeless.org/)

National Coaltion for the Homeless
2201 P St. NW
Washington, DC 20037
(202) 462-4822
info@nationalhomeless.org

United States Department of Housing and Urban Development:

“More than 1 million persons are served in HUD-supported emergency, transitional and permanent housing programs each year. The total number of persons who experience homelessness may be twice as high. There are four federally defined categories under which individuals and families may qualify as homeless: 1) literally homeless; 2) imminent risk of homelessness; 3) homeless under other Federal statues; and 4) fleeing/attempting to flee domestic violence.”


U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
451 7th Street S.W.
Washington, DC 20410
(202) 708-1112 (202) 708-1455 (TTY)

HUD Veterans Affairs Supporting Housing Program:

This joint program effort between the Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Veterans Affairs is a critical effort to end veteran homelessness. “The HUD-VASH Program combines the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Housing Choice Voucher rental assistance for homeless veterans and their families with case management and clinical services provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) at its medical centers and in the community.”

[https://www.hudexchange.info/hud-vash](https://www.hudexchange.info/hud-vash)

Veterans Homelessness Prevention Demonstration Program:

The Veterans Homelessness Prevention Demonstration Program is a partnership between the Departments of Housing and Urban Development, Veteran Affairs, and Labor. “Through HUD housing assistance, VA case management services, and DOL employment counseling, this three agency partnership provides combined services for veterans who are at a high risk of becoming homeless.”

[https://www.hudexchange.info/vhpd/](https://www.hudexchange.info/vhpd/)
Chapter 8
US Military Records and State Licensing
Military Records

Military personnel records from each military branch are available from the National Personnel Records Center (NPRC). Military personnel records can include DD 214s/Separation Documents, service personnel records, and medical records. For information about documentation requirements and to request records, visit the Veterans Service Records’ webpage of the National Archives at www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records/. Records requests can be submitted online, by mail, or by fax. The Veterans Service Records’ webpage also provides direct access to the online submission website, eVetRecs at https://vetrecs.archives.gov/VeteranRequest/home.html.

Required forms for download, assistance contacts, frequently asked questions, and many more helpful resources related to military records can be found on the Veterans Service Records’ webpage. For questions about military records or to request a copy or military records, contact the NPRC.

National Personnel Records Center
Military Personnel Records
1 Archives Drive
St. Louis, MO 63138
(314) 801-0800  (314) 801-9195 (fax)
Commonly Used Forms

There are a variety of standard forms used by the Federal government to process veteran-related paperwork. Official military record related forms are stored on the Department of Defense (DoD) Forms Management Program website, which can be accessed at www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/infoMgt/forms/index.htm. This is the official website for DoD Forms and it includes links to additional forms for DoD users, DoD sites, and Other Federal Agencies. Please contact the military branch in which you served for specific submission requirements, review procedures, and approval requirements. Some of the most commonly used veteran forms are listed below.

- **DD-214**: Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty
- **SF-180**: Request Pertaining to Military Records (can be downloaded from the Veterans Service Records webpage)
- **DD-149**: Application for Correction of Military Record Under the Provisions of Title 10, U.S. Code, Section 1552
- **DD-293**: Application for Review of Discharge from the Armed Forces of the United States

Military Transcripts

Veterans from any of the military branches (Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force and Coast Guard) can request military transcripts from the Joint Services Transcript website at https://jst.doded.mil/smart/dodMandatoryBannerForm/submit.do. Veterans who attended the Community College of Air Force or The Air University can visit www.au.af.mil/au/barnes/ccaf/transcripts.asp to request transcripts directly.

Requesting a Correction of Military Records

In order to request a correction of a military record, the veteran, survivor, or legal representative must submit a completed DD-149 Form, Application for Correction of Military Records, to the military branch of service. It is the responsibility of the applicant or requestor to prove there is an error in the military record and to provide the related evidence to the appropriate review board. Requirements for submitting a request may vary between the branches of service and should be confirmed by the applicant or requestor before submitting documentation for official review.

**U.S. Army**

Army Review Boards Agency
251 18th Street South, Suite 385
Arlington, VA 22202-3531
http://arba.army.pentagon.mil

**U.S. Air Force**

Board for Correction of Air Force Records
SAF/MRBR
550-C Street West, Suite 40
Randolph AFB, TX 78150-4742
http://www.afpc.af.mil/afveteraninformation/airforceboardforcorrectionofmilitaryrecords/

**U.S. Navy and Marine Corps**

Board for Correction of Naval Records
251 18th Street South, Suite 385
Arlington, VA 22202-3531
http://arba.army.pentagon.mil

**U.S. Coast Guard**

Department of Homeland Security
Office of the General Counsel
Board for Correction of Military Records
245 Murray Lane, Stop 0485
Washington, DC 20528-0485
Requesting Review of Discharge from Military Service

To request a change, correction, or modification to any discharge or dismissal except for sentencing as part of a general court-martial, the veteran, survivor, or legal representation must submit a completed DD-293 Form, Application for Review of a Discharge or Dismissal from the Armed Forces of the United States, to the appropriate branch of service. It is the responsibility of the applicant or requestor to provide the related evidence to the appropriate review board. If it has been more than 15 years since discharge, a Correction of Military Records must be submitted to the respective branch in addition to the review of discharge documentation. Requirements for submitting a request to correct a military record may vary between the branches of service and should be confirmed by the applicant or requestor before submitting documentation for official review.

U.S. Army
Army Review Boards Agency
251 18th Street South, Suite 385
Arlington, VA 22202-3531
http://arba.army.pentagon.mil

U.S. Air Force
Air Force Review Boards Agency
SAF/MRBR
550-C Street West, Suite 40
Randolph AFB, TX 78150-4742
http://www.afpc.af.mil/afveteraninformation/airforceboardforcorrectionofmilitaryrecords/

U.S. Navy and Marine Corps
Secretary of the Navy
Council of Review Boards
ATTN: Naval Discharge Review Board
720 Kennon Ave S.E., Suite 309
Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5023

U.S. Coast Guard
Commandant (CG-122)
Attn: Office of Military Personnel
US Coast Guard
2100 2nd Street S.W., Stop 7801
Washington, DC 20593-7801
The Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles offers a variety of services and programs to Nevada veterans and their families including access to specialty license plates and certain tax exemptions. Additionally, honorably-discharged veterans can purchase a veteran designation for their driver’s license. For more information about programs and services available through the Nevada DMV please call (775) 684-4750 or visit your local DMV Office for more information.

**Veterans License Plates**

Specialty plates are available to any veteran or their spouse, parent, or child. A Veteran License Plate Application (SP 33) must be submitted along with applicable license plate fees to the Nevada DMV. Plates can be selected based on Branch of Service, Disabled Veteran status, or Military Decorations. For more information on available veteran plates and associated fees, please visit: www.dmv.nv/platesveterans.htm#All.

**Veterans’ Tax Exemptions**

Tax exemptions for Nevada veterans are available based on specific eligibility requirements, which can be found in the Nevada Revised Statute 371.103. In order to receive the official tax exemption status, veterans must present their DD-214 or discharge papers to their local County Assessor Office. The assessor determines the amount of the exemption and issues a receipt that is submitted with the vehicle registration. The veteran exemption may be transferred to the veteran’s spouse with proof of marriage documentation and an Affidavit for Transfer of Exemption to Spouse (VP 259) form provided to the DMV when registering or renewing a vehicle.
Disabled Veteran Tax Exemption
The State of Nevada offers a property tax exemption to any veteran with a service-connected disability of 60 percent or more. Exemption amounts vary from $6,250 to $20,000 of the assessed value, depending on the percentage of disability and the year paperwork was filed. To qualify, the veteran must have an honorable separation from the service and be a resident of Nevada. Property tax exemptions are also available for the widow or widower of a disabled veteran, who was eligible for this exemption at the time of his or her death. The actual value of this tax exemption benefit can be obtained by contacting your local County Assessor’s Office.

Disabled Parking Services
The State of Nevada offers special parking permits for people with physical disabilities. Applications for these permits are available at your local DM office or obtained by calling the DMV Special Plate Section in Carson City, Nevada, at (775) 684-4750.

Veterans Driver’s License Designator
The Veteran Driver’s License Designation is available to honorably-discharged veterans. For the designation only, there is a small fee for a non-commercial license or ID card and commercial license. There is no fee when renewing a license or completing another license transaction. In order to obtain the license designation, a copy of the DD-214 must be presented to the DMV office. For current fees associated with this service, please check with the local Nevada DMV office or website at www.dmvnv.com/platesveterans.htm.

Local Nevada DMV Commercial Telephone Numbers

Reno/Carson City
(775) 684-4368 Option 5 - Motor Carrier

Las Vegas
(702) 486-4368 Option 6 – CDL

Rural Nevada
(877) 368-7828

Local Nevada DMV Commercial Offices

Carson City
555 Wright Way
Carson City, NV 89711-0400
8a-5p M-F

Elko
3920 E. Idaho Street
Elko, NV 89801-4970
8a-5p M-F

North Las Vegas
4110 Donovan Way
North Las Vegas, NV 89030
8a-5p M-F

Sparks
810 E Greg St.
Sparks, NV 89431
8a-5p M-F

Winnemucca
3505 Construction Way
Winnemucca, NV 89445-3155
8a-5p M-F

Local County Assessor Offices

Carson City
201 N. Carson St. Suite 6
Carson City, NV 89701
(775) 887-2130

Churchill
155 N. Taylor St. Suite 200
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-6584
Clark
500 S. Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89155
(702) 455-3882

Douglas
1616 8th St.
Minden, NV 89423
(775) 782-9830

Esmeralda
233 Crook Ave.
Goldfield, NV 89013
(775) 485-6380

Humboldt
50 W. 5th St.
Winnemucca, NV 89445
(775) 623-6310

Lincoln
181 North Main St. Suite 203
Pioche, NV 89043
(775) 962-5890

Mineral
105 South A St. Suite 3
Hawthorne, NV 89415
(775) 945-3684

Nye
160 N. Floyd Dr.
Pahrump, NV 89040
(775) 751-7060

Pershing
398 Main St.
Lovelock, NV 89419
(775) 273-2369

Storey
County Courthouse
26 S. B Street
Virginia City, NV 89440
(775) 847-0961

Washoe
1001 E. 9th St.
Reno, NV 89520
(775) 328-2277

White Pine
955 Campton St.
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 293-6542

Local Nevada DMV Full Service Offices

Carson City
555 Wright Way
Carson City, NV 89711-0400
8a-5p M-F
(775) 684-4368  (775) 684-4389 (fax)

Elko
3920 E. Idaho Street
Elko, NV 89801-4970
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828  (775) 753-1127 (fax)

Ely
178 Avenue F
Ely, NV 89301
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828  (775) 289-1607 (fax)

Fallon
973 W. Williams Street
Fallon, NV 89406
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828  (775) 423-2797 (fax)

Henderson
1399 American Pacific Dr.
Henderson, NV 89074
8a-5p M-F, 8a-4p Sat.
(702) 486-4368  (702) 486-1388 (fax)

Las Vegas - East Sahara
2701 E. Sahara Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89104-4170
8a-5p M-F, 8a-4p Sat.
(702) 486-4368  (702) 486-4960 (fax)

Las Vegas - West Flamingo
8250 W. Flamingo Rd.
Las Vegas, NV 89147-4111
8a-5p M-F, 8a-4p Sat.
(702) 486-4368  (702) 486-8673 (fax)

Laughlin
3030 S. Needles Hwy., Suite 900
Laughlin, NV 89029
8a-5p M-F
(702) 486-4368  (702) 298-2300 (fax)
Mesquite
550 W. Pioneer Blvd., Suite 120
Mesquite, NV 89027-1403
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828 (702) 346-2067 (fax)

Pahrump
1780 E. Basin Ave., Suite 1
Pahrump, NV 89060-4605
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828 (775) 751-7425 (fax)

Tonopah
1137 N. Main St., Suite C-8
Tonopah, NV 89049
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828 (775) 482-3624 (fax)

Winemucca
3505 Construction Way
Winemucca, NV 89445
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828 (775) 623-6508 (fax)

Yerington
215 W. Bridge St., Suite 9
Yerington, NV 89447-2570
8a-5p M-F
(877) 368-7828 (775) 463-4046 (fax)

Scolari’s
4788 Caughlin Pkwy.
Reno, NV 89519
6a-12a 7 days

Raley’s Gardnerville
1363 US Highway 395 N
Gardnerville, NV 89410
7a-11p 7 days

Scolari’s Fernley
1400 US Highway 95A
Fernley, NV 89408
6a-11p 7 days

Southern Nevada DMV Kiosks
(Kiosks can be found at non-DMV locations for non-cash payments; for example, registration renewal)

Raley’s Gardnerville
1363 US Highway 395 N
Gardnerville, NV 89410
7a-11p 7 days

Scolari’s
3310 S McCarran Blvd.
Reno, NV 89502
Open 24 Hours
State Licensing Boards

Accountancy:
Provides information related to applying for a CPA, a listing of a Code of Professional Conduct, statutes, and regulations. This site also provides consumers a searchable database of licensed Accountants.

http://www.nvaccountancy.com/index.fx

1325 Airmotive Way, Suite 220
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 786-0231 (775) 786-0234 (fax)
cpa@nvaccountancy.com

Architecture, Interior Design and Residential Design:
Provides a safeguard to life, health, and property and promotes public welfare through the improvement of human environmental design.

http://nsbaidrd.state.nv.us/?page=1

2080 E. Flamingo Rd., Suite 120
Las Vegas, NV 89119
(702) 486-7300 (702) 486-7304 (fax)
nsbaidrd@nsbaidrd.nv.gov

Audiology and Speech Pathology:
Protects public welfare and ensures practitioners are competent and licensed. The board also regulates business practices and enforces profession related regulations and laws.

http://www.nvaud-sp.org/

P.O. Box 34540
Reno, NV 89533-4540
(775) 787-3421 (775) 746-4105 (fax)
info@nvaud-sp.org

Nevada State Licensing
The State of Nevada has a wide array of licensing boards that are responsible for the licensing, administration, regulation, enforcement of businesses and their practices within specific professions. Information about many of these Nevada Licensing Boards has been included in this Resource Directory along with organization contact information.
Barber’s Health & Sanitation:
Issues permits to practice Barbering in the State of Nevada. This site contains licensing information and application information.
http://barber.nv.gov/
4710 E. Flamingo
Las Vegas, NV 89121
(702) 456-4769   (702) 456-1948 (fax)

Chiropractic Physicians’ Board:
“The practice of chiropractic is hereby declared to be a learned profession, affecting public safety and welfare and charged with the public interest and therefore subject to protection and regulation by the state.”
http://chirobd.nv.gov/
4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite M-245
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-1921   (775) 688-1920 (fax)
chirobd@chirobd.nv.gov

Cosmetology:
Protects public health, safety and welfare through education, licensing, and regulating services related to Cosmetology.
http://cosmetology.nv.gov/
1785 E. Sahara Ave, Suite 255
Las Vegas, NV 89104
(702) 486-6542   (702) 369-8064 (fax)
NVcosmbd@govmail.state.nv.us

Dental Examiners:
“The mission of the Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners is to protect the dental health interest of Nevadans by developing and maintaining programs to:
1) Ensure that only qualified professionals are licensed to practice dentistry and dental hygiene. 2) Ensure that violators of the laws regulating the dental and dental hygiene professions are sanctioned as appropriate.”
http://dental.nv.gov/
6010 S. Rainbow Blvd, Building A, Suite 1
Las Vegas, NV 89118
(702) 486-7044x23   (800) 337-3926
(702) 486-7046 (fax)
nsbde@nsbde.nv.gov

Engineers & Land Surveyors:
“The Nevada Board of Engineers provides the information and process through which licensing as a Professional Engineer, Professional Land Surveyor, and certification of Engineer Intern and Land Surveyor Intern is possible.”
http://www.nvboe.org/
1755 East Plumb Lane, Suite 135
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-1231   (775) 688-2991 (fax)
board@boe.state.nv.us

Funeral Board:
Provides licensing and education requirements for Funeral related occupations. This site also includes a complaints link, contact information for Funeral Directors and establishments.
http://funeral.nv.gov/
PMB 186
4894 Lone Mountain Rd.
Las Vegas, NV 89130
(702) 825-5535
nvfuneralboard@sbcglobal.net
**Hearing Aid Specialists:**
“This board licenses individuals to fit and sell hearing aids within the state of Nevada. We do not participate in reciprocity with any other state licensing entity. Audiologists who wish to dispense hearing aids must also obtain a separate hearing aid specialist’s license.”
[http://hearingaidboard.nv.gov/](http://hearingaidboard.nv.gov/)

P.O. Box 190
Carson City, NV 89702
(702) 571-9000 (775) 267-9374 (fax)
nvhearingaidbrd@live.com

**Contractors and Construction Education (Northern Nevada):**
“The Nevada State Contractors Board is committed to promoting public confidence and trust in the competence and integrity of licensees and to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public.” The NSCB also offers a Veterans Assistance Program designed to serve Nevada veterans as they transition to the civilian workforce.

9670 Gateway Dr., Suite 100
Reno, NV 89521
(775) 688-1141 (775) 688-1190 (fax)
Direct website link for Veterans Assistance Program:

**Contractors and Construction Education (Southern Nevada):**
“The Nevada State Contractors Board is committed to promoting public confidence and trust in the competence and integrity of licensees and to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public.” The NSCB also offers a Veterans Assistance Program designed to serve Nevada veterans as they transition to the civilian workforce.

2310 Corporate Circle, Suite 200
Henderson, NV 89074
(702) 486-1100 (702) 486-1190 (fax)
Direct website link for Veterans Assistance Program:

**Landscape Architecture:**
The Nevada State Board of Landscape Architecture offers programs, standards, business practices, guidance, and enforcement to protect public health, safety, and welfare as they relate to Landscape Architecture. This board also ensures certificates and registration information is completed, correct, and current for Nevada consumers.
[http://nsbla.nv.gov/](http://nsbla.nv.gov/)

P.O. Box 17039
Reno, NV 89511
(775) 530-4602 (877) 297-3823 (fax)
LandscapeBoard@nsbla.nv.gov
**Liquefied Petroleum Gas:**
The Nevada Board for the Regulation of Liquefied Petroleum Gas is an appointed group of 6 members. They are assigned by the Governor to protect the health, welfare, and safety of the public or people using liquefied petroleum gas in Nevada.

http://lpg.nv.gov/

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 338
Carson City, NV 89702

Physical Address:
106 E. Adams St.
Room 216
Carson City, NV 89706
(775) 687-4890  (775) 687-3956 (fax)
admin@lpg.nv.gov

**Marriage & Family Therapists’ & Clinical Professional Counselors:**
This board is responsible for the identification and enforcement of minimum standards for licensing requirements for marriage and family therapists and clinical professional counselors to protect the public.

http://marriage.nv.gov/

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 370130
Las Vegas, NV 89137-0130

Physical Address:
9436 West Lake Mead Boulevard #11-J
Las Vegas, Nevada 89134-8342
(702) 486-7388  (702) 486-7258
nvmftbd@mftbd.nv.gov

**Medical Examiners:**
“The Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners serves the state of Nevada by ensuring that only well-qualified, competent physicians, physician assistants, practitioners of respiratory care and perfusionists receive licenses to practice in Nevada.” This board also responds to claims and recommends appropriate action in addition to encouraging public involvement to improve the quality of the medical care in Nevada.

http://medboard.nv.gov/

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 7238
Reno, NV 89510

Physical Address:
1105 Terminal Way
Suite 301
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-2559  (775) 688-2321
nsbme@medboard.nv.gov

**Homeopathic Medical Examiners:**
The Nevada State Board of Homeopathic Medical Examiners protects public health, safety, and welfare by supporting a self-regulation program. This program includes examinations, licensing, and regulation of physicians practicing homeopathy and integrative and/or alternative medicinal practices.

http://www.nvbhme.org/

1301 Cordone Avenue
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 324-3353  (775) 324-3352 (fax)
nvhhomeopathicboard@sbcglobal.net
Nursing (Northern Nevada):
The Nevada State Board of Nursing is a 7-member board appointed by the Governor to protect the public’s health, safety, and welfare through nursing regulations and ensuring safe practices by Nevada nurses. This board also partners with the Green Zone Social Network to serve and connect the veteran community in Nevada.

http://nevadanursingboard.org/

5011 Meadowood Mall Way, Suite 300
Reno, NV 89502-6547
(775) 687-7700 (888) 590-6726
(775) 828-7825 (fax) (775) 687-7729 (compliance fax)
nursingboard@nsbn.state.nv.us

Nursing (Southern Nevada):
The Nevada State Board of Nursing is a 7-member board appointed by the Governor to protect the public’s health, safety, and welfare through nursing regulations and ensuring safe practices by Nevada nurses. This board also partners with the Green Zone Social Network to serve and connect the veteran community in Nevada.

http://nevadanursingboard.org/

3157 North Rainbow Blvd. #313
Las Vegas, NV 89108
(702) 486-5445 (702) 486-5439 (fax)
beltca@beltca.nv.gov

Long Term Care Administrators:
“The Nevada Board of Examiners for Long Term Care Administrators (BELTCA) serves as the licensing and regulatory agency for long term care administrators in Nevada, including nursing homes and group care facilities/assisted living facilities. BELTCA protects public and consumer interests by insuring long term care administrators are of good moral character, properly educated and trained to care for Nevada’s citizens in a dignified and caring manner.”

http://beltca.nv.gov/

4220 S. Maryland Pkwy.
Building B, Suite 300
Las Vegas, NV 89119-7533
(702) 486-5800 (888) 590-6726
(702) 486-5803 (fax)
nursingboard@nsbn.state.nv.us

Dispensing Opticians:
“The mission of the Nevada Board of Dispensing Opticians is to protect the public’s health, safety, and welfare by effectively regulating the practice of Opticianry.” The board provides continuing education opportunities and consumer resources in addition to licensing and exam resources.

http://nvbdo.nv.gov/

4600 Kietzke Lane
B-116
Reno, NV 89502-5036
(775) 688-3766 (775) 688-3767 (fax)
nvbdo@govmail.state.nv.us

Optometry:
The Nevada State Board of Optometry protects and promotes public health and welfare by ensuring specific regulations and licensing requirements are followed for practicing Optometry in Nevada. The board also provides continuing education and other resources related to Optometry.

http://optometry.nv.gov/

P.O. Box 1824
Carson City, NV 89702
(775) 883-8367 (775) 883-1938 (fax)
Pharmacy:
“The Nevada State Board of Pharmacy’s sole mission is to protect the health, safety, and welfare of Nevada’s patients who use prescription drugs.” The board also reviews and investigates complaints filed by consumers regarding Pharmacy practices in the state as well as prosecuting cases in which a pharmacy or pharmacist failed to abide by state regulations and laws.
http://bop.nv.gov/

431 W. Plumb Lane
Reno, Nevada 89509-3766
(775) 850-1440  (800) 364-2081
(775) 850-1444 (fax)
pharmacy@pharmacy.nv.gov

Physical Therapy Examiners:
The State of Nevada Physical Therapy Examiners’ Board is dedicated to protecting public health and welfare as it relates to Physical Therapy practices and care. The board offers continuing education courses, consumer resources, and holds regularly scheduled meetings about the practice of Physical Therapy in Nevada.
http://ptboard.nv.gov/

7570 Norman Rockwell Lane Suite 230
Las Vegas, NV 89143
(702) 876-5535  (775) 876-2097 (fax)

Podiatry:
“The practice of podiatry is hereby declared to be a learned profession, affecting public safety and welfare and charged with the public interest and therefore subject to protection and regulation by the state.” The board provides continuing education for practitioners, resources for consumers, and general information related to Podiatry care in Nevada. http://podiatry.nv.gov/

1325 Airmotive Way
Suite 175-I
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 789-2605  (775) 786-4451 (fax)
nvpodiatry@bop.nv.gov

Psychological Examiners:
The State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners regulates the practice of Psychology to protect consumers who use psychological services. “The Board is empowered to establish licensing requirements, to set standards for professional behavior, and to review the professional conduct of licensed psychologists to promote competent practice and public welfare.”
http://psyexam.nv.gov/

4600 Kietzke Lane,
Bldg. B-116
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-1268  (775) 688-1060 (fax)
nbop@govmail.state.nv.us

Osteopathic Medicine:
The Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine serves to protect the public by providing licensing procedures and disciplining processes for Osteopathic Physicians. The board provides resources for consumers, licensing information for practitioners, and instructions for filing a claim. www.bom.nv.gov

901 American Pacific Dr.
Unit 180
Henderson, NV 89014
(702) 732-2147  (877) 325-7828
(702) 732-2079 (fax)
osteo@bom.nv.gov
Certified Court Reporters:
The Nevada State Board of Certified Court Reporters is responsible for the regulation and control of licensing and standard practices for court reporting to protect the public. The board encourages practitioner proficiency, establishes standard practices, and provides competency standards for court reporting.
http://crptr.nv.gov/

Veterinary Medical Examiners:
The Nevada State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners is appointed by the Governor to regulate the standards for Veterinary licensing and practicing. The board oversees the professional standards for veterinarians, veterinary technicians, and veterinary facilities. They review complaints and take disciplinary actions, when necessary, for violations of laws and regulations.
https://www.nvvetboard.us/glsuiteweb/clients/nvbov/public/default.aspx

Social Workers:
The State of Nevada Board of Examiners for Social Workers serves to protect the public health and welfare as it relates to care and services provided by Social Workers. The board promotes continuing education for practitioners and provides consumer resources. http://socwork.nv.gov/

Registered Environmental Health Specialists:
The Nevada Board of Registered Environmental Health Specialists promotes a standard for expertise and competence in the field of environmental health. The board registers and recognizes professionals and leaders with in the field of Environmental Health to provide guidance to Nevada communities.
http://www.nvrehs.org/index.html

Occupational Therapy:
The State of Nevada Board of Occupational Therapy serves to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the Nevada public by maintaining standards of care and establishing procedures for practitioner licensing. The board works to ensure practitioner competency through a series of continuing education programs and requirements in addition to providing resources for consumers.
http://www.nvot.org/

Alcohol, Drug & Gambling Counselors:
The Nevada State Board of Examiners for Alcohol, Drug and Gambling Counselors serves to protect the health and welfare of Nevadans by regulating the standards of care and practice for counseling related to alcohol, drugs, and gambling. The board provides continuing education to practitioners, specific counseling services based on consumer needs, and resources for consumers. http://alcohol.nv.gov/

Certified Court Reporters:

5135 Camino Al Norte, Suite 270
North Las Vegas, NV 89031
(702) 489-8787  (702) 489-8788 (fax)
Reporting@nvccrb.nv.gov

Veterinary Medical Examiners:

4600 Kietzke Lane
Bldg. O-265
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-1788  (775) 688-1808 (fax)
vetbdinfo@vetboard.nv.gov

Social Workers:

4600 Keitzke Lane
C-121
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-2555
socwork@state.nv.us
**Athletic Trainers:**
The Nevada State Board of Athletic Trainers is dedicated to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the Nevada public by regulating practices and professional standards of Athletic Training. The board provides licensing exams and reviews complaints for potential disciplinary actions related to Athletic Training. [http://nevadaathletictrainers.nv.gov/](http://nevadaathletictrainers.nv.gov/)

P.O. Box 34296
Reno, NV 89533-4296
(775) 787-2636 (775) 787-2636 (fax)
atrainer@nsbat.nv.gov

**Massage Therapy:**
“The mission of the Nevada State Board of Massage Therapists is to, through licensing and regulating the practice of massage, protect the public health, safety and welfare by ensuring that only qualified competent Massage Therapy Practitioners are licensed in the State of Nevada.” The board also provides resources for both practitioners and consumers to create a model of continuous improvement for services in addition to investigating consumer complaints. [http://massagetherapy.nv.gov/](http://massagetherapy.nv.gov/)

1755 E. Plumb Lane, Suite 252
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 687-9955 (775) 486-2212
(775) 786-4264 (fax)
nvmassagebd@state.nv.us

**Private Investigators:**
“The purpose of the [Nevada] Private Investigators Licensing Board is to license private investigators, private patrolmen, process servers, repossessors, dog handlers, security consultants, polygraphic examiners and interns.” The board is also responsible for background verifications and promoting regulation and enforcement through licensee training and education in addition to investigating consumer complaints. [https://nevadapilb.glsuite.us/](https://nevadapilb.glsuite.us/)

704 W. Nye Lane, Suite 203
Carson City, NV 89703
(775) 687-3223 (775) 687-3226 (fax)
pilbinfo@ag.nv.gov

3110 S. Durango Drive, Suite 202
Las Vegas, Nevada 89117
(702) 486-3003 (702) 486-3009 (fax)
pilbinfo@ag.nv.gov
Chapter 9
Legal Services

The State of Nevada has a variety of Legal Services available for Nevada veterans to assist with life events and circumstances that require legal support, review, or guidance. Veterans seeking legal advice should contact a Veterans Advocate Service Officer, a professional veteran advocate, to obtain information about required documentation. The toll-free number to reach a Veterans Advocate Service Officer is 1-800-562-2308. Legal services often require proof of military service, which can be done online at http://vetrecs.archives.gov. The most common form associated with this type of request is the Application for Review of Discharge, DD Form 293.

Listing of Legal Resources

State Bar of Nevada:
The State Bar of Nevada is a governing body to the legal profession to protect the public interest and ensure laws and regulations are upheld. Information for public in need of legal assistance including options to ‘Find a Lawyer’ and a series of contacts for various state provided programs. http://www.nvbar.org/

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 50
Las Vegas, NV 89125-0050

Physical Address:
600 E. Charleston Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89104
(702) 382-2200 (775) 329-4100
(702) 385-2878 (fax) (775) 329-0522 (fax)
American Bar Association:
“To serve equally our members, our profession and the public by defending liberty and delivering justice as the national representative of the legal profession.”
The American Bar Association provides a substantial amount of information and guidelines for the public about free legal services. They also provide links to information directories to contact legal aid offices and legal professionals who participate in pro-bono programs. Additionally, the ABA lists legal professionals by location at the regional and state basis. [http://www.americanbar.org/aba.html](http://www.americanbar.org/aba.html)

Washington D.C. Office
1050 Connecticut Ave. N.W., Suite 400
Washington, D.C. 20036
(202) 662-1000

Service Hotline
(800) 285-2221 (312) 988-5000
M-F 9am-6pm ET

Nevada Legal Services:
“The mission of Nevada Legal Services is to strengthen the community by ensuring fairness and providing equal access to justice for low-income Nevadans.” They work directly with Nevada veterans with regards to benefits and provide legal support and representation. Nevada Legal Services serves those in need across Nevada with offices located in Las Vegas, Reno, Elko and Carson City. [http://nlslaw.net/](http://nlslaw.net/)

530 S. 6th Street
Las Vegas, NV 89101
(702) 386-0404 (866)-432-0404
(702) 388-1641 (fax) (702) 386-1059 (TDD)

Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada:
“Legal Aid Center is a nonprofit law firm dedicated to providing direct legal representation, counsel and advice and community legal education to those who cannot afford an attorney. We have a wide variety of programs to help victims of domestic violence and crime, victims of consumer fraud and children in the foster care system.” They offer free classes, self-help information, legal resources, direct representation, and an ‘ask-a-lawyer’ resource. [http://www.lacsn.org/](http://www.lacsn.org/)

725 E. Charleston Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89104
(702) 386-1070 (702) 366-0569 (fax)
(702) 386-1059 (TDD)

The Veterans Consortium Pro Bono Program:
“Every veteran or survivor who has taken an appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veteran Claims, who has a legally credible claim and who wishes to be represented by counsel, shall have competent representation.” Information provided by the Veterans Consortium includes; Veterans and Family Members, Volunteer Attorneys, Translation Services, and other veteran related support programs and services. [http://www.vetsprobono.org/](http://www.vetsprobono.org/)

2101 L Street NW, Suite 420
Washington, DC 20037
(888) 838-7727 (202) 628-8164
(202) 628-8169 (fax)

Public Counsel - Center for Veterans’ Advancement:
“Public Counsel’s Center for Veterans’ Advancement (CVA), a national leader in veterans’ advocacy, is driven by its core mission to uphold our nation’s promise to veterans and their families. CVA provides legal representation to veterans and their families at both the local and national levels.” The center provides resources and services specifically to assist veterans overcome barriers of civilian life, reintegrate with family and friends, preventing homelessness and poverty, as well as representing wounded warriors. [http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/center_for_veterans_advancement](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/center_for_veterans_advancement)
Nevada Disability Advocacy & Law Center:
“The Nevada Disability Advocacy & Law Center (NDALC) is a private, statewide non-profit organization that serves as Nevada’s federally-mandated protection and advocacy system for human, legal, and service rights for individuals with disabilities.” The Nevada Disability Advocacy and Law Center is responsible for a number of programs supporting and advocating for Nevadans living with a disability. [http://ndalc.org/](http://ndalc.org/)

Las Vegas Office
2820 West Charleston Boulevard #11
Las Vegas, NV 89102
(702) 257-8150 Toll-Free: (888) 349-3843
Nevada Relay: 711 (702) 257-8170 (fax)
[lasvegas@ndalc.org](mailto:lasvegas@ndalc.org)
Se Habla Español

Reno Office
1875 Plumas Street #1
Reno, NV 89509
(775) 333-7878 Toll-Free: (800) 992-5715
Nevada Relay: 711 (775) 786-2520 (fax)
[reno@ndalc.org](mailto:reno@ndalc.org)
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Washoe Legal Services:
“Washoe Legal Services provides free quality legal services and representation to qualified residents to enable them to receive justice in civil legal matters involving human needs and self-sufficiency. Washoe Legal Services also recruits attorneys to provide pro bono services to address unmet legal needs in the community.” [http://www.washoelegalservices.org/](http://www.washoelegalservices.org/)

Nevada Department of Public Safety Criminal Record Repository:
This state agency handles all criminal records and can provide resources and information related to obtaining, expunging, reviewing, and/or correcting criminal records. Other services and programs provided by the Criminal Record Repository include; fingerprints, protective orders, sex offender registry, uniform crime reporting, and a variety of helpful public safety links and resources. [http://nvrepository.state.nv.us/](http://nvrepository.state.nv.us/)

Elko Office
905 Railroad Street #104B
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 777-1590 Toll-Free: (800) 992-5715
Nevada Relay: 711 (775) 753-1690 (fax)
elko@ndalc.org
Chapter 10
Veteran Service Organizations

The US Department of Veterans Affairs provides a published Directory of Veterans Service Organizations, which can be found at http://www.va.gov/vso/. Veterans Service Organizations included in this Nevada Veterans Resource Directory have active presence and offices in the State of Nevada. For more information about national VSOs, please visit the VA website: http://www.va.gov/vso/.

American Ex-Prisoners of War
National Headquarters:
American Ex-Prisoners of War
3201 East Pioneer Parkway #40
Arlington, TX 76010-5396
(817) 649-2979  (817) 649-0109 (fax)
hq@axpow.org
http://www.axpow.org/

Nevada Office:
Eugene Ramos, Commander
5795 Commonwealth Drive
Las Vegas, NV 89110
(702) 453-5832

The American Legion
National Headquarters:
The American Legion Washington Office
1608 K St. N.W.
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 861-2700  (202) 861-2786 (fax)
http://www.legion.org/
Nevada Office:
American Legion Department of Nevada
737 Veterans Memorial Drive
Las Vegas, NV 89101
http://nevadalegion.org

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For more information related to The American Legion, Nevada Post Location Contacts, please visit www.nevadalegion.org/index.php?id=11.

Post website links (if available) as well as a list of location of each of the Nevada Posts are listed below:

Post 1: Reno, NV
www.nelegionaire.org
Post 4: Carson City, NV
Post 7: Elko, NV
www.elkolegionpost7.org
Post 9: Yerington, NV
Post 12: Reno, NV
www.legionpost12@att.net
Post 15: Battle Mountain, NV
Post 18: Hadley, NV
Post 22: Pahrump, NV
Post 24: Mesquite, NV
Post 31: Boulder City, NV
Post 35: Pioche, NV
Post 40: Henderson, NV

Post 3: White Pine, NV
www.whitpinepost3nv.org
Post 6: Lovelock, NV
Post 8: Las Vegas, NV
Post 10: Las Vegas, NV
Post 14: Las Vegas, NV
Post 16: Fallon, NV
Post 19: Hawthorne, NV
Post 23: Caliente, NV
Post 30: Sparks, NV
Post 32: Carlin, NV
Post 37: Fernley, NV
www.legionnv37.org
Post 45: Austin, NV

Post 48: Owyhee, NV
Post 56: Carson City, NV
Post 75: Logandale, NV
Post 149: Las Vegas, NV
Post 51: Las Vegas, NV
www.alpost51.org

Post 5: Winnemucca, NV
Post 26: Amargosa Valley, NV

American Legion Auxiliary
National Headquarters:
American Legion Auxiliary
8945 N. Meridian St. Suite 200
Indianapolis, IN 46260
(317) 569-4500 (317) 569-4502 (fax)
https://www.alaforveterans.org/

Nevada Office:
American Legion Auxiliary Department of Nevada
c/o Daela Gibson
4030 Bobolink Cir.
Reno, NV 89508
(775) 224-0073 (775) 201-1107 (fax)
thedaela@gmail.com
http://nevadaauxiliary.com/
For more information related to The American Legion Auxiliary, Nevada Unit Location Contacts, please visit [http://nevadaauxiliary.com/?page_id=27](http://nevadaauxiliary.com/?page_id=27).

Unit website links (if available) as well as a list of location of each of the Nevada Posts are listed below:

**Unit 1:** Reno, NV  
**Unit 4:** Carson City, NV  
**Unit 7:** Elko, NV  
**Unit 9:** Yerington, NV  
**Unit 14:** Las Vegas, NV  
**Unit 18:** Round Mountain, NV  
**Unit 22:** Pahrump, NV  
**Unit 31:** Boulder City, NV  
**Unit 35:** Pioche, NV  
**Unit 40:** Henderson, NV  
**Unit 51:** Reno, NV  
**Unit 60:** Laughlin, NV  
**Unit 149:** Las Vegas, NV

**Unite 3:** White Pine, NV  
**Unit 5:** Winnemucca, NV  
**Unit 8:** Las Vegas, NV  
**Unit 10:** Las Vegas, NV  
**Unit 16:** Fallon, NV  
**Unit 19:** Hawthorne, NV  
**Unit 30:** Sparks, NV  
**Unit 32:** Elko, NV  
**Unit 37:** Fernley, NV  
**Unit 48:** Reno, NV  
**Unit 56:** Dayton, NV  
**Unit 75:** Logandale, NV

**American Red Cross**  
**National Headquarters:**  
American Red Cross  
2025 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20006  
Toll Free: (800) RED CROSS  
(800) 733-2767  
Phone: (202) 303-5214  

**Northern Nevada Office:**  
1190 Corporate Blvd  
Reno, NV 89502  
(775) 856-1000  
[http://www.redcross.org/nv/reno](http://www.redcross.org/nv/reno)

**Armed Forces Contacts:**  
(775) 276-0052  
Toll Free: (877) 272-7337

**Southern Nevada Office:**  
1771 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 206-B  
Las Vegas, NV 89119  
(702) 791-3311  
(702) 791-3372 (fax)  
[http://www.redcross.org/nv/las-vegas](http://www.redcross.org/nv/las-vegas)

**American Veterans**  
**National Headquarters:**  
4647 Forbes Blvd.  
Lanham, MD 20706  
Toll Free: (877) 726-8387  
amvets@amvets.org

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Association of the United States Army

National Headquarters:
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Arlington, VA 22201
Toll Free: (800) 336-4570
http://www.ausa.org/Pages/default.aspx
Membersupport@ausa.org

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alan.g.callanan.ctr@mail.mil

Jimmie Johnson
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Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America

National Headquarters:
Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America
8719 Colesville Rd., Suite 100
Silver Spring, MD 20910
(301) 585-4000  Toll Free: (800) 882-1316
(301) 585-0519 (fax)
http://www.avva.org/

Nevada Association:
Association of Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 17, Nevada
6424 W. Cheyenne Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89108
(702) 396-2338
http://www.vva17lasvegas.org/
http://www.forourvets.com/avva/index.html

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vvastatecouncil@aol.com

Major John Sheets
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Blinded Veterans Association
Southern Nevada Regional Group of the Blinded Veterans Association (SNRG-BVA)
Po Box 46272
Las Vegas, NV 89114
http://snrg-bva.org/

Catholic War Veterans of the USA, Inc.

National Headquarters:
Catholic War Veterans of the USA
441 North Lee Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 549-3622  (703) 684-5196 (fax)
www.cwv.org

Nevada Office:
Catholic War Veterans, Post 1947
P.O. Box 751901
Las Vegas, NV 89136-1901
Commander@cwvpost1947.org
http://www.cwvpost1947.org/
Nevada Auxiliary Office:
Catholic War Veterans, Post 1947 Auxiliary
c/o President Keleen McCawley
PO Box 751901
Las Vegas, NV 89136
(702) 686-5666
keleenr@aol.com

Disabled American Veterans
National Headquarters:
Disabled American Veterans
3725 Alexandria Pike
Cold Spring, KY 41076
Toll Free: (877) I AM A VET (877) 426-2838
http://www.dav.org/

National Mailing Address:
Disabled American Veterans
PO Box 14301
Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301

National Legislative Headquarters:
Disabled American Veterans
807 Maine Avenue SW
Washington DC 20024
(202) 554-3501

Disabled American Veterans, Department of Nevada:
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DAV, Chapter 1: Reno
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Reno, NV 89504
(206) 200-1492
http://www.davmembersportal.org/chapters/nv/01/default.aspx

DAV, Chapter 15: Pahrump
PO Box 1852
Pahrump, NV 89041
(813) 997-2781
http://www.davmembersportal.org/chapters/nv/15/default.aspx

DAV, Chapter 13: Sunrise Mountain
6056 Hickorywood Dr.
North Las Vegas, NV 89031
(702) 399-8233
http://www.davmembersportal.org/chapters/nv/13/default.aspx

DAV, Chapter 12: Black Mountain
4096 Crete Ln Apt A
Las Vegas, NV 89103
(702) 367-6241
http://www.davmembersportal.org/chapters/nv/12/default.aspx

DAV, Chapter 7: Carson City
PO Box 861
Carson City, NV 89701
(775) 527-1834
http://www.davmembersportal.org/chapters/nv/07/default.aspx
Reno, Nevada, Regional VA Office
John Hansen - State VSO
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Reno NV 89511
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john.hansen1@va.gov

Fleet Reserve Association
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125 N. West Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 683-1400
www.fra.org
fra@fra.org

Fleet Reserve Association - Ladies Auxiliary:
PO Box 2086
Shingle Springs, CA 95682-2086
(530) 677-3925
http://www.la-fra.org
la-fra.org

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jwv@jwv.org

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frannycake@cox.net
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Korean War Veterans Association
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Charleston, IL 61920-0407
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membership@kwva.org
http://www.kwva.org/

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(703) 207-0047 (fax)

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Military Order of the Cootie
MOC Supreme Headquarters
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controller@bordertowncasinorv.com
http://www.vfwnevada.org/moc--moca.html
Supreme Women’s Auxiliary to the Military Order of the Cootie of the United States
http://www.lotcs.org/MOCA/moca_index.html

Military Order of the Purple Heart
National Headquarters:
Military Order of the Purple Heart Service Foundation
PO Box 49
Annandale, VA 22003
(703) 642-5360  (703) 642-1841(fax)
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(775) 376-4642

Navy League
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2300 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 200
Arlington, VA 22201-5424
(703) 528.1775 Toll free: (800) 356-5760
(703) 528-2333 (fax)
http://navyleague.org

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**Nevada Air National Guard**

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152nd Airlift Wing

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| Billeting          | (775) 788-9321      |
| SFS Control Center | (775) 788-4550      |
| Chaplain           | (775) 788-4651      |
| Equal Opportunity  | (775) 788-4649      |
| Base Operations    | (775) 788-4709      |
| Recruiting         | (775) 788-4543      |
| ID Cards           | (775) 788-4510      |
| Dental             | (775) 788-4514      |
| Services           | (775) 788-4575      |
| Legal              | (775) 788-5911      |
| SARC               | (775) 788-5432      |
| Wing Safety        | Ground: (775) 788-4707 Flight: (775) 788-9448 |

**Civil Engineer:**

(775) 788-4554

**Family Readiness:**

(775) 788-4585

**Public Affairs:**

(775) 788-4515

**National website:** [http://www.goang.com](http://www.goang.com)

**Nevada website:** [http://www.152aw.ang.af.mil](http://www.152aw.ang.af.mil)

**Nevada Army National Guard**

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Donor Hotline: (800) 555-9140
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North Las Vegas, NV 89036

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www.vfw3819.com

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P O Box 4115
Carson City, NV 89702-4115

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Meeting Place: Virginia City NV
Mailing: P O Box 36
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Post 8084 Kermit H. Neddenriep
P O Box 1147
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Post 8583 Carson Valley
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Mailing: P O Box 1745
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Chapter 11
Staying Connected

We hope that you found this services and resources directory helpful. It is Nevada Department of Veterans Services’ initial attempt to identify many of the services, resources, benefits, and opportunities that are available for its service members, veterans, and family members. This directory will grow and change, and we welcome any feedback on how it can be improved.

We also hope that you will consider starting a profile as a service provider, veteran, or community member on the Green Zone Network. This online social networking platform provides the dynamic, ongoing resource directory for all Nevadans, and it will help us identify what resources will be necessary going forward. You can update your information online, and ensure we have the most accurate contact information for your organization represented on the Green Zone Network. The more members of the statewide community who participate, the better it will be.

Finally, whether you are a service member, a veteran, a family member, or a service provider, we thank you for your service. We value what you do for our nation, for our state, and for our communities. We hope that this directory expresses our gratitude.
Dear community partner,

Nevada’s Veteran Resource and Service Directory is a significant step toward increasing service provider coordination, increasing access, and improving service delivery for Nevada’s veterans, service members, and their families. It is only a first attempt, and one that was growing improving in time, but it also provides a firm foundation to build on. We look forward to working with partners like you to ensure that it meets the needs of veterans, family members, and service providers throughout Nevada.

This directory comes from several initiatives aimed at meeting the goal of improving outcomes for military and veteran populations. It was created by Governor Sandoval through an Executive Order signed in support of the “Year of the Veteran” in Nevada, and it features much of the work done under the Green Zone initiative. We hope that you will consider joining the Green Zone Network as a way to better serve Nevada’s veterans throughout the state as well.

Thank you for your service and your support of our nation and our state. We appreciate your feedback and recommendations for improvement as well.

Sincerely,

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