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Veterans Resource Directory

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973-285-6866
hs.morriscountynj.gov/veterans

Who is a Veteran?

Title 38 of the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations defines as:

"a person who served in the active military, naval, or air service and who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable."

This definition explains that any individual that completed a service for any branch of the Armed Forces classifies as a Veteran as long as they were not dishonorably discharged. However, certain programs and benefits may have additional criteria for eligibility.

7 Tips for Veterans

- 1. Make copies of discharge papers and advise family members & caregivers where they can be found.
- 2. Obtain a County Veterans Identity Card at the Office of the Morris County Clerk, https://morriscountyclerk.org/index.php/services/id-cards/.
- 3. Seek information directly from the service provider.
- 4. Not all Veterans are eligible for every benefit.
- 5. Unsure if you're eligible for benefits? Ask! This is what we are here for.
- 6. Already receiving Veteran's benefits and moving? Update your information with VA.gov 800-827-1000.
- 7. For GI Bill Education Benefits, contact the Veterans Representative at the institution you are attending.

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NOTE: The resources listed in this publication are Veteran-specific. There may be additional services available to meet your needs provided by the <u>County of Morris Aging and Disability</u>. Please reference those publications <u>here</u>, <u>https://hs.morriscountynj.gov</u>.

Veterans' Benefits Services

Morris County Office of Veteran Services

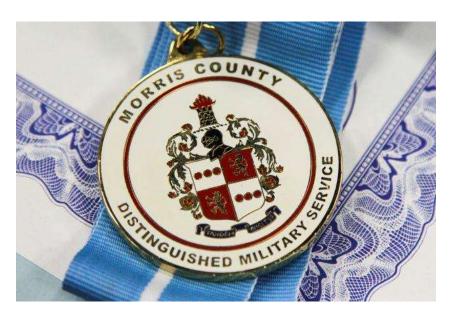
Michael H. Williams Veterans Service Officer 540 W. Hanover Ave. Morristown, NJ 07960 973-285-6866

New Jersey Department of Military and Veteran Affairs

479 W. Clinton St.
Dover Armory
Dover, NJ 07801
973-366-0245

Veterans Benefits Administration

20 Washington Place Newark, NJ 07102 800-827-1000



OFFICE LOCATED AT 540 WEST HANOVER AVENUE, MORRISTOWN, 07960 WWW.MORRISHUMANSERVICES.ORG

Housing Assistance and Emergency Shelter

Catholic Charities

Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF)
Program, provides supportive services to Veterans
with very low income who are literally homeless or
at risk of becoming homeless
212 Slater Street
Paterson, NJ 07501
855-767-8387
https://ccpaterson.org/veterans

Community Hope – Hope for Veterans Programs

leading nonprofit serving homeless veterans and families in New Jersey / Hope for Veterans®
Transitional Housing
959 Route 46 E. Ste. 402
Parsippany, NJ 07054
973-463-9600
https://www.communityhope-nj.org

HUD-VASH

Collaborative program between HUD and VA combines HUD housing vouchers with VA supportive services to help Veterans who are homeless and their families find and sustain permanent housing

877-424-3838

https://www.va.gov/homeless/hud-vash.asp

Family Promise of Morris County

local—partnerships within a city or county that addresses family homelessness right in their own community
P.O. Box 1494
Morristown, NJ 07962
973-998-0820
https://familypromise.org

Operation Home Front

Critical Financial Assistance for food, utilities, home repairs, rent/mortgage payments, Rent-free transitional housing for wounded service members, Transitional Homes for Community Reintegration, Mortgage-free homes, caregiver support program 210-659-7756 https://operationhomefront.org

Market Street Mission

Emergency Shelter. Walk ins welcomed 9 Market Street Morristown, NJ 07960 973-538-0431 https://www.marketstreet.org/what-wedo/emergency-services/

Housing Assistance and Emergency Shelter

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Homeless Solutions, Inc.

Main Shelter, transitional housing, Outreach Programs, Senior housing, housing development 540 W. Hanover Ave., Ste. 100 Morristown, NJ 07960 Dial 211 for Tiering – Use Community Hope while in Tiering System https://homelesssolutions.org

National Call Center for Homeless Veterans

Veterans who are homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness are strongly encouraged to contact the National Call Center for Homeless Veterans 877-424-3838

https://www.va.gov/homeless

Veterans Haven North

ensure that homeless veterans are treated and cared for in a dignified, compassionate, and professional manner so as to reach an optimal level of independence and aid them in re-acquiring the life skills and ability to live in the community while 200 Sanatorium Rd. Ste. 101 Glen Gardner, NJ 08826 908-537-1980

https://www.nj.gov/military/veterans/services/vet shavennorth

Morris Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity's Veterans Build is a national initiative to provide housing solutions and volunteer and employment opportunities to U.S. veterans, military service members and their families.

973-891-1934 x153

https://www.morrishabitat.org/programs/special-builds/veterans-build

Transportation

MAPS / Morris Area Paratransit System

Curb to curb shared ride transportation for M.C. residents. Senior citizens, disabled and Veterans 973-829-8103

https://hs.morriscountynj.gov/adv/maps

Morris County Organization for Hispanic Affairs

Rides to medical appointments for the Morris County Area

973-366-4770 x18

https://www.mcoha.org/transportation-services

LogistiCare

Rides to medical appointments for Medicaid/NJ Family Care holders

866-527-9933

https://nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/home/logisticare.html

Health and Wellness

Zufall Community Health

Adult, Women, Pediatric and Behavior Medicine
Adult and Pediatric Dental
973-328-3344 - Dover Clinic
973-267-0002 - Morristown Clinic
https://www.zufallhealth.org

Zufall Community Health

Mobile Unit serving Morris County with daily mobile locations offering Adult, Women and Pediatric Medical and Dental Services
973-328-3344
https://www.zufallhealth.org/news/events/

Bloomfield Vet Center

Counseling for combat veterans and families
2 Broad St., Ste. 703
Bloomfield, NJ 07003
973-748-0980
https://www.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?ID=943

VA New Jersey Health Care System

Hospital – Eyeglasses, Hearing Aids East Orange Campus 385 Tremont Ave. East Orange, NJ 07018 973-676-1000

https://www.newjersey.va.gov

Morris View VA Clinic

Physical, Occupational & Speech Rehab. Respiratory, Long term, Dementia, Respite Care. Telemedicine 540 W. Hanover Ave. Ste 100 Morristown, NJ 07960 973-539-9791 https://morrisview.com

Zufall Community Health

Education, Nutrition, Fitness, Insurance and Healthy Living Programs 973-998-7310 https://www.zufallhealth.org

Family Connections

Veteran to veteran counseling
395 S. Center St. Orange, NJ 07050
973-675-3817
https://www.familyconnectionsnj.org

Secaucus Vet Center

Counseling for combat veterans and families 110A Meadowlands Pkwy., Ste 102 Secaucus, NJ 07094 201-223-7787

https://www.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?ID=5304

VA New Jersey Health Care System

Hospital – Eyeglasses, Hearing Aids Lyons Campus 151 Knollcroft Rd. Lyons, NJ 07939 908-647-0180

https://www.newjersey.va.gov

Hackensack VA Clinic

Primary Care, Behavioral Health, Labs, Scripts.

Teletretinal and Women's Clinic

385 Prospect Ave. Prospect Plaza 1st Flr.

Hackensack, NJ 07601-2870

https://www.newjersey.va.gov/locations/Hackensack.asp

Health and Wellness

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Paterson VA Clinic

Primary Care, Nutrition, Social Work, Mental Health
11 Getty Ave. DePaul Center Bldg 275
Paterson, NJ 07503-2650
973-247-1666
https://www.newjersey.va.gov/locations/Paterson.asp

Jersey City VA Clinic

Primary Care, Nutrition, Social Work, Mental Health 115 Christopher Columbus Dr. Ste. 201 Jersey City, NJ 07302-3551 201-435-3055

https://www.newjersey.va.gov/locations/JerseyCity.asp

Sussex VA Clinic

Primary Care, telehealth Nutrition, telehealth Social Work, Tele Mental Health 222 High St., Ste 103 Newton, NJ 07860-9604 973-756-1504 https://www.newjersey.va.gov/locations/Sussex.asp

Cornerstone Family Programs

Positive impact resources for children, teens, adults, family, seniors, caregivers and veterans.

80 Washington St.
Morristown, NJ 07960

973-538-5260
https://cornerstonefamilyprograms.org

Women Veterans Health Care

Hotline and Online Chat

https://www.womenshealth.va.gov/WOMENSHEALTH/programoverview/wvcc.asp

State Veteran Long Term Care Facilities

NJ Veterans Memorial Home at Menlo Park

nursing home providing 24/7 quality healthcare 132 Evergreen Rd.

Edison, NJ 08818 732-452-4100

908-647-0180

https://www.nj.gov/military/veterans/memorial-homes/menlo-park

Lyons Campus of the VA New Jersey Health Care System

General Medicine, Psychiatry and Long-Term Care 151 Knollcroft Rd. Lyons, NJ 07939

https://www.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?id=45

NJ Veterans Home at Paramus

Veteran, spouses and Gold Star Parents long term care home

201-634-8200

One Veterans Dr.

Paramus, NJ 07652

https://www.nj.gov/military/veterans/memorial-homes/paramus

Legal Services

Morris County Legal Services

provides free civil legal services to low-income people, seniors, VA Benefits and people living with HIV/AIDS 30 Schuyler Pl. 2nd Flr P.O. Box 900 Morristown, NJ 07963 973-285-6911 https://www.lsnj.org/lsnwj

Morris County Bar Association and Foundation

"We at the Morris County Bar Foundation are grateful for the opportunity to serve our veterans as they have served us," said Stephanie Frangos 245 South St. Morristown, NJ 07960 973-267-6089 https://morriscountybar.com

Volunteer Lawyers for Justice

Variety of legal issues: Education, debt relief, Veterans (but not VA Benefits, see your VSO), Eviction Defense, ReEntry Legal Services, Human Trafficking, Wills and estates
P.O. Box 32040
Newark, NJ 07102
973-645-1955
http://www.vljnj.org

Employment

Morris County Employment and Training Services

Morris/Sussex/Warren Employment and Training Services (ETS) promotes job seeker services in Morris, Sussex and Warren Counties for both adults and youth (ages 16 – 24) by providing unemployed and underemployed workers with information, advice 973-285-6880

https://msw-jobtraining.org

Compensated Work Therapy

computer education, supported employment, work therapy, housing assistance
13 Emery Ave. Randolph, NJ 07869
908-647-0180 x4488

https://www.va.gov/HEALTH/cwt/employers.asp

NJ Dept. of Labor & Workforce Development

Career Programs, Grants, Bonding, H2B, Youth Corps, Skills, Smart STEPS, Trade Assistance, OJT, Education
13 Emery Ave. Randolph, NJ 07869
862-397-5600

https://nj.gov/labor/programs/workforce programs index.html

Newark PRRC

computer education, supported employment, work therapy, housing assistance
20 Washington PI Rm 329
Newark, NJ 07102
973-645-3042

https://www.newjersey.va.gov/services/Mental Health Directory.asp

NJ Community College Consortium

Ready to Work New Jersey, provides training and job-development services, as well as on-the-job training, for the long-term unemployed and underemployed in New Jersey and matches them with employers who need their skills. The program gives
330 W. State St.
Trenton, NJ 08618
609-392-3434
https://njworkforce.org

NPower

provides free training to young adults, minorities and military veterans in Newark 33 Washington St. Newark, NJ 07102 862-387-9770 https://www.npower.org/locations/new-jersey **Job Corp Center**

no-cost education and career technical training program administered by the U.S. Department of Laborthat helps young people ages 16 to 24 improve the quality of their lives through career technical and academic training.

33 Washington St. Newark, NJ 07102 732-985-4800

https://www.jobcorps.gov

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973-891-1934 x153

https://www.morrishabitat.org/programs/special-builds/veterans-build

Nutrition

Market Street Mission

Community Soup Kitchen 973-538-0431 36 South St. Morristown, NJ 07960

https://www.marketstreet.org

Faith Kitchen

Community Soup Kitchen 973-219-7560 123 E. Blackwell St. Dover, NJ 07801 https://faithkitchendover.org

Meals on Wheels

Meals delivered to homebound 973-532-2706 https://morristownmeals-on-wheels.org **Spring Street CDC**

Mobile Soup Kitchen 973-998-9330

https://springstreetcdc.org/table-of-hope

Hope House

Food Pantry 973-361-5555 101-103 Bassett Highway Dover, NJ 07801 https://ccpaterson.org/hopehouse

Interfaith Food Pantry

Food Pantry as well as Mobile Food Pantry, Home Delivery, Nutrition, self sufficiency and educational programs 2 Executive Drive Morris Plains, NJ 07950 http://mcifp.org

Supportive Services

Pets for Vets

Emotional Support Dogs 267-559-0018 https://petsforvets.com

Vets Chat N Chew

Nutritional and emotional support programs 973-219-7560 2460 Lemoine Ave. Ste 400 Fort Lee NJ 07024 http://www.vetschatandchew.com

NJVet2Vet

24hr hotline, online chat, texting and email 866-838-7654 https://www.njvet2vet.com

Welcome Home Veterans of NJ

Housing assistance, employment, Medical assistance, Legal Assistance 973-403-1100 https://welcomehomevetsofnj.org

Take the Reins

Free for all veterans/service members. Emotional support and stress reduction with horse therapy 908-439-9636
83 Old Turnpike Rd.
PO Box 305
Oldwick, NJ 08858
https://www.manestreamnj.org/take-the-reins

TADSAW INC

'Train a Dog - Save a Warrior' program

Participant Trained Service Dog

"Fighting Fire with Fire"

Medical Alert Service Dog Training

ALL VETERANS LIVES MATTER!!

https://www.tadsaw.org

Bart Sherwood

Program Director

(210) 643-2901 - for additional info

Trenton High School - Class of 1967!!!

Identification Cards

Morris County Clerk

Veteran's ID Cards to provide an additional form of I.D. as well as discounts at businesses that honor MIL/Vet discounts.

973-285-6130
10 Court Street
Morristown, NJ 07963
https://morriscountyclerk.org/index.php/services/veterans/

Motor Vehicle Commission

MVC began issuing a permanent imprinted veteran designation on driver licenses and non-driver ID cards. You may request your permanent imprinted veteran designation driver license or non-driver ID card. Documents need for I.D.:

https://www.state.nj.us/mvc/drivertopics/vetdesignation.htm

The Make an Appointment:

https://telegov.njportal.com/njmvc