



# STATE OF TENNESSEE

## Veterans Resource Guide 2025 Edition

This guide is meant as a overview of veteran programs, organizations and support for Active Military, Veterans and their Families in the State of Tennessee.



# TN STATE VETERANS RESOURCE GUIDE

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# DEDICATION

This Guide is dedicated to the men and women and their families of Tennessee who are serving, and have served our nation.

Some have long gone, some are suffering, some are lost, but the Departments and Organizations in this guide are here for them to help them continue their mission, be found, and help their families as they adjust to life after service.

*“Some gave all. All gave some.”*

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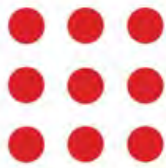
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# Veterans Crisis Line

**DIAL 988 then PRESS 1**



Veterans Crisis Line 24/7, confidential crisis support

<https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/>

Dial 988 then Press 1

Text 838255

**National Veterans Homeless Hotline: 1.877.424.3838**

**VET Talk LINE 24/7: 1.855.838.8255**

**National Caregiver Support Line: 1.855.260.3274**

## **COMBAT CALL CENTER**

Help veterans and their family with referrals to available VA services, benefits, readjusting counseling and outreach services

<https://www.vets.gov/facilities/facility/vc-0724V>

1.877.927.8387

## **American Foundation for Suicide Prevention**

P.O. Box 682666, Franklin, TN 37086

<https://afsp.org/chapter/afsp-tennessee/middletn@afsp.org>

615.393.4742



*"Saving Lives in Tennessee"*

## **Tennessee Suicide Prevention Network**

<https://www.tspn.org>

For Service Members, Veterans, and their Families:

<https://www.tspn.org/military-personnel>



**#yourstoryisntover #youmatter**



# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



VA Regional Office (Nashville): 1.800.827.1000  
VA Health Connect: 833.940.1625  
Mental health Care: 615.225.3600

"To fulfill President Lincoln's promise to care for those who have served in our nation's military and for their families, caregivers, and survivors"

## Nashville:

1310 24<sup>th</sup> Ave South  
Nashville, TN 37212-2637  
[Get directions on Google Maps](#)  
Main Phone: 615.327.4751  
<https://www.va.gov/tennessee-valley-health-care/>

## Murfreesboro:

Alvin C. York  
VA Medical Center  
3400 Lebanon Pike  
Murfreesboro, TN 37129-1237  
[Get directions on Google Maps](#)  
Main Phone: 615.867.6000  
<https://www.va.gov/tennessee-valley-health-care/>

## Memphis:

Lt. Col. Luke Weathers, Jr.  
VA Medical Center  
116 North Pauline Street  
Memphis, TN 38105  
[Get directions on Google Maps](#)  
Main Phone: 901.523.8990  
<https://www.va.gov/memphis-health-care/>

## Mountain Home:

James H. Quillen  
VA Medical Center  
Corner of Lamont Street and Veterans Way  
Mountain Home, TN 37684  
[Get directions on Google Maps](#)  
Main Phone: 423.926.1171  
<https://www.va.gov/mountain-home-health-care/>

Veterans Administration: <https://www.va.gov>

MyHealthyVet: <https://www.myhealth.va.gov/mhv-portal-web/home>

VA Community Care: <https://www.va.gov/COMMUNITYCARE/>



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# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

**Albion Street Clinic:**

1818 Albion St, Suite 114  
Nashville, TN 37208  
615.225.3600

**Athens:**

1320 Decatur Pike  
Athens, TN 37303  
423.746.1410

**Charlotte Ave Clinic:**

1919 Charlotte Ave Suite 100  
Nashville, TN 37203  
6105.225.3600

**Chattanooga:**

6401 Shallowford Road  
Chattanooga, TN 37421  
423.893.6500

**Dalton Drive Clinic:**

2292 Dalton Drive, Suite F  
Clarksville, TN 37043  
931.503.1111

**Dover:**

1406 Donelson Parkway  
Dover, TN 37058  
931.232.5329

**Dyersburg:**

1067 Vandall Rd  
Dyersburg, TN 38024  
731.287.7289

**Ft. Campbell:**

650 Joel Drive, Blanchfield Army  
Community Hospital  
Ft. Campbell, KY 42223  
270.798.4118

**Gallatin:**

419 Steam Plant Road  
Gallatin, TN 37066  
615.230.4600

**Glenis Drive Clinic:**

260 Glenis Drive, Liberty Square  
Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
615.225.6333

**Harriman:**

2305 N Gateway Ave Suite 2  
Harriman, TN 37748  
865.882.2010

**International Plaza Drive:**

2 International Plaza Drive, Suite 300  
Nashville, TN 37217  
615.367.5928

**Jackson:**

180 Old Hickory Blvd #A  
Jackson, TN 38305  
731.661.2750

**Knoxville:**

William C. Tallent VA Outpatient Clinic  
8033 Ray Mears Blvd  
Knoxville, TN 37919





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

**LaFollette:**

130 Independence Ln  
LaFollette, TN 37766  
423.563.7666

**Maury County:**

800 S. James Campbell Blvd, Suite 100  
Columbia, TN 38401  
931.981.6930

**McMinnville:**

1410 Sparta Street, Three Star Mall, Suite 6  
McMinnville, TN 37110  
931.474.7700

**Memphis North:**

3461 Austin Peay Hwy  
Memphis, TN 38128  
901.261.4500

**Memphis South:**

1689 Nonconnah Blvd  
Memphis, TN 38132  
901.271.4900

**Morristown:**

925 E. Morris Blvd  
Morristown, TN 37813  
423.586.9100

**Pointe Centre Clinic:**

1208 Pointe Centre Suite 100  
Chattanooga, TN 37421  
423.893.6500

**Savannah:**

70 Harbert Dr. N  
Savannah, TN 38372  
731.727.8390

**Sevierville:**

1124 Blanton Dr. Suite 100  
Sevierville, TN 37862  
865.286.6950

**Tullahoma:**

225 Von Karman Road  
Arnold Air Force Base, TN 37389  
931.454.6185

**MANAGE YOUR VA BENEFITS**

This link is to find forms, apply for benefits,  
manage your information @ [VA.GOV](https://www.va.gov)





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## VA Transportation

<https://www.va.gov/tennessee-valley-health-care/dav-vans-transportation-for-veterans/>

### DAV vans: Transportation for Veterans

The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) provides free van rides to and from Nashville VA Medical Center health care facilities to Veterans who don't have other transportation options. Find out how to schedule a DAV van ride.

On this page

[About DAV services](#)

[Arrange a ride](#)

[Other Veteran shuttle services](#)

[Local transportation options](#)

[Guidelines for using DAV vans](#)

### About DAV services

DAV van resources work with county Veterans Affairs directors to provide transportation for Veterans to and from Veteran health care centers for scheduled medical appointments.

### Arrange a ride

If you'd like to schedule a DAV van ride, contact the hospital service coordinator who serves your county.

### Monica D. Davison

Nashville VA Medical Center  
Room G114

1310 24th Avenue South  
Nashville, Tennessee 37212-2637

Phone: [615-873-7090](tel:615-873-7090)

Please note that DAV vans can only provide rides to ambulatory passengers (passengers who are able to move around without the driver's help). For information on accessible transportation options, review our other Veteran shuttle services.





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## VA Transportation

<https://www.va.gov/tennessee-valley-health-care/dav-vans-transportation-for-veterans/>

### Other Veteran shuttle services

#### **Veteran Transportation Service** [Veteran Transportation Service](#)

Other Veteran-specific transportation services, including buses, shuttles, and wheelchair-accessible transport, are available to patients. Please contact these providers directly to schedule a ride.

#### **Contact:**

Charles Adefope

Email: [Charles.Adefope@va.gov](mailto:Charles.Adefope@va.gov)

Phone: [615-225-5527](tel:615-225-5527)

#### **Alternate Contact:**

Keith Priest

Email: [Keith.Priest@va.gov](mailto:Keith.Priest@va.gov)

Phone: [615-225-5617](tel:615-225-5617)

### Tennessee Valley Healthcare System (626)

3400 Lebanon Pike, Murfreesboro,  
TN 37129

615-867-6000

[website](#)

Schedule a ride at [www.vetride.va.gov/](http://www.vetride.va.gov/)

#### Contact:

**Chris Dawson**

[Christopher.Dawson@va.gov](mailto:Christopher.Dawson@va.gov)

615-225-5617

#### Mountain Home VAMC/Johnson City (621)

Corner of Lamont Street and Veterans Way  
Mountain Home, TN 37684

423-926-1171

[website](#)

Schedule a ride at [www.vetride.va.gov/](http://www.vetride.va.gov/)

#### Contact:

**Abel C. Cusatti**

[Abel.Cusatti@va.gov](mailto:Abel.Cusatti@va.gov)

423-926-1171 ext. 4438

#### Lt. Col. Luke Weathers, Jr. VA Medical Center (614)

116 N Pauline St, Memphis, TN 38104

901-523-8990

[website](#)

Schedule a ride at [www.vetride.va.gov/](http://www.vetride.va.gov/)

#### Contact:

**Latonia Campbell**

[Latonia.Campbell@va.gov](mailto:Latonia.Campbell@va.gov)

901-523-8990 ext. 15156

### Local transportation options

Many medical centers and clinics are also served by other local transportation services. To find those, review the transportation services information for [the facility you want to visit](#).





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## VA Transportation

<https://www.va.gov/tennessee-valley-health-care/dav-vans-transportation-for-veterans/>

### Guidelines for using DAV vans

- DAV van passengers are expected to follow certain guidelines, established by the Department of Veterans Affairs and the DAV National Headquarters. These guidelines include the following:
- All riders must be ambulatory (able to board and exit the van without the driver's help).
- The DAV van driver is only allowed to stop the van for rest stops, emergencies, and to pick up and drop off passengers. Passengers should not ask the driver to make side trips to take care of their personal business.
- Passengers are not permitted to smoke, chew tobacco, drink alcohol, use foul language, or bring weapons, drugs, or any illegal substance on the van. Van drivers are not required to provide transportation to any Veteran who is intoxicated, abusive, or who poses a threat to the driver or other passengers.
- Passengers should not do anything to distract the driver.
- Passengers should wear seatbelts at all times. Any passenger who refuses to wear a seatbelt will be denied transportation.
- If a Veteran needs another individual (for example, a caregiver) to ride in the van with them, they need to get authorization from their VA attending physician or VA-certified nurse practitioner.
- Veterans being discharged or granted passes can ride on a DAV van during the van's trip back to its home county only if space is available. The Veteran must be ready to leave when the van leaves the VA medical center.
- Veterans should be dressed and ready to leave for the hospital at the time specified. Drivers can't wait for Veterans who aren't ready to leave at the appointed time.
- Veterans can only bring with them items that they can hold on their lap or store under the seat.
- The DAV van is not an emergency vehicle. The driver may refuse to transport any Veteran who appears to be too ill to ride the van.
- Veterans who use the DAV Transportation Network will not be eligible to receive reimbursement for travel expenses.  
(M-1, Part 1, Chapter 25, July 8, 1991)



# VET CENTER

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## Connection . Camaraderie. Community

### Chattanooga:

1300 Premier Drive, Suite 180

Chattanooga, TN 37421

<https://www.va.gov/chattanooga-vet-center/>

423.855.6570

### Knoxville:

1645 Downtown West Blvd.

Suite 28

Knoxville, TN 37919

<https://www.va.gov/knoxville-vet-center/>

865.633.0000

### Clarksville/Nashville:

2501 McGavock Pike

Nashville, TN 37214

<https://www.va.gov/nashville-vet-center/>

615.883.2333

### Memphis:

2605 Nonconnah Blvd Suite 160

Memphis, TN 38132

<https://www.va.gov/memphis-vet-center/>

901.522.3950

### Johnson City:

154 West Springbrook Drive

Johnson City, TN 37040

<https://www.va.gov/johnson-city-vet-center/>

423.928.8387



#connectioncamaraderiecommunity



Representatives in Congress and the Senate are committed to assisting veterans.

Here is how their offices can help you:



## District Offices:

### Veterans' Affairs:

- **VA Benefits:** Assistance with accessing and understanding your VA benefits, including health care, disability compensation, and education benefits.
- **Military Records:** Help in obtaining or correcting military records, such as DD214s.
- **VA Claims:** Support with filing or expediting VA claims and appeals.

### Assistance with Federal Agencies:

- **Social Security:** Help with Social Security benefits, including retirement, disability, and survivor benefits.
- **Medicare:** Assistance with Medicare issues, such as enrollment, coverage disputes, or understanding your options.
- **IRS:** Guidance on resolving tax issues, obtaining tax refunds, and dealing with the IRS.

### Help for Active Duty Service Members:

- **Deployment Issues:** Assistance with deployment-related concerns or problems with your military service
- **Benefits:** Help navigating benefits available to active-duty members, including family support programs.

### Passport Services:

- **Expedited Passport Processing:** Assistance with Urgent passport requests and renewals.
- **Lost Passports:** Help with replacing lost or stolen passports.

## Washington D.C. Office:

**Legislation Tracking:** Information on current bills and votes, as well as the representatives positions on key issues.

**Policy Inquires:** Answers to questions about federal policy and the legislative process.

**Flag Requests: U.S. Flags:** Order a U.S. flag flown over the Capital in honor of a special occasion. This service includes a certificate of authenticity.

**Capital Tours:** Assistance with arranging tours of the U.S. Capital and other federal landmarks.



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List of Representatives in Congress  
that are committed to assisting veterans.

<https://www.house.gov>



## Representatives:

Tennessee District 1

**Diana Harshbarger:**

<https://harshbarger.house.gov>

### Morristown District Office

1501 E. Morris Blvd., Suite 12  
Morristown, TN 37813  
423.254.1400

### Kingsport District Office:

205 Revere Street  
Kingsport, TN 37660  
423.398.5186

### Washington DC Office:

167 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.6356

Tennessee District 2

**Tim Burchett:**

<https://burchett.house.gov>

### Knoxville District Office

800 Market Street, Suite 110  
Knoxville, TN 37902  
865.523.3772

### Maryville District Office:

331 Court Street  
Maryville, TN 37804  
865.984.5464

### Washington DC Office:

1122 Longworth HOB  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.5435

Tennessee District 3

**Chuck Fleischmann**

<https://fleischmann.house.gov>

### Athens District Office

6 Madison Ave  
Athens, TN 37303  
423.745.4671

### Chattanooga District Office:

900 Georgia Ave, Suite 126  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
423.756.2342

### Oak Ridge District Office:

200 Administration Rd. Suite 100  
Oak Ridge, TN 37830  
865.576.1976

### Washington DC Office:

2187 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.3271

Tennessee District 4

**Scott Desjarlais:**

<https://desjarlais.house.gov>

### Murfreesboro District Office

1500 Medical Center Parkway  
Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
615.896.1986







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<https://www.house.gov>



**Winchester District Office**

200 South Jefferson St.  
Federal Building Suite 311  
Winchester, TN 37398  
931.962.3180

**Washington DC Office:**

2304 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.6831

Tennessee District 5

**Andy Ogles:**

<https://ogles.house.gov>

**Columbia District Office**

22 Public Square, Suite 5  
Columbia, TN 38401  
931.777.2140

**Washington DC Office:**

151 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.4311

Tennessee District 6

**John Rose:**

<https://johnrose.house.gov>

**Cookeville District Office**

321 East Spring Street, Suite 306  
Cookeville, TN 38501  
931.854.9430

**Gallatin District Office**

355 North Belvedere Drive, Suite 308  
Gallatin, TN 37066  
615.206.8204

**Washington DC Office:**

2238 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.6887

Tennessee District 7

**Dr. Mark Green:**

<https://markgreen.house.gov>

**Clarksville District Office**

128 N. Second St, Suite 104  
Clarksville, TN 37040  
931.226.4483

**Franklin District Office**

305 Public Square, Suite 212  
Franklin, TN 37064  
629.223.6050

**Nashville District Office**

801 Broadway, Suite C 507  
Nashville, TN 37203  
629.999.4950

**Washington DC Office:**

2446 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.2811





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<https://www.house.gov>



**Tennessee District 8**

**David Kustoff:**

<https://kustoff.house.gov>

**Memphis District Office**

5900 Poplar Ave, Suite 202  
Memphis, TN 38119  
202.225.4714

**Jackson District Office**

Ed Jones Federal Building  
109 S. Highland Ave Suite B-7  
Jackson, TN 38301  
731.423.4848

**Martin District Office**

242 South Lindell Street  
Martin, TN 38237  
731.412.1043

**Washington DC Office**

560 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.4714

**Tennessee District 9**

**Steve Cohen:**

<https://cohen.house.gov>

**Memphis District Office**

The Odell Horton Federal Building  
167 North Main Street, Suite 369  
Memphis TN, 38103  
901.554.4131

**Washington DC Office:**

2268 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515  
202.225.3265

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON  
**VETERANS**  
**AFFAIRS**

<https://veterans.house.gov>





List of the Senators from Tennessee  
that are committed to assisting veterans.

<https://www.senate.gov>



**Marsha Blackburn:**

<https://www.blackburn.senate.gov>

**Memphis Office**

100 Peabody Place, Suite 1125  
Memphis, TN 38103  
901.527.9199

**Jackson Office**

109 S. Highland Ave, Suite 218  
Jackson, TN 38301  
731.660.3971

**Nashville Office**

719 Church Street, Suite 2100  
Nashville, TN 37203  
629.800.6600

**Chattanooga Office**

10 West M. L. King Blvd, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
423.541.2939

**Knoxville Office:**

800 Market Street, Suite 121  
Knoxville, TN 37902  
865.540.3781

**Tri-Cities Office**

207 Mocking Bird Ln, Suite 502  
Johnson City, 37604  
423.753.4009

**Washington DC Office**

357 Dirksen Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510  
202.224.3344

**Bill Hagerty:**

<https://www.hagerty.senate.gov>

**Memphis Office**

Clifford Davis-Odell Horton Federal Building  
167 North Main Street, Suite 1068  
Memphis, TN 38103

**Jackson Office**

719 Church Street, Suite 2100  
Nashville, TN 37203  
629.800.6600

**Chattanooga Office**

Ed Jones Federal Building  
109 S. Highland Ave, Suite 216  
Jackson, TN 38301  
731.234.9358

**Nashville Office**

719 Church St, Suite 2150  
Nashville, TN 37203  
615.736.5129

**Cookeville Office**

L. Clure Morton Federal Building  
9 E. Broad St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Cookeville, TN 38503  
931.400.7080

**Chattanooga Office**

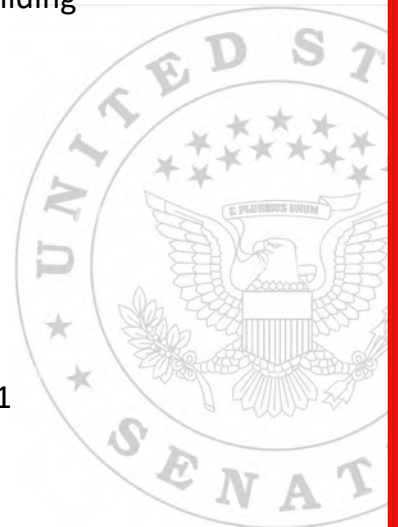
900 Georgia Ave, Suite 260  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
423.752.5337

**Tri-Cities Office**

Tri-Cities Regional Airport  
2525 Highway 75, Suite 101  
Blountville, TN 37617  
423.325.6240

**Washington DC Office**

Russell Senate Office Building Room 251  
Washington, DC 20002  
202.224.4944





<https://www.tn.gov>  
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## GOVERNOR State of Tennessee

### Bill Lee

**State Capitol, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
600 Dr. Martin L. King Jr. Blvd  
Nashville, TN 37243  
615.741.2001**

## Tennessee GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### Governor's Veteran Fellowship

The Tennessee Governor's Veteran Fellowship is a one-year fellowship that provides an opportunity for our nation's veterans to rapidly transition into state government leaders following military service.

To find your local legislators or track legislation go to:  
<https://wapp.capitol.tn.gov/Apps/fml2022/search.aspx>

Tennessee is fortunate to have many public servants already working hard to make Tennessee a great place to live, work, and raise a family. This fellowship recruits transitioning military service members to work in Customer Focused Government and alongside the state's executive leaders. Veteran Fellows gain project management experience and directly contribute to the continued improvement of Tennessee State Government.

It is an exciting time in Tennessee, and we hope you'll consider applying to serve this great state.

If you have additional questions, please email [veteran.fellowship@tn.gov](mailto:veteran.fellowship@tn.gov).





# Department of Veterans Services



Commissioner  
Veterans Services  
Tommy H. Baker

## Mission

Our mission is to serve veterans of all eras through passionate advocacy, informative outreach, and an honorable final resting place.

## Helpful Links:

### **Commissioner:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/commissioner.html>

### **Mission:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/mission.html>

### **Leadership:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/leadership.html>

### **HONOR GUARD GRANT PROGRAM (HGGP)**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/hggp.html>

### **TDVS Events:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/department-events.html>

### **Learning and Development Division:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/learning---development-division.html>

### **Veteran Inquiry:**

[https://help.tn.gov/tn\\_public?id=catalog\\_item\\_public&sys\\_id=ae9d56f813d827401415dc128144b00c](https://help.tn.gov/tn_public?id=catalog_item_public&sys_id=ae9d56f813d827401415dc128144b00c)

### **Veteran Ready Business:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/vrbp.html>

### **Get involved:**

<https://www.tn.gov/tema/get-involved.html>



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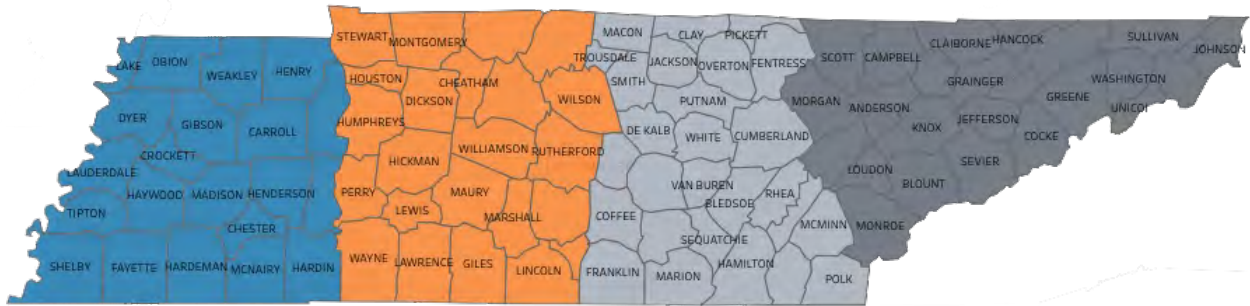


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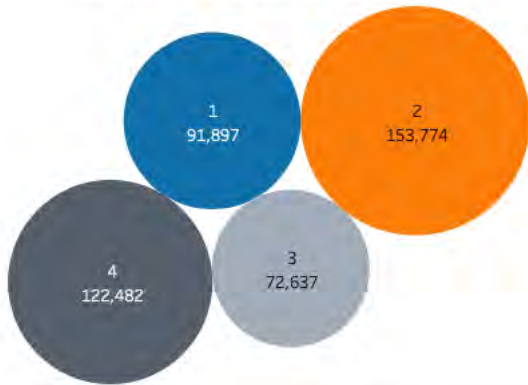
## Veteran Population and Services by Region

### State Veterans Service Officers are divided into 4 Regions

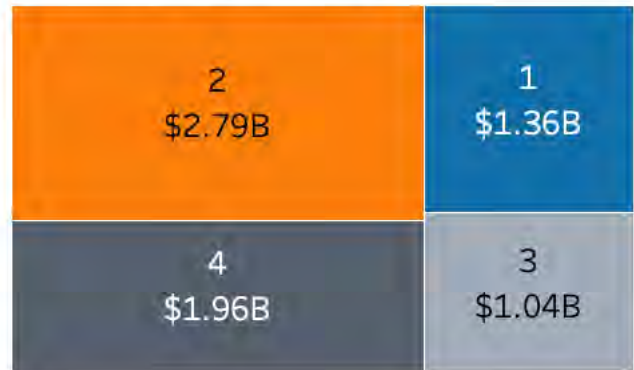
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Veteran Population Per Region



VA Expenditures per Region



# TENNESSEE VETERAN SERVICES

## Our Mission

To advise Veterans and their families within our Counties of all rights, privileges, and benefits to which they may be entitled.

## Services

Veteran Service Officers are employees of the County, where the office is located, who are trained and certified through various Veteran Service Organizations, the TN Department of Veterans Services and the US Department of Veterans Affairs. We are here to assist Veterans in navigating the VA system and in applying for a variety of Veterans' benefits and entitlements as well as any State benefits and Community resources that may be available to the individual, which include, but are not limited to:

- Disability compensation or pension
- Dependent and survivor benefits
- Burial benefits / burial pre-registration
- Healthcare options
- GI Bill and Education entitlement
- Vocational rehabilitation
- VA appeals process and representation
- Obtaining military service and discharge records
- State of TN benefits
- Community Resources

## Who Do We Serve?

Out of the 95 counties in TN, over 90 of them employ a Veterans Service Officer. Each county is responsible for assisting the Veterans in their jurisdiction. Each County Service Office will assist any Veterans, surviving spouses or eligible dependents who live, work, attend school, or are justice-involved in that County.

You can search for your local  
[COUNTY SERVICE OFFICER HERE:](#)



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## Mental Health Resources



### **Veterans Crisis Line:**

The Veterans Crisis Line is administered by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs and is a confidential resource for Veterans and their families.

You can call, chat or text at:

Online Chat: [VeteransCrisisLine.net](https://www.VeteransCrisisLine.net)

Text: 838255

Call: 988 then Press 1

### **Coaching Into Care:**

[Coaching Into Care](#) is a national telephone-based support service for family members and others who want to help reluctant Veterans access their VA health care benefits, particularly for mental health issues.

Call: 888-923-7458

### **TN Statewide Crisis Phone Line:**

The TN Crisis Line is a 24/7 call service that assists with mental health crises and emergencies. This is a free service. For more information, visit the [TN Statewide Crisis Phone Line](#) website.

Call: 855-CRISIS-1 or 855-274-7471

### **Make the Connection:**

Hear stories from other Veterans, and find resources that can help. Visit [Make the Connection | Videos & Info for Military Veterans](#).





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## Tennessee Treatment Courts VETERANS COURT

Veterans treatment courts are hybrid drug and mental health courts that use the recovery drug court model to serve veterans struggling with addiction, serious mental illness and/or co-occurring disorders. They promote sobriety, recovery and stability through a coordinated response that involves cooperation and collaboration with the traditional partners found in drug and mental health courts, with the addition of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs health care networks, the Veterans' Benefits Administration, volunteer veteran mentors and veterans and veterans' family support organizations. The veterans treatment court model uses volunteer veteran mentors and veterans' family support organizations to help defendants engage in treatment and counseling, as well as partners with local Veterans Affairs offices to ensure that participants receive proper benefits.



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### Admission Into Veterans Court

Tennessee's six Veterans Treatment Courts are located in Blount, Davidson, Knox, Montgomery, Shelby and Williamson Counties. Although each operates a little differently, the process of connecting Veterans with the program is similar. Once someone is bonded, they are asked if they served in the military. If they answer yes, they are flagged and sent to the admissions director. When that Veteran is appointed a lawyer, the lawyer can contact the court if there is interest in joining the program. The Veteran's lawyer fills out the admissions request, then the court accesses the Veteran's discharge papers. If everything checks out, a request to enter Veterans Court is sent to the state prosecutor for review. The state prosecutor contacts the victim(s) to ask how they feel about this Veteran participating in Veterans Treatment Court. A victim's response does not control the outcome, but can be persuasive. Once approved, the Veteran is given a contract to sign.

### A Focused Approach

The focus of Veterans Treatment Court is treatment and rehabilitation, not punishment.

Veterans Treatment Court is a hands-on program that involves clinical treatment, as well as Moral Recognition Treatment (MRT). MRT is an evidence-based treatment curriculum that involves weekly workbook assignments. Williamson County Case Manager Tracy McKinney assists Veterans with MRT every week, as well as being available whenever the need arises.

### Housing Crisis A Widespread Problem

Another way the Veterans Treatment Court staff wishes they could help is with housing. A lack of suitable housing for Veterans is the biggest challenge for the majority of Tennessee's Veterans Courts. Shelby County VTC Director Easter is currently working to obtain funding for housing for female Veterans, a population he said is vastly underserved.

### Personal and Program Success

Despite the funding struggles, it is rewarding when a Veteran puts in the hard work and graduates from the program a changed person. Veterans Treatment Court staff often hear from these Veterans long after they leave the program. What they hear often reminds them that their work matters.



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## Certified Peer Recovery Specialist Program

If you've ever heard the expression "Walk a mile in my shoes," you know the essence of peer support services. Peer support empowers people living with behavioral health challenges to receive help from someone who's "been there." By sharing their experiences, strengths, knowledge, and hope, Tennessee's Certified Peer Recovery Specialists deliver this evidence-based practice in a method that conveys mutual respect and personal responsibility. [Click this link or the image below to learn more about peer recovery services in Tennessee.](#)

Tennessee's Certified Peer Recovery Specialist program provides State certification for individuals who provide direct peer-to-peer support services to others who have mental illness, substance abuse, or co-occurring disorders. [Visit the new home for all of Tennessee's Certified Peer programs: cadre.tn.gov](#)

### What is a Certified Peer Recovery Specialist?

A Certified Peer Recovery Specialist (CPRS) is a person who has lived experience of a mental illness, substance use disorder or co-occurring disorder, who has made the journey from illness to wellness, and who now wishes to help others.

<https://www.tn.gov/behavioral-health/cprs/what-is-a-cprs.html>

### CADRE

CADRE is the new portal for all things related to the 3 peer support certifications in Tennessee. CADRE stands for Career Development for Peer Recovery Specialists. Click the link to go to the CADRE homepage.

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### CPRS Stories

Learn how Certified Peer Recovery Specialists in Tennessee are putting their lived experience and their certification to work to help improve the lives of others.

<https://www.tn.gov/behavioral-health/cprs/stories.html>

### For More Information

To learn more about the Certified Peer Recovery Specialist program, please contact:

Michelle Webster  
Peer Recovery Coordinator  
615-347-3262  
[CPRS.TDMHSAS@tn.gov](mailto:CPRS.TDMHSAS@tn.gov)



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# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## Request your military service records (including DD214)

### Types of information you can get:

#### You can request your military service records to get information like this:

- Your character of discharge (from your DD214 or other separation documents)
- Your duty stations and assignments
- Your medals and decorations (awards)
- Your qualifications, licenses, and certificates

#### How to request your records from the National Archives:

- You can request records from the National Archives online, by mail, or by fax.
- **Note:** If you're submitting an application for VA benefits, we'll request your DD214 for you when we receive your application. You don't need to do this yourself through the National Archives.
- **Option 1: Request your records online**
- You can request your military service records online using the National Archives' eVetRecs tool. When you get to eVetRecs, select **Make a new request**.
- [Request your records using eVetRecs on the National Archives website](#)
- **Note:** You'll receive an email letting you know that we've received your request.
- **Option 2: Fill out the National Archive's request form (to mail or fax)**
- Fill out a Request Pertaining to Military Records (Standard Form 180).
- [Get Standard Form 180 to download](#)

- Mail or fax your completed form to the appropriate address or fax number listed on the last page of the form. To find the right address or fax number for you, you'll need to use the first chart on that page to find your branch of service, separation date, and type of record.

### More records information

- [Reconstruct military records destroyed in NPRC fire](#)
- Find out if your records may have been destroyed in the 1973 fire at the National Personnel Records Center (NPRC) in St. Louis and how to reconstruct your records to support a VA disability compensation claim.
- [Get your VA medical records online](#)
- Set up your personal health record, and download medical records, reports, and images to share with your VA and non-VA doctors.
- [Change your address in your VA.gov profile](#)
- Find out how to change your address and other contact information in your VA.gov profile. This will update your information across several benefits and services.
- [Get Veteran ID cards](#)
- Find out which Veteran ID cards you may need, and how to request them.
- [Download your VA benefit letters](#)
- Download copies of letters, like your award letter, for certain benefits.
- [Learn how to apply for a discharge upgrade](#)
- Answer a series of questions to get step-by-step instructions on how to apply for a discharge upgrade or correction. If your discharge gets upgraded, you'll be eligible for the VA benefits you earned during your period of service.







# Department of Defence Military Benefits

## Deers / ID Card / CAC Office

<https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/>

### Arnold AFB

Pass and Registration - FSS-MS2500  
1110 Von Karman Road  
Visitor Center  
ARNOLD AFB, TN 37389  
(931) 454-5453

### USACE, MEMPHIS (CAC ONLY)

USACE CEMVM Corps of Engineers  
167 North Main St.  
MEMPHIS, TN 38103  
(901) 544-0715

### Ft. Campbell 101st Division Sustainment Brigade

DSB BRIGADE S1 CAC FACILITY  
6739 Airborne Street  
FORT CAMPBELL, KY 42223  
(270) 412-0000

### NRC CHATTANOOGA

4051 AMNICOLA HIGHWAY  
CHATTANOOGA, TN 37406  
(423) 698-8955

## Military ID Cards



**Army National Guard Armory Knoxville TN**  
HQ, 278TH ACR  
3330 Sutherland Ave.  
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919  
(865) 582-3277

You can find additional locations here  
Site Locator & Appointments:

<https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/locator>

### *Finance:*

888.332.7411

<https://www.dfas.mil>

### *Retired Military & Annuitants*

800.321.1080

<https://www.dfas.mil/retiredmilitary/>





## State Retired ID Cards

After completing 20 years of **creditable service** (M-day) in the National Guard, you will receive a **20-year Notification of Eligibility for Retired Pay** letter. This letter will qualify you for retirement pay and Tricare Standard insurance on the day you turn 60 years old. Once pay activates, you will receive it every month (direct deposit) for the rest of your life. However, **obtaining retirement pay is not an automatic process** – you must submit a request along with supporting documents to receive your retirement pay.

### **For Retiring Soldiers:**

Soldiers are encouraged to apply for their retirement pay, 12 months from retirement. Some Soldiers may even qualify for an Early-Age Drop retirement under the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.. Soldiers can submit the retirement packet themselves, or contact the Retirement Services Officer (RSO) who will submit the packet for you to Human Resource Command (HRC).

### **The following documents are needed:**

- DD Form 2656 (Data for Payment or Retired Personnel)
- DD Form 108 (Application for Retired Pay Benefits)
- NGB 23 D (Notification of Eligibility for Retired Pay (20-year letter) or 15 year letter)
- DD Form 1883 or DD Form 2656-5 (Survivor's Benefits Election Certificate)
- Separation Order from the National Guard
- NGB 23 (Retirement Points History Statement) (must show final date in the Guard)
- NGB 22 (Report of Separation and Record of Service)

**All documents are submitted to HRC email:** [usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.tagd-ask-hrc@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.tagd-ask-hrc@army.mil)

NGB 22 (Report of Separation and Record of Service)

**All documents are submitted to HRC email:** [usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.tagd-ask-hrc@army.mil](mailto:usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.tagd-ask-hrc@army.mil)





# Department of **Military**



## State Retired ID Cards

### **For Retiring Airmen:**

Airmen can submit a Retirement pay application up to 12 months prior to Age 60 or Early Age Retirement Date.

### **The following documents are needed:**

- DD Form 2656
- 20 year letter
- Retired Reserve Order

### **Directions for Submission:**

- Put the URL **<https://mypers.af.mil>** (must use a CAC card via federal computer) in your internet browser
- Login with your DOD username and password you can create a DOD username and password (if you don't already have one)
- Under the banner "I would like to" click on the following link: "Access the vPC Dashboard."

**NOTE:** You are required to read and initial all the required pages concerning the retirement information. Once all pages are initialed, the vPC retirement application will populate.

- Under the banner "Application Information" you are required to select the retirement you are requesting.
- Complete prompted questions to upload DD 2656 and 20-year letter to ARPC

<https://www.tn.gov/military/programs-benefits/retirement-military.html>

### **For Assistance with Retirement for Soldiers:**

SFC Christopher Hoffman, Retirement Services Officer  
615-313-0747

[christopher.m.hoffman12.mil@army.mil](mailto:christopher.m.hoffman12.mil@army.mil)

### **Federal Civilian Retirement Assistance**

Mrs. Teresa Foss  
615-313-3016

[teresa.g.foss.civ@army.mil](mailto:teresa.g.foss.civ@army.mil)

Ms. Canary Gipson  
615-313-2604

[canary.n.gipson.mil@army.mil](mailto:canary.n.gipson.mil@army.mil)



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# Department of Veterans Services

## TN Military and Veteran State Tax Benefits

**Tennessee Income Taxes:** Tennessee does not have a general state income tax. Residents do not have to file an individual state income tax return.

Distributions received from the Thrift Savings Plan (TSP) are not taxed.

Applications can be made through the local County Trustee or City Collecting Official:

[Tennessee City and County Trustee Directory](#)

[Tennessee Property Tax Relief for Disabled Veterans Factsheet](#)

[Tennessee Property Tax Relief for Surviving Spouses of Veterans Factsheet](#)

### **Tennessee Disabled Veteran and Surviving Spouse State Property Tax Benefits:**

Disabled Veterans and their Surviving Spouse may qualify for a rebate of exemption of taxes on a portion of the value of their property. The Veteran or Surviving Spouse must own and use the property as their primary residence. The maximum market value on which tax relief is calculated is \$175,000.

### **Who is eligible for Tennessee Disabled Veteran and Surviving Spouse State Property Tax Benefits?**

To be eligible for property tax relief applicants must meet the following requirements:

### **For Disabled Veteran:**

To be eligible a disabled veteran must have served in the U.S. Armed Forces and received a discharge other than dishonorable and have a service connected disability rating from the VA that meets one of the following requirements:

Disability rating due to:

- Paraplegia, or
- Permanent paralysis of both legs and lower part of the body from traumatic injury or disease to the spinal cord or brain, or
- Loss, or loss of the use, two or more limbs, or
- Legal blindness, or
- Total and permanent disability, or
- 100% total and permanent disability rating due to being a prisoner of war.

### **For Surviving Spouse or a Disabled Veteran:**

This benefit transfers to the un-remarried Surviving Spouse of a disabled veteran who was eligible for property tax relief. The Surviving Spouse must solely or jointly own the property and must use it as their home.





# Department of Veterans Services.



## TN Helping Heroes Education Grants for Veterans

The Helping Heroes Grant offers a \$1,000 grant per semester to eligible Veterans who enroll in 12 or more semester hours, and a \$500 grant per semester for 6 to 11 semester hours. Veterans enrolled in less than six semester hours are not eligible for a grant. All grants are paid at the end of a semester.

Veterans are eligible to receive a grant for eight full semesters (6-11 semester hours is considered a half semester) or until they earn a bachelor's degree, whichever comes first. Helping Heroes Grants are awarded on a first-come first-served basis. Veterans must receive a passing final grade in all classes at the end of the semester to be eligible for a grant.

### Who is eligible for the Tennessee Helping Heroes Education Grant for Veterans?

To be eligible for a Helping Heroes Grant Veterans must meet the following requirements:

Current Service member or honorably discharged Veteran who is serving or served on active duty as a member of an active or reserve component of the U.S. Armed Forces

Tennessee resident for one year prior to application

Was awarded one of the following, on or after September 11, 2001:

- Iraq Campaign Medal
- Afghanistan Campaign Medal
- Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Enrolled at a participating two or four-year postsecondary institution

Has not earned a bachelor's degree

Not in default on a federal or state educational loan

Not owe a refund on a federal or state student financial aid program

In compliance with federal drug-free rules for receiving financial assistance

Not incarcerated

Students are not required to meet any academic standard at the time of enrollment

To remain eligible for grants, Veterans must meet satisfactory academic progress requirements of the institution they are attending.

Helping Heroes Grants must be applied for each academic year using the [Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation Online Application](#). The application deadlines are:

September 1 (or the following business day) for fall enrollment

February 1 (or the following business day) for spring enrollment

May 1 (or the following business day) for summer enrollment

Veterans must mail or fax their DD214 to the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation when they apply.

### Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation

312 Rosa Parks Boulevard, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Nashville, TN 37243  
Fax: 615-741-6101





# Department of Veterans Services



## TN Military and Veteran Parks and Recreation Benefits

### Free Day

In order to honor the veterans of this state and encourage the use of natural parks across Tennessee, the Department of Environment and Conservation shall designate one (1) day per year during which access to and use of all state parks, including, but not limited to, campgrounds and golf courses, shall be free of charge for all veterans. Each veteran shall be required to show proof of veteran status, prior to being granted free admission to any state park.

### CAMPING & GOLF GREEN FEES

Tennessee State Parks is proud to celebrate all branches of service and offer a "Salute to Service" with complimentary camping and golf to veterans on each service branch birthday leading up to the 250th Anniversary of the United States of America. All veterans of any service branch are eligible for a complimentary one-night camping stay and waived green fees on the following dates:

- Sunday, Aug 4, 2024 (Coast Guard)
- Wednesday, Sept 18, 2024 (Air Force)
- Sunday, Oct 13, 2024 (Navy)
- Sunday, Nov 10, 2024 (Marines)
- Monday, Nov 11, 2024 (Veteran's Day)
- Friday, Dec 13, 2024 (National Guard)
- Friday, Dec 20, 2024 (Space Force)
- Saturday, June 14, 2025 (Army)
- Monday, Aug 4, 2025 (Coast Guard)
- Thursday, Sept 18, 2025 (Air Force)
- Monday, Oct 13, 2025 (Navy)
- Monday, Nov 10, 2025 (Marines)
- Tuesday, Nov 11, 2025 (Veterans Day)
- Saturday, Dec 13, 2025 (National Guard)
- Saturday, Dec 20, 2025 (Space Force)
- Sunday, June 14, 2026 (Army)

To claim your free stay on any of those commemorative dates please call our reservation line 1 (888) 867-2757.

### DOCUMENTATION

Proof of both Tennessee residency along with proof of veterans' status should be secured. When proof of eligibility is verified, notation of the form of documentation, i.e. DD214, VA benefit card, TN drivers' license, etc, should be entered on the receipt, folio, or registration screen applicable to the operation.

### Discounted Rates:

A Tennessee veterans' discount for camping within our state parks is available during the off-season, (December 1 through February 28/29). The discount is 50% off of our standard nightly base rates depending on the type of site chosen. Premium sites excluded. This camping discount is available to Tennessee residents showing proof of prior military duty.

A 50% discount off of camping and overnight cabin lodging fees will be extended to Tennessee resident veterans with a 100% total service-connected disability.

All veteran discounts require proof of prior military duty. Acceptable ID's for proof of eligibility include a VA benefits card, retired military ID, or a DD-214. These are in addition to proof of residency which would simply be a TN driver's license or vehicle registered in Tennessee.

### Hunting and Fishing Licenses:

Authorizes issuance of a sport fishing and hunting license with a one-time \$10 fee to residents of Tennessee who are 100% permanent and totally disabled from service connected cause, or by reason of service in any war are 30% or more disabled.

[To apply](#)





# Department of **Human Services**



## DHS Offices and Services

### **Department of Human Services**

Commissioner, Clarence H. Carter

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices.html>

505 Deaderick Street

Nashville, TN 37243

DHS has several programs that are available to Active Military, Veterans and their families.

### **Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices/disability-services0/redirect---vocational-rehabilitation-services.html>

### **Tennessee Rehabilitation Center – Smyrna**

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices/disability-services0/redirect---tennessee-rehabilitation-center---smyrna.html>

### **Disability Determination Services**

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices/disability-services0/redirect---disability-determination-services.html>

### **Community Tennessee Rehabilitation Centers**

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices/disability-services0/redirect---community-tennessee-rehabilitation-centers.html>

### **Tennessee Technology Access Program**

<https://www.tn.gov/humanservices/disability-services0/redirect---tennessee-technology-access-program.html>

To find out more about these programs or how TNDHS can help you visit a local office near you.





# Department of Human Services



## DHS Regional Offices

### Vocational Rehabilitation Regional Offices

#### Region 1- Counties Served:

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington  
2557 Plymouth Road  
Johnson City, Tennessee 37605  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (423) 634-8815

#### Region 2- Counties Served:

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Knox, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Cocke  
520 West Summit Hill Drive  
Suite 301  
Knoxville, Tennessee 37902  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (865) 594-9455

#### Region 3- Counties Served:

Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie  
Eastgate Center, Suite 602-B  
5600 Brainerd Road  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37411  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (423) 634-8807

#### Region 4- Counties Served:

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, DeKalb, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren, White  
955 E. 20th St.  
Cookeville, Tennessee 38501  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (931) 646-3157

#### Region 5- Counties Served:

Davidson, Robertson, Sumner, Trousdale, Wilson, Rutherford, Williamson, Cheatham, Dickson, Humphreys, Houston, Stewart, Montgomery  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (615) 524-3276

#### Region 6- Counties Served:

Bedford, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Perry, Wayne, Coffee, Moore, Franklin  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (931) 646-5892

#### Region 7- Counties Served:

Chester, Decatur, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Madison, McNairy  
Lowell Thomas State Office Building  
225 Martin Luther King Boulevard  
2nd Floor, Tower A  
Jackson, Tennessee 38301  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (731) 935-0690

#### Region 8- Counties Served:

Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion, Weakley  
Lowell Thomas State Office Building  
225 Martin Luther King Boulevard  
2nd Floor, Tower A  
Jackson, Tennessee 38301  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (731) 935-0691

#### Region 9- County Served:

Shelby, Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette  
One Commerce Square Building  
40 South Main Street  
10th Floor, Suite 100  
Memphis, Tennessee 38103  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (901) 947-8782

#### Region 10-&11 All Counties Served:

**Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired**  
**Services for the Deaf, Deaf-Blind and Hard of Hearing**  
520 West Summit Hill Drive, Suite 301  
Knoxville, Tennessee 37902  
Telephone: 1-833-772-TDHS (8347)  
Fax: (615) 524-3093 (Polk Bldg.)







# Department of Human Services<sup>®</sup>



## DHS Communication Assistance Programs

### The STAR Center

1119 Old Humboldt Road  
Jackson, Tennessee 38305  
(731) 668-3888 (Phone)  
(800) 464-5619 (Toll Free)  
(731) 668-1666 (Fax)  
E-Mail: [info@star-center.org](mailto:info@star-center.org)  
Website: <http://www.star-center.org>

### Counties Served:

Bedford, Benton, Cannon, Carroll, Cheatham, Chester, Clay, Coffee, Crockett, Cumberland, Davidson, Decatur, DeKalb, Dickson, Dyer, Fayette, Fentress, Franklin, Gibson, Giles, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Hickman, Houston, Humphreys, Jackson, Lake, Lauderdale, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Macon, Madison, Marshall, Maury, McNairy, Montgomery, Moore, Obion, Overton, Perry, Pickett, Putnam, Robertson, Rutherford, Shelby, Smith, Stewart, Sumner, Tipton, Trousdale, Van Buren, Warren, Wayne, Weakley, White, Williamson, Wilson

### Signal Centers Assistive Technology Center

2300 Bailey Avenue  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37404  
(423) 629-4174 (Phone)  
(423) 498-2217 (Fax)  
E-Mail: [Brady\\_Fulton@signalcenters.org](mailto:Brady_Fulton@signalcenters.org)  
Assistive Technology and Accessibility  
Director: Brady Fulton  
Website: <http://www.signalcenters.org/assistive-technology-services>

### Counties Served:

Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie, Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Carter, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Greene, Hamblen, Hancock, Hawkins, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Sullivan, Unicoi, Union, Washington





# Tennessee State Veterans Homes

*“Proudly serving those who served”*

## **Executive Offices:**

P.O. Box 11328  
Murfreesboro, TN 37130  
<https://tsvh.org>  
615.898.1181

## **Knoxville:**

Senator Ben Athley  
1 Veteran Way  
Knoxville, TN 37931  
<https://tsvh.org/knoxville/>  
865.862.8100

## **Murfreesboro:**

Tennessee State Veterans Home  
345 Compton Rd.  
Murfreesboro, TN 37130  
<https://tsvh.org/murfreesboro/>  
615.865.8850

## **Clarksville:**

Brigadier General Wendell H. Gilbert  
250 Arrowood Dr.  
Clarksville, TN 37042  
<https://tsvh.org/clarksville/>  
931.245.4700

## **Cleveland:**

Tennessee State Veterans Home  
1940 Westland Dr. SW  
Cleveland, TN 37311  
<https://tsvh.org/cleveland/>  
423.813.3600

## **Humboldt:**

W.D. “Bill” Manning  
2865 E. Main St.  
Humboldt, TN 38343  
<https://tsvh.org/humboldt/>  
731.784.8405



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## State Disabled Veteran Plate Program



Available to: Veterans of the United States military with a disability incurred in or aggravated by active military services of the United States, which falls within the parameters outlined in [Tenn. Code Ann. § 55-4-256](#).

Documentation Required: A letter from the federal Department of Veteran Affairs verifying that the veteran was rated permanent and totally disabled with an effective date. The precise language may vary slightly, but a permanent and total rating always means that the veteran is being compensated at 100 percent.

Cost: None for first plate. Second plate - \$26.50 annual fee (initial fee is \$28.15). Subsequent plates - \$26.50 annual fee (initial fee is \$29.80).

Vehicle Classes: Passenger, Motorcycle





# Department of Revenue

Plates that support veterans and veteran organizations

Click here for more information on these plates:

<https://www.tn.gov/content/tn/revenue/title-and-registration/license-plates/available-license-plates.html>





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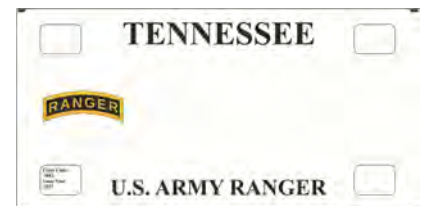
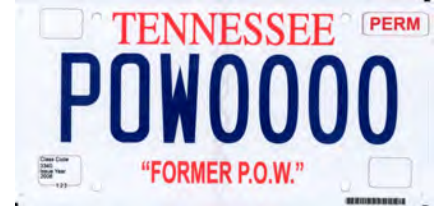
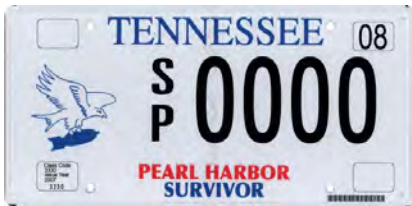


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TN

# Department of Military

## National and State Guard Units

### Tennessee Military Department

<https://www.tn.gov/military.html>

Maj. Gen. Warner A Ross II

3041 Sidco Dr.

Nashville, TN 37204

615.313.0633

[tnpao@live.com](mailto:tnpao@live.com)

### Army Guard

#### 30th Troop Command

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/army-guard/30th-troop-command.html>

#### 35th Division Sustainment Brigade

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/army-guard/35th-division-sustainment-brigade.html>

#### 117th Regiment, Regional Training Institute

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/army-guard/117th-regiment-training-institute.html>

#### 194th Engineer Brigade

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/army-guard/194th-engineer-brigade.html>

#### 278th Armored Cavalry Regiment

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/army-guard/278th-armored-cavalry-regiment.html>

### Air Guard

#### 118th Wing

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/air-guard/118th-wing.html>

#### 134th Air Refueling Wing

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/air-guard/134th-air-refueling-wing.html>

#### 164th Airlift Wing

<https://www.tn.gov/military/who-we-are/air-guard/164th-airlift-wing.html>

### State Guard

<https://tnsg.force.com/Recruit>

Commanding General  
Brig. Gen. Kevin Stewart

*Headquarters, Headquarters Company*

#### 2nd Regiment: Nashville

[tnsg.hhc.recruiter@tnstateguard.org](mailto:tnsg.hhc.recruiter@tnstateguard.org)

#### 1st Regiment: Millington

[tnsg.1st.recruiter@tnstateguard.org](mailto:tnsg.1st.recruiter@tnstateguard.org)

#### 3rd Regiment: Greenville

[tnsg.3rd.recruiter@tnstateguard.org](mailto:tnsg.3rd.recruiter@tnstateguard.org)

#### 4th Regiment: Chattanooga

[tnsg.4th.recruiter@tnstateguard.org](mailto:tnsg.4th.recruiter@tnstateguard.org)

### TEMA

Tennessee Emergency Management Agency  
<https://www.tn.gov/tema.html>







# Honoring the fallen

Military Burial, Cemetery, Memoriam information:

This section has information on:

*VA Burial Benefits and Memorial Items*

*Tennessee State Cemeteries*

*National Cemeteries*

*VA Grant-Funded Cemeteries*

*Honor Guards*

*Flags for Military Burials*

*Unclaimed Veteran Remains*

*Tennessee War Commission*

*Tennessee Fallen Hero Medal*





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## VA burial benefits and memorial items

<https://www.va.gov/burials-memorials/>

VA burial benefits can help service members, Veterans, and their family members plan and pay for a burial or memorial service in a VA national cemetery. Family members can also order memorial items to honor the service of a Veteran. Find out how to apply for the burial benefits you've earned, and how to plan for a burial in advance or at time of need.

### Get Veterans burial benefits

[Eligibility](#) Find out if you qualify for burial in a VA national cemetery and for other burial honors.

[Pre-need burial eligibility determination](#) Apply for a pre-need eligibility decision letter. This can help you pre-plan for burial in a VA national cemetery, and make the process easier for your family members in their time of need.

[Veterans burial allowance](#) Learn how to apply for a burial allowance to help pay for a Veteran's funeral services, burial, and transportation costs.

[Benefits for burial or memorialization](#) Find out how to apply for a headstone, marker, medallion, Presidential Memorial Certificate, plaque, or urn to honor a Veteran's service.

[Benefits for spouse and dependents \(VA DIC\)](#) Learn about getting VA disability benefits for a surviving spouse or a dependent child or parent.

[Bereavement counseling](#) See if you qualify for grief counseling and transition support after the loss of an active-duty Servicemember, Reservist, or National Guard Soldier.

### Plan a burial

[Schedule a burial for a Veteran or family member](#) Get step-by-step guidance on how to request and apply for a burial in a VA national cemetery, or in a state or tribal government Veterans cemetery.

[Find a cemetery](#) Search for a VA national cemetery or a VA grant-funded state, territory, or tribal Veterans cemetery.

[Request military records \(DD214\)](#) View and print documents from your official military personnel file (including your DD214).

### More information and resources

[VA national cemetery daily burial schedule](#) Find the date, time, and location of the committal service for the scheduled burial of a Veteran, spouse, or other eligible family member.

[VA survivor benefits rates \(VA DIC\)](#) View current dependency and indemnity compensation rates for surviving spouses and children.

[Parents Dependency and Indemnity Compensation \(DIC\) rates](#) View current survivor benefit rates for parents.

[Replace medals, awards, and decorations](#) Visit the National Archives website to find out how to request replacement medals, awards, and decorations.

[Search historical military records \(National Archives\)](#) Visit the National Archives website to research military records from the Revolutionary War to the present.

[Veteran grave locator](#) Find a Veteran's or family member's grave in a VA national cemetery, or in a state or tribal Veterans cemetery.

[VA burial benefits FAQ](#) Find answers to common questions about VA burial benefits and memorial items.

[What to expect at a military funeral](#) Prepare for a military funeral by learning about what happens at a committal service in a VA national cemetery.





# Department of **Veterans Services.**



## State Veterans Cemeteries

The Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery was established in January 1993. This cemetery has the capacity for 30,813 plots.

### **Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery**

7931 McCrory Lane  
Nashville, TN 37221  
(615) 532-2238  
Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m. (CT)  
[MTSV.Cemetery@tn.gov](mailto:MTSV.Cemetery@tn.gov)

The East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery on Lyons View Pike was established in August 1990. This cemetery has a capacity of 6,000 plots and is at capacity. Pre-registration applications are not being accepted at this site.

### **East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery**

5901 Lyons View Pike  
Knoxville, TN 37919  
(865) 577-3228  
Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m. (ET)  
[ETSV.Cemetery@tn.gov](mailto:ETSV.Cemetery@tn.gov)

The East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery on E. Governor John Sevier Highway 68 was established in August 2011. This cemetery has a capacity of 28,000 plots with future plots to be added pending expansion.

### **East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery**

2200 E. Gov. John Sevier Hwy 168  
Knoxville, TN 37920  
(865) 577-3228  
Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m. (ET)  
[ETSV.Cemetery@tn.gov](mailto:ETSV.Cemetery@tn.gov)

The West Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery was established in January 1992. The cemetery has a capacity of 30,000 plots.

### **West Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery**

4000 Forest Hill/Irene Road  
Memphis, TN 38125  
(901) 543-7005  
Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m. (CT)  
[WTSV.Cemetery@tn.gov](mailto:WTSV.Cemetery@tn.gov)

The Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery at Parkers Crossroads was established in July 2018. This cemetery has a capacity of 49,000 plots.

### **Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery at Parkers Crossroads**

693 Wildersville Road  
Parkers Crossroads, TN 38388  
(731) 967-4127  
[TSVCPC.Cemetery@tn.gov](mailto:TSVCPC.Cemetery@tn.gov)





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## National Cemeteries in Tennessee

For the VA Page on National Cemeteries in Tennessee [CLICK HERE](#)

The Department of Veterans Affairs' (VA) National Cemetery Administration maintains 156 national cemeteries in 42 states and Puerto Rico as well as 35 soldiers' lots and monument sites. Please note that there is not a VA national cemetery in every state. You may also want to check the listing of [VA grant-funded cemeteries in Tennessee](#).

### Chattanooga National Cemetery

1200 Bailey Ave  
Chattanooga, TN 37404  
423.855.6590

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/Chattanooga.asp>

[Burial Space: Open](#)

### Knoxville National Cemetery

939 Tyson Street NW  
Knoxville, TN 37917  
423.855.6590

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/Knoxville.asp>

[Burial Space: Cremation Only](#)

### Memphis National Cemetery

3568 Townes Ave  
Memphis, TN 38122  
901.386.8311

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/Memphis.asp>

[Burial Space: Cremation Only](#)

### Mountain Home National Cemetery

215 Heroes Dr.  
Mountain Home, TN 37684  
423.979.3535

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/MountainHome.asp>

[Burial Space: Open](#)

### Mountain Home National Cemetery Annex

Lake St. W  
Mountain Home  
423.979.3535

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/MountainHome.asp>

[Burial Space: Open](#)

### Nashville National Cemetery

1420 Gallatin Pike S.  
Madison, TN 37115  
615.860.0086

<https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/Nashville.asp>

[Burial Space: Cremation Only](#)





# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## VA Grant-Funded Cemeteries in Tennessee

For the VA Page on National Cemeteries in Tennessee [CLICK HERE](#)

Many states, territories and tribes have established VA Grant-Funded Veterans Cemeteries. Eligibility is similar to Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) [national cemeteries](#), but may include residency requirements. Even though they may have been established or improved with Government funds through VA's [Veterans Cemetery Grants Program](#), state, territory and tribal veterans cemeteries are operated and maintained by the states, territories or tribes. VA cannot answer your questions or comments about any of these state, territory or tribal veterans cemeteries. Please contact the specific cemetery for information.

### [East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery - Gov. John Sevier Hwy](#)

2200 E Gov. John Sevier Hwy 168  
Knoxville, TN 37920  
865.577.3228

[Burial Space: Open](#)  
[VA Grant-Funded: Yes](#)

### [East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery - Lyons View Pike](#)

5901 Lyons View Pike  
Knoxville, TN 37919  
865.577.3228

[Burial Space: Closed](#)  
[VA Grant-Funded: Yes](#)

### [Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery](#)

7931 McCrory Ln  
Nashville, TN 37221  
615.532.2238

[Burial Space: Open](#)  
[VA Grant-Funded: Yes](#)

### [Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery at Parkers Crossroads](#)

693 Wildersville Rd  
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731.967.4127

[Burial Space: Open](#)  
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901.543.7005

[Burial Space: Open](#)  
[VA Grant-Funded: Yes](#)





# Honoring the fallen

*Here you will find a list of Honor Guards in TN as well as resources for Honor Guards.*

## RESOURCES FOR HONOR GUARDS:

State of TN Department of Veterans Services  
**HONOR GUARD GRANT PROGRAM (HGGP)**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/about-us/hggp.html>

### **Operation Honor Guard:**

Helping assist and raise funding for Honor Guards

<https://www.operationhonorguard.us/info@operationhonorguard.us>

844.409.1049

### **Tennessee National Guard Joint Family Programs:**

Provides training for Honor Guards in TN  
3041 Sidco Drive  
Nashville, TN

<https://www.facebook.com/TNNATIONALGUARDJ9>

877.311.3264

Need help with Honor Guards, funeral services? Most funeral homes have connections with local services included from Honor Guards, Veterans Services from Organizations like VFW, American Legion, and VA Memorial Services. These services require you to show proof of service with a DD-214 or other verifying documentation.

**#honoringthosewhoserved**

### **Bugles Across America**

<https://www.buglesacrossamerica.org/>  
<https://www.buglesacrossamerica.org/New-Contact-Us>

### **FUNERAL HONORS REQUEST Tennessee National Guard**

<https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/military/documents/FH-Request-Form-Jan2023.pdf>

## HONOR GUARDS IN TENNESSEE:

### **East Tennessee Veterans Honor Guard:**

[etnvhg@gmail.com](mailto:etnvhg@gmail.com)  
<https://etnvhg.org/>

### **Sequatchie Valley Honor Guard:**

P.O. Box 786  
Jasper, TN 37347  
<https://www.tatefh.com/sequatchie-valley-honor-guards>  
423.942.0000

### **Veterans Honor Guard of Parkers Crossroads:**

<https://www.facebook.com/p/Veterans-honor-guard-100083367703667/>  
[Vhgofparkerscrossroads@gmail.com](mailto:Vhgofparkerscrossroads@gmail.com)  
423.425.4111

### **Veterans Honor Guard of Upper Cumberland:**

370 S. Lowes Ave PMB 212  
Cookeville, TN 38501  
<https://www.facebook.com/p/Veterans-honor-guard-100083367703667/>  
[Vet\\_Honor\\_Guard@hotmail.com](mailto:Vet_Honor_Guard@hotmail.com)  
931.528.1333

### **Volunteer State War Era Veterans Honor Guard:**

Knoxville, TN  
[gtw1211@outlook.com](mailto:gtw1211@outlook.com)





# Honoring the fallen

*Here you will find a list of Honor Guards in TN as part of Veteran Service Organizations*

**American Legion Post 17 (Gallatin)**

**Honor Guard Unit 17**

1140 South Water Ave  
Gallatin, TN 37066

<http://www.americanlegionpost17gallatintn.org/>

**American Legion Post 61 (Mountain City)**

**JCHG Johnson City Honor Guard**

1039 Big Dry Run Rd  
Mountain City, TN 37683

<http://americanlegionpost61tn.org/>

**American Legion Post 104 (Sevierville)**

**Honor Guard Unit 104**

P.O. Box 4242  
Sevierville, TN 37864

[adjutantmiller@tnpost104.org](mailto:adjutantmiller@tnpost104.org)

<https://tnpost104.org/>

865.908.4310

**American Legion Post 146 (Loretto)**

**Honor Guard Unit 146**

2906 Hwy 43 S  
Loretto, TN 38469

<http://www.tnpost146.org/>

931.852.4413

**American Legion Post 281 (Mt. Juliet)**

**Honor Guard Unit 281**

1075 Charlie Daniels Pkwy  
Mount Juliet, TN 37122

<http://www.mtjulietalpost281.com/>

**American Legion Post 289 (Clarksville)**

**Honor Guard Unit 289**

P.O. Box 2641  
Clarksville, TN

[TNPost289@gmail.com](mailto:TNPost289@gmail.com)

[Facebook](#)

931.320.9579

**VFW Post 5146 (Athens)**

**Honor Guard**

706 North Congress Pkwy  
Athens, TN 37303

Email:

<https://vfw5146.org>

423.745.8387





# How to fold a U.S. Flag

*“On behalf of a grateful nation...”*

To properly fold the flag follow these directions:



- 1 To begin, with one person at either end, hold the flag waist high so that its surface is parallel to the ground.



- 2 Fold the lower half of the stripe section lengthwise over the field of stars, holding the bottom and top edges securely.



- 3 Fold the flag again lengthwise, now with the blue field on the outside.



- 4 Make a triangular fold by bringing the striped corner of the folded edge to meet the open (top) edge of the flag.



- 5 Turn the outer (end) point inward, parallel to the open edge, to form a second triangle.



- 6 Continue the triangular folding until the entire length of the flag is folded in this manner.



- 7 When the flag is completely folded, only a triangular blue field of stars should be visible. If a hem protrudes beyond the blue field, it should be neatly tucked inside the folds of the flag so it does not show.

The folded flag is then presented to the next of kin.







# U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs



## Flags for Military Burial

[https://www.cem.va.gov/burial\\_benefits/burial\\_flags.asp](https://www.cem.va.gov/burial_benefits/burial_flags.asp)

A United States flag is provided, at no cost, to drape the casket or accompany the urn of a deceased Veteran who served honorably in the U.S. Armed Forces.

### Who Is Eligible to Receive the Burial Flag?

Generally, the flag is given to the next-of-kin, as a keepsake, after its use during the funeral service. When there is no next-of-kin, VA will furnish the flag to a friend making request for it. For those VA national cemeteries with an Avenue of Flags, families of Veterans buried in these national cemeteries may donate the burial flags of their loved ones to be flown on patriotic holidays.

### How Can You Apply?

You may apply for the flag by completing [VA Form 27-2008, Application for United States Flag for Burial Purposes](#). U.S. Post Offices are the primary issuing point for burial flags. Generally, the funeral director can help you obtain a flag. Call and confirm with the post office in advance. Not all local post offices have burial flags on hand but they should be able to direct you to the closest issuing post office. Regional VA Offices can also help identify local issuing points.

### Can a Burial Flag Be Replaced?

The law allows us to issue one flag for a Veteran's funeral. We cannot replace it if it is lost, destroyed, or stolen. However, some Veterans' organizations or other community groups may be able to help you get another flag.

**For More Information Call Toll-Free at 1-800-827-1000**





## Flags for Military Burial

Tennessee Veterans: If you serve in the TN National Guard for 1 year or more, and are active, honorably discharged or retired at the time of your death, your family is authorized to receive a State of TN flag.

2023 Tennessee Code Title 58 - MILITARY AFFAIRS, EMERGENCIES AND CIVIL DEFENSE (§§ 58-1-101 — 58-9-105) Chapter 1 - MILITARY FORCES (§§ 58-1-101 — 58-1-706) Part 2 - NATIONAL GUARD (§§ 58-1-201 — 58-1-236) Section 58-1-236 - Burial flag for family of deceased member of national guard Universal Citation: TN Code § 58-1-236 (2023)

(a) The adjutant general shall present to the family of each eligible, deceased member of the national guard a Tennessee state flag, appropriate for use as a burial flag, upon application of a member of the family of the deceased guard member.

(b) The adjutant general shall prepare an application form to be used to determine the eligibility of the deceased for the burial flag and shall furnish the form to the senior full-time employee in each armory.

(c) The family of any individual who serves at least one (1) year in the national guard and who at the time of death is an active, honorably discharged, or retired member of the national guard is eligible to receive a burial flag.

(d) The adjutant general may, in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5, promulgate rules to implement this section. (e) The adjutant general shall obtain flags from the federal government when available. If flags from the federal government are not available, the adjutant general shall purchase the flags from funds appropriated to the military department.

***FUNERAL HONORS REQUEST  
Tennessee National Guard***

<https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/military/documents/FH-Request-Form-Jan2023.pdf>





# Department of **Military**



## Unclaimed Veteran Remains

**Tennessee Department of Veterans Services Unclaimed Veteran Remains  
Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)  
Created April, 2013**



### **1. Objective:**

This formal Tennessee Department of Veterans Services (TDVS) Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) has been created to give consistent guidance to TDVS cemetery personnel and Tennessee funeral directors in regards to providing unclaimed Veteran remains with a dignified and proper burial at the State Veterans Cemeteries.

### **Definition:**

Veteran is defined in the 38 Code of Federal Regulations 3.1 as a person who served in the active military, naval, or air service and who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable.

### **2. Process:**

In the event a Tennessee funeral director discovers he/she is in possession of the remains of Veteran, they may contact TDVS for assistance to inter the remains in the nearest Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery or National Veterans Cemetery.

Public Chapter No. 823 T.C.A. 62-5-703 (12) allows the funeral director to assume the right of disposition in cases where next of kin cannot be located or in cases where next of kin forfeits their right of disposition.

(12) In the absence of any person listed in subdivisions ( 1 )-( 11 ), any other person willing to assume the responsibilities to act and arrange the final disposition of the decedent's remains, including the funeral director with custody of the body, after attesting in writing that a good faith effort has been made to no avail to contact the individuals listed in subdivisions (1 )-(11 ).

T.C.A 62-5-704 (2) also provides a timeline for notification as it pertains to disposition of the unclaimed remains. In summary, the funeral director may exercise the right of disposition if the next of kin is not willing to claim the Veteran's remains within three (3) days of notification or no next of kin is located within one week or seven (7) days of the Veteran's death.

(2) Any person who does not exercise the right of disposition within seventy two (72) hours of notification of the decedent's death or within one hundred and sixty eight (168) hours of the decedent's death, whichever is earlier.

Funeral directors are required to keep and maintain written records of attempts to contact next of kin and results of each attempt. Upon establishing a partnership with TDVS, the funeral director will provide a copy of the written records to be kept and maintained at the pertinent State Veterans Cemetery.

Funeral directors must also provide evidence of Veteran status to the nearest TDVS Cemetery Director for confirmation of eligibility for burial in the nearest State Veterans Cemetery.



## Unclaimed Veteran Remains

Funeral directors may coordinate with TDVS cemetery personnel in regards to contacting the Honor Guard, chaplains and other Veterans Service Organizations or non-profit organizations to support military honors for services at the State Veterans Cemeteries.

In order to maintain the appropriate chain of custody of the unclaimed Veteran remains, the funeral director is responsible for transportation of the remains to the State Veterans Cemetery or National Veterans Cemetery.

### 3. TDVS

Cemetery Directors will file appropriate claims with the United States Department of Veterans Affairs for appropriate grave markers or placards for columbarium.

Funeral directors must file for reimbursement for caskets and urns with the United States Department of Veterans Affairs in accordance with Title 38 of the United States Code Section 101 (f), (1) and (2) which states;

‘(f) The Secretary may furnish a casket or urn, of such quality as the Secretary considers appropriate for a dignified burial, for burial in a national cemetery of a deceased veteran in any case in which the Secretary (1) is unable to identify the veteran’s next of kin, if any; and (2) determines that sufficient resources for the furnishing

In accordance with Title 38 of the United States Code Section 103 §2414 (a), (1), (2), (b), (1), (2), funeral directors and TDVS Cemetery Directors are required to notify the United States Department of Veterans Affairs with regards to the unclaimed Veteran and the status of next of kin.

(a) REQUIRED INFORMATION. - With respect to each deceased veteran described in subsection (b) who is transported to a national cemetery for burial, the Secretary shall ensure that the local medical examiner, funeral director, county service group, or other entity responsible for the body of the deceased veteran before such transportation submits to the Secretary the following information:

- (1) Whether the deceased veteran was cremated.
- (2) The steps taken to ensure that the deceased veteran has no next of kin.

(b) DECEASED VETERAN DESCRIBED. - A deceased veteran described in this subsection is a deceased veteran (1) with respect to whom the Secretary determines that there is no next of kin or other person claiming the body of the deceased veteran; and (2) who does not have sufficient resources for the furnishing of a casket or urn for the burial of the deceased veteran in a national cemetery, as determined by the Secretary.”

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/veteran-benefits/tn-state-benefits/veteran-burial-benefits/unclaimed-veteran-remains.html>





# TENNESSEE WARS COMMISSION



## Tennessee Historic Cemetery Preservation Program

The Tennessee General Assembly enacted legislation in April 1994 creating the Tennessee Wars Commission (TWC), which is administratively attached to the Tennessee Historical Commission (THC). The duties of the Wars Commission are performed by one staff member, the Director of Programs. The Wars Commission's mission of preserving and interpreting Tennessee's military heritage is realized in part by funding grants, through civic and governmental engagement, education and interpretation, and by way of conservation efforts.

The Wars Commission has been charged with coordinating planning efforts, the preservation and promotion of structures, buildings, sites, and battlefields in Tennessee from the French and Indian War (1754-1763), American Revolutionary War (1775-1783), War of 1812 (1812-1815), Mexican-American War (1846-1848) through the Civil War (1861-1865) era. The Wars Commission is also charged with acquiring or providing funds for the acquisition of battlefields, cemeteries, Underground Railroad sites, and other properties associated with the aforementioned conflicts.

Since its establishment 30 years ago, the Wars Commission has helped acquire and permanently protect over 8,000 acres of historic properties including the Camp Blount Historic Site, a War of 1812 muster site that gave Tennessee the moniker the "Volunteer State." With the creation of the Civil War Sites Preservation Grant Fund (CWSPF) in 2013, 1,100 acres of hallowed Civil War ground have been perpetually preserved. To date, the Wars Commission Grant Fund (WCGF) has supported well over one hundred different projects that preserve, protect, and interpret Tennessee's military heritage. These projects have included funding:

- archaeological and geophysical surveys of Battle of Nashville sites including the largest inland stone fortification, Fort Negley.
- the creation of the *State-Wide Battlefield Preservation Plan* by the Tennessee Civil War Preservation Association that aims to realize additional opportunities for Civil War battlefield preservation.
- the development of the *Road to Freedom Brochure and Mobile Application*, a heritage tourism resource highlighting the African American experience during the Civil War focusing on compelling stories of strife, growth, and community by surfacing concepts of empowerment and self-emancipation.

### **Graham Perry**

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## Historical Marker Program

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Programs  
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[Linda.Wynn@tn.gov](mailto:Linda.Wynn@tn.gov)



**Nina Scall**  
Director of Programs  
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Department of  
**Military**

## Tennessee Fallen Hero Medal

The Tennessee Fallen Heroes Medal may be awarded on behalf of the people of the state of Tennessee to an individual serving on active duty who has been killed in action, while:

- (1) Engaged in an action against an enemy of the United States;
- (2) Engaged in military support operations involving conflict with an opposing foreign force;
- (3) Serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in an armed conflict against an opposing armed force in which the United States is not a belligerent party; or
- (4) Serving in a combat zone as designated by presidential order.

The recipient's name will be entered on the case of the Tennessee Fallen Heroes Medal. Individuals eligible to receive the Tennessee Fallen Heroes Medal include all active duty military who are legal residents of the state of Tennessee. The Tennessee Fallen Heroes Medal will be awarded solely by the governor or the governor's designee to the immediate survivor of the recipient. This law went into effect July 1, 2011 and is not retroactive.

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/veteran-benefits/tn-state-benefits/veteran-burial-benefits/tennessee-fallen-hero-medal.html>



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[Coffee County War Memorial](#)

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**TNSOFC**

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[West Tennessee Veterans Cemetery](#)

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[Crestlawn & Quarles-Burton Cemeteries](#)

**TNCVCT**

[Cookeville City Cemetery](#)

**TNJSET**

[East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery](#)

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[Great Smoky Mountain National Park](#)

**TNETVK**

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**TNMOLV**

[Mt. Olive Cemetery](#)

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[Bethlehem United Methodist Church](#)

**TNCDRG**

[Cedar Grove UMC Cemetery](#)

**TNHLMG**

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**TNHLWD**

[Hollywood Cemetery](#)

**TNPRGR**

[Pressgrove Cemetery](#)





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**TNOCMG**

[Overton County Memorial Gardens](#)

**TNHMGM**

[Hamblen Memory Gardens](#)

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[The Avila Family Cemetery](#)

**TNCNCC**

[Chattanooga National Cemetery](#)

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[Mountain home National Cemetery](#)

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Cemetery](#)

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[Sheffield Cemetery](#)





WE HONOR VETERANS

# Veteran Service Organizations

Organizations like the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, AMVETs, and Women Marines Association are organizations that are membership based and help support veterans in their communities through things like legislation, camaraderie, community programs, and getting benefits.

While there is not all of these organization in every county or area of TN these organizations operate throughout TN and help many veterans in reconnecting with the communities in which they live while honoring those that came before.



# AMERICAN LEGION



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P.O. Box 425  
Harriman, TN 37748

Email:

[Facebook](#)

865.882.9904

**VFW Post 6908 (Mountain City)**

**VFWAUX Post 6908**

123 Volunteer Lane  
Mountain City, TN 37683

Email:

Web:

423.727.9341

**VFW Post 7135 (Lafayette)**

**VFWAUX Post 7135**

119 Main St.  
Lafayette, TN 37083

Email:

[Facebook](#)

615.666.7280

**VFW Post 7175 (Millington)**

**VFWAUX VFW Post 7175**

**M.O.C. Shelby Angles Pup Tent 26**

4681 Cuba Millington Rd.  
Millington, TN 38053

[vfwpost7175@gmail.com](mailto:vfwpost7175@gmail.com)

<https://vfw7175.org>

901.872.7175

**VFW Post 7189 (Decatur)**

P.O. Box 354

Decatur, TN 37322

[VFWPost7189@aol.com](mailto:VFWPost7189@aol.com)

Web:

423.334.5020

**VFW Post 8422 (Smyrna)**

**VFWAUX Post 8422**

**M.O.C. Sunuppers Pup Tent 5**

10157 Old Nashville Hwy  
Smyrna, TN 37167

[VFWpost8422@outlook.com](mailto:VFWpost8422@outlook.com)

[Facebook](#)

615.456.9832

**VFW Post 8779 (Tazewell)**

P.O. Box 514

New Tazewell, TN 37824

Email:

Web:

423.626.3220

**VFW Post 9543 (Rogersville)**

**VFWAUX Post 9543**

P.O. Box 56

Rogersville, TN 37857

Email:

Web:

423.272.7423

**VFW Post 9683 (Bulls Gap)**

**VFWAUX Post 9683**

P.O. Box 164

Bulls Gap, TN 37711

Email:

Web:

423.235.5127





**VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS®**

**VFW Post 9686 (Crab Orchard)**

**VFWAUX Post 9686**

362 Haley Grove Rd  
Crab Orchard, TN 37723

Email:

Web:

931.484.4946

**VFW Post 9689 (Houston County)**

1157 Highway 49

Erin, TN 37061

Email:

<https://vfw9689.org>

Phone:

**VFW Post 9724 (Jonesborough)**

**VFWAUX Post 9724**

P.O. Box 185

Jonesborough, TN 37659

Email:

[Facebook](#)

423.753.4761

**VFW Post 9754 (Church Hill)**

P.O. Box 174

Church Hill, TN 37642

Email:

[Facebook](#)

423.357.3613

**VFW Post 9806 (Westmoreland)**

1835 Highway 52 East

Portland, TN 37148

Email:

Web:

615.644.2420

**VFW Post 9851 (Hendersonville)**

**VFWAUX Post 9851**

73R New Shackle Island Road  
Hendersonville, TN 37075

[admin@vfw9851.org](mailto:admin@vfw9851.org)

[Facebook](#)

615.824.9851

**VFW Post 10025 (Sevier County)**

**VFWAUX Post 10025**

131 Creekwood Way

Seymour, TN 37865

Email:

Web:

865.573.4597

**VFW Post 10855 (Alcoa)**

P.O. Box 296

Alcoa, TN 37701

Email:

Web:

865.983.4485

**VFW Post 10904 (Manchester)**

**VFWAUX Post 10904**

2134 Harpo Rd

Manchester, TN 37355

Email:

<https://motomom.tripod.com/VFWPost10904>

Phone:

**VFW Post 11160 (Clarksville)**

**VFWAUX Post 11160**

**M.O.C. Cumberlands Pup Tent 4**

1068 Lafayette Road

Clarksville, TN 37042

Email:

[Facebook](#)

931.551.8113





**VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS®**

**VFW Post 11333 (Memphis)**

**VFWAUX Post Post 11333**

2600 Elvis Presley Blvd

Memphis, TN 38106

Email:

[Facebook](#)

901.590.3416

**VFW Post 12051 (Oak Ridge)**

**VFWAUX Post 12051**

1143 Oak Ridge Tpke

Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Email:

[Facebook](#)

865.399.5301

**VFW Post 12135 (Tellico Village)**

P.O. Box 153

Loudon, TN 37774

[adjutant@tellicovillagevfwpost.org](mailto:adjutant@tellicovillagevfwpost.org)

<https://www.tvvfw.org>

865.458.2790

**VFW Post 12199 (Sevierville)**

408 High Street

Sevierville, TN 37862

Email:

Web:

Phone:





# WOMEN MARINES ASSOCIATION

*"Uniting All Marine Corps Women"*  
<https://www.womenmarines.org>

**TN – 1 Rocky Top**

<https://www.facebook.com/WMATN1/>  
[tn1@womenmarines.org](mailto:tn1@womenmarines.org)

**TN – 2 Delta Blues**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/655640641284845/>  
[listening@womenmarines.org](mailto:listening@womenmarines.org)

**TN – 3 Music City Marines**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/TN3MusicCityMarines/>  
[TN3@womenmarines.org](mailto:TN3@womenmarines.org)



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# United States Military Associations

These are organizations that represent specific groups of veterans who either served in those kinds of united or have special training.

**Air & Space Force Association:**

<https://www.afa.org/>

**Air Force Sergeants Association:**

<https://www.hqafsa.org/>

**Army Aviation Association of America**

<https://www.quad-a.org>

**Tennessee Valley Chapter**

<https://www.quad-a.org/tennesseevalleychapter>

**Association of the United States Army:**

<https://www.ausa.org/>

**Blinded Veterans Association:**

<https://bva.org/>

Tennessee Regional Group

Terry Richardson - [cpoole1354@gmail.com](mailto:cpoole1354@gmail.com)

901.831.8075

**Combat Infantry Association**

<https://cibassoc.org>

**EANGUS**

**Enlisted Association of the National Guard**

<https://eangus.org>

**Fleet Reserve Association**

<http://www.fra.org/>

**Military Officers Association of America**

“Never Stop Serving”

<https://www.moaa.org/>

**Tennessee COC**

112 Chillax Way

Winchester, TN 37398

<https://www.moaa.org/chapter/tennessee-coc>

**MTC MOAA**

P.O. Box 50252

Nashville, TN 37205

<https://mtcmoaa.org/>

**Chattanooga Chapter, MOAA**

P.O. Box 24482

Chattanooga, TN 37422

<https://www.moaa.org/chapter/chattanooga/>

**Sumner Chapter MOAA**

P.O. Box 1075

Hendersonville, TN 37077

<https://www.moaa.org/chapter/sumner/>

**MOAA Memphis Chapter**

313 Andy Dr.

Drummonds, TN 38023

<https://www.moaa.org/chapter/memphis/>

**Fort Campbell Chapter**

P.O. Box 3569

Clarksville, TN 37043

**Mountain Empire Chapter**

P.O. Box 5024

Johnson City, TN 37602

<https://mecmoaa1.org/>





# United States Military Associations

These are organizations that represent specific groups of veterans who either served in those kinds of units or have special training.

## **Stones River Chapter**

2319 London Ave  
Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
<https://www.moaa.org/chapter/stonesriver/>

## **National Infantry Association**

**"I am the Infantry. Follow Me!"**  
<https://infantryassn.org>

## **National Guard Association of the United States**

<http://www.ngaus.org/>

## **NON-Commissioned Officers Association**

<https://www.ncoausa.org/resources.html>

## **State Guard Association of the United States**

<http://www.sgaus.org/>

## **Orange Heart Medal Foundation**

**"Bring recognition for veterans who served in the Vietnam war and who were affected by exposure to Agent Orange"**

<https://orangeheartmedal.org/index.html>

13833 Owens Chapel Rd  
Springfield, TN 37172  
[kengamble68@gmail.com](mailto:kengamble68@gmail.com)  
615.973.5279

## **United States Army Ranger Association**

**"Strengthening relationships among all US Army Rangers"**  
<https://ranger.org/>

John Minatra Ranger Base  
1010 Murfreesboro Rd. Suite 118  
Franklin, TN  
<https://ranger.org/minatra/>  
[minatra@ranger.org](mailto:minatra@ranger.org)  
615.485.1616

## **United States Submarine Veterans Inc.**

<http://www.ussvi.org/>

## **Women Marines Association**

**"Uniting All Marine Corps Women"**  
<https://www.womenmarines.org>

## **TN – 1 Rocky Top**

<https://www.facebook.com/WMATN1/tn1@womenmarines.org>

## **TN – 2 Delta Blues**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/655640641284845/>  
[listening@womenmarines.org](mailto:listening@womenmarines.org)

## **TN – 3 Music City Marines**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/TN3MusicCityMarines/>  
[TN3@womenmarines.org](mailto:TN3@womenmarines.org)





## Veteran Support Organizations

Organizations like Armed Forces Associations, Veterans BBQ Camp, Project Healing Waters, Wounded Warrior Project and more are organizations that may or may not be membership driven, but help support veterans and their families in Tennessee and nationally.

Some of these organizations provide direct support to veterans while others provide support through information, referrals, legislative matters and Peer2Peer programs.







# GOLD AND BLUE STAR FAMILIES



## **American Gold Star Mothers**

*"Strive to keep the memory of our sons and daughters alive."*

<https://www.americangoldstarmothers.org/>

## **Department of TN Gold Star Mothers**

<https://www.americangoldstarmothers.org/tn.html>

## **Freedom's Heroes Chapter:**

[jffhome13@aol.com](mailto:jffhome13@aol.com)

## **Greater Chattanooga Chapter:**

[floridasherrie@hotmail.com](mailto:floridasherrie@hotmail.com)

## **Middle TN Chapter:**

[middletnchapter@americangoldstarmothers.org](mailto:middletnchapter@americangoldstarmothers.org)

## **Blue Star Moms of America**

*"Support each other and our children while promoting patriotism"*

<https://www.bluestarmothers.org/>

## **TN-1 Smokey Mountain Blue Star Moms:**

P.O. Box 70467

Knoxville, TN 37938

<http://smokymountainbluestarmoms.webs.com/>

[Aglamb4880@oil.com](mailto:Aglamb4880@oil.com)

865.719.0920

## **TN-3 Music City Blue Star Moms:**

P.O. Box 35

Gladeville, TN 37071

<https://www.facebook.com/MCBSMTN3>  
[president.TN3@bluestarmothers.us](mailto:president.TN3@bluestarmothers.us)

615.598.8186

## **TN-4 Mountain Valley Blue Star Moms:**

P.O. Box 56

Athens, TN 37371

[kquallsx8@gmail.com](mailto:kquallsx8@gmail.com)

423.507.7804

## **TN-5 Scenic Blue Star Mothers:**

P.O. Box 24372

Chattanooga, TN 37422

<https://www.facebook.com/ScenicCityBlueStarMothersTN5>

[President.tn5@bluestarmothers.us](mailto:President.tn5@bluestarmothers.us)

423.963.6351

## **TN-6 Blue Star Moms of the Tri Cities:**

P.O. Box 1220

Kingsport, TN 37662

[President.TN6@bluestarmothers.us](mailto:President.TN6@bluestarmothers.us)

276.594.2840

## **TN-7 Upper Cumberland Blue Star Moms:**

P.O. Box 2586

Cookeville, TN 38502

<https://ucbsmtn7.501site.com/president.tn7@bluestarmothers.us>

619.261.9323

## **Silver Star Families**

**Currently there are no representatives of Silver Star Families in TN**

<http://www.silverstarfamilies.org>



## TN COUNTY VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS

These are organizations and groups that support veterans in their counties and areas in Tennessee.

### Coffee County Veterans Association

"Helping Veterans of Coffee County"

130 Shelton Rd  
Manchester, TN 37355  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/CCVAT>  
N

### Veterans Center of East Tennessee

"No Veteran Ever Has To Feel Alone."

105 W. McKinney Ave  
Rogersville, TN 37857  
<https://vcofet.org/>  
[veteranscenterofeasttn@gmail.com](mailto:veteranscenterofeasttn@gmail.com)  
423.526.1666

### Daughters of the American Revolution

They support veterans and Veteran organizations in TN.

For information or to find a chapter in your area go to:

<https://www.tndar.org/wp2020/>

### West Tennessee Veterans Coalition

"Supporting those who serve in West TN"

P.O. Box 11342  
Jackson, TN 38308  
<https://westtnvets.org/>  
[wtnvetscoalition@gmail.com](mailto:wtnvetscoalition@gmail.com)  
731.988.8908

### East Tennessee Military Affairs Council

"Encourage, support, and build synergy among the military and veteran organizations in our community"

17 Market Square #201  
Knoxville, TN 37902  
<https://www.etmac.org/>  
<https://www.etmac.org/contact/>  
865.637.4550

### Southeast Tennessee Veterans Coalition

"Providing Outreach to military service, veterans and their families"

1 Siskin Plaza  
Chattanooga, TN 37403  
<https://www.setnvets.org/>  
[infoetnvets@gmail.com](mailto:infoetnvets@gmail.com)  
423.634.1771





## COMMUNITY VETERAN PROGRAMS

These are organizations that supply support, programs and assistance to veterans and their families in Tennessee and Nationally.

### **A Soldiers Child Foundation**

**“Honoring the Children of our Fallen  
American Military”**

1197 Hazelwood Dr., Suite 104  
Smyrna, TN 37167  
<https://asoldierschild.org>  
[info@asoldierschild.org](mailto:info@asoldierschild.org)  
615.220.1600

### **Friends for the Troops**

**“No Unsung Heroes”**

P.O. Box 21375  
Chattanooga, TN 37424  
[https://www.friendsofthetroops.org/  
support@friendsofthetroops.org](https://www.friendsofthetroops.org/support@friendsofthetroops.org)  
423.599.9901

### **Forever Young Veterans**

**“Help end the silent suffering”**

**ALHPA – OMEGA Veterans Service Inc.**  
**“Helping veterans reintegrate into society”**  
3114 Jackson Ave.  
Memphis, TN 38112  
[https://www.alphaomegaveterans.org/abo  
ut-us](https://www.alphaomegaveterans.org/about-us)  
[Info@alphaomegaveterans.org](mailto:Info@alphaomegaveterans.org)  
901.726.6820

201 S. Center St #200  
Collierville, TN 38017  
<https://foreveryoungvets.org/>  
<https://foreveryoungvets.org/contact-us/>  
901.299.7516

### **Gary Sinise Foundation**

**“We serve our nation by Honoring our  
Defenders, Veterans, First Responders,  
their Families & Those in need.”**

**Charlie and Hazel Daniels Veteran and  
Military Family Center**  
**“Provide transition services for Veterans  
and their families as they return to civilian  
life after military service”**  
1524 Military Memorial – P.O. Box 74  
Murfreesboro, TN 37130  
<https://www.mtsu.edu/military/>  
615.904.8347

P.O. Box 40726  
Nashville, TN 37204  
<https://www.garysinisefoundation.org/>  
[https://www.garysinisefoundation.org/con  
tact](https://www.garysinisefoundation.org/contact)  
615.575.3500

### **Cooking with a Veteran Inc.**

**#FeedingVeteransOneMealataTime.**

P.O. Box 1354  
Shelbyville, TN 37162  
<https://cookingwithaveteran.org/>  
[cookingwithaveteran@gmail.com](mailto:cookingwithaveteran@gmail.com)  
631.838.8944

### **Healing Flames Forge Inc.**

**“Enrich the lives of others through  
hammer, anvil, and camaraderie”**

3825 N. Old Dover Rd  
Woodland, TN 37191  
<https://healingflamesforge.org/>  
[info@healingflamesforge.org](mailto:info@healingflamesforge.org)  
610.750.0924





# COMMUNITY VETERAN PROGRAMS

## Honor Flights Tennessee

*“Honoring American Veterans”*

Middle TN, Nashville Airport

<https://www.honorflightmidtn.org/>  
[tnhonorflight@gmail.com](mailto:tnhonorflight@gmail.com)

Johnson City

<https://honorflightah.org/>  
[gotodc@honorflightah.org](mailto:gotodc@honorflightah.org)

## HONORAIR KNOXVILLE

*“Honoring our Veterans”*

P.O. Box 12990

Knoxville, TN 37912

<https://www.honorairknoxville.com/>  
[info@honorairknoxville.com](mailto:info@honorairknoxville.com)

865.859.9279

## IAVA

**Iraq Afghanistan Veterans of America**

80 M Street SE, F12

Washington, DC 20003

202.544.7692

[info@iava.org](mailto:info@iava.org)

**Cavalry Member Nashville, TN**

Charley Rodriguez

<https://iava.org/people/charley-rodriguez>

## Irreverent Warriors

*“Eliminate Isolation. Eliminate Suicide”*

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/>  
[https://irreverentwarriors.com/contact/  
info@irreverentwarriors.com](https://irreverentwarriors.com/contact/info@irreverentwarriors.com)

**Chattanooga Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/chattanooga/>

**Knoxville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/knoxville/>

**Memphis Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/memphis/>

**Nashville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/nashville/>

**Clarksville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/clarksville-tn/>

## Lost Vets

*“Rescuing Veterans Lost in America”*

6708 Morganton Rd

Greenback, TN 37742

<https://www.thelostvets.org/>  
[thelostvetsrescue@gmail.com](mailto:thelostvetsrescue@gmail.com)

865.315.5978

## Memories of Honor

*“Make every day Memorial Day”*

P.O. Box 98

Arrington, TN 37014

[https://www.memoriesofhonor.org/  
contact@memoriesofhonor.org](https://www.memoriesofhonor.org/contact@memoriesofhonor.org)

615.905.6642

## Operation Headshot

*“Harnesses the power of photography to unlock untapped potential and empower the futures of those who have selflessly sacrificed.”*

P.O. Box 123

Lebanon, TN 37088

[https://www.operationheadshot.com/  
HELLO@OPERATIONHEADSHOT.COM](https://www.operationheadshot.com/HELLO@OPERATIONHEADSHOT.COM)

615.812.3886





## COMMUNITY VETERAN PROGRAMS

### Operation United Hope

"Bringing Hope to our Military, Veterans and Families in need"

5725 Hwy 111 Unit 3  
Cookeville, TN 38506  
<https://operationunitedhope.square.site/>  
[OperationUnitedHope@gmail.com](mailto:OperationUnitedHope@gmail.com)  
931.303.1900

### Orange Heart Medal Foundation

"Bring recognition for veterans who served in the Vietnam war and who were affected by exposure to Agent Orange."

13833 Owens Chapel Rd.  
Springfield, TN 37172  
<https://orangeheartmedal.org/index.html>  
[kengamble68@gmail.com](mailto:kengamble68@gmail.com)  
615.973.5279

### Overwatch Alliance

"FORWARD. TOGETHER."

1000 North Chase Dr. Suite 220  
Goodlettsville, TN 37072  
<https://overwatchalliance.org/whowearinfo@asmba.com>  
615.851.0800

### Quilts of Valor Foundation

"Quilts = Healing."

<https://www.qovf.org/>

### TN State Coordinator:

<https://www.qovf.org/state-coordinators/tennessee-2/>

### TN Southeast Coordinator:

<https://www.qovf.org/state-coordinators/tennessee/>

### Southeast Tennessee Veteran Coalition

"Providing Outreach to military service, veterans and their families"

1 Siskin Plaza  
Chattanooga, TN 37403  
<https://www.setnvets.org/>  
[infosetnvets@gmail.com](mailto:infosetnvets@gmail.com)  
423.634.1771

### Team RED, WHITE, BLUE

"America's health and wellness community for Veterans."

<https://teamrwb.org/>

### Chapters in:

Chattanooga  
Clarksville / Fort Campbell  
Middle TN  
Knoxville

Check site for chapters and events.

### Tennessee Veterans (TNVET)

TN Veteran Legislative Organization

P.O. Box 31863  
Clarksville, TN 37040  
<https://tnvet.org/>  
[info@tnvet.org](mailto:info@tnvet.org)

### The Charlie Daniels Journey Home Project

"Support the return, rehabilitation, and reintegration back to civilian life."

1241 Northern Road  
Mt. Juliet, TN 37122  
<https://thejourneyhomeproject.org/>

### The Mission Continues

#reportingforduty

<https://www.missioncontinues.org/service-platoon/Nashville/>





## COMMUNITY VETERAN PROGRAMS

### Travis Manion Foundation

Empowering Veterans and families of fallen heroes to develop character in future generations.

<https://www.travismanion.org/>

#### TMF – Clarksville Chapter

<https://www.travismanion.org/events/manion-wod/tmf-clarksville-chapter-clarksville/>

### United Service Organizations (USO)

“Were with all service members and military families.”

#### Nashville International Airport:

1 Terminal Drive Suite 324  
Nashville, TN 37214

<https://fortcampbell.uso.org/nashville>

615.835.3128

#### USO Fort Campbell:

6145 Desert Storm Ave  
Fort Campbell, KY 42223

<https://fortcampbell.uso.org/fort-campbell>

760.681.3114

### Veterans BBQ Camp

“Changing Veterans Lives Through BBQ”

P.O. Box 643

Sale Creek, TN 37379

<https://veteransbbqcamp.org/>

### VETLINX

“Community Partnership Program for Veterans' in Middle Tennessee”

P.O. Box 1166

Nashville, TN

<https://www.vetlinx.org/>

<https://www.vetlinx.org/contact>

844.VETLINX

### WAYPOINT VETS

“Uniting and empowering veterans through comraderies and adventure”

<https://waypointvets.org/>

<https://waypointvets.org/connect/>

### We are Building Lives

“To Leave No Veteran Behind”

Committed to the care of veterans and their families that are either homeless or on the verge of becoming homeless.

<http://www.wearebuildinglives.org/>

[Kevin@wearebuildinglives.org](mailto:Kevin@wearebuildinglives.org)

615.678.4967

### WOMEN VETERANS OF AMERICA CHAPTER 47

Montgomery County, TN

<https://www.facebook.com/WVAChapter47/>

[wvach47.clarksville@gmail.com](mailto:wvach47.clarksville@gmail.com)

### Wounded Warrior Project

“help warriors get back on track and become a positive force in their communities.”

2222 Rosa L. Parks Ave

Nashville, TN 37203

<https://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/>

615.782.7226





These are organizations that supply support, programs and assistance to women veterans and their families in Tennessee and Nationally.

### **East Tennessee Women Veterans**

**"Recognize. Encourage. Support.  
Advocate."**

3239 Shropshire BLVD, Suite 503  
Powell, TN 37849  
<https://www.etnwomenveterans.com/>  
[etnwomenveterans@gmail.com](mailto:etnwomenveterans@gmail.com)  
865.765.4494

### **Invisible Warriors**

**"Every military woman you meet is fighting  
an unseen battle."**

<https://invisiblewarriors.org>  
[nancy@invisiblewarriors.org](mailto:nancy@invisiblewarriors.org)  
269.319.6041

### **The Veterans Consortium Women Veterans Legal Assistance Program**

[https://www.vetsprobono.org/legal-  
help/wvlap/](https://www.vetsprobono.org/legal-help/wvlap/)  
[wvlap@vetsprobono.org](mailto:wvlap@vetsprobono.org)

### **WAYPOINT VETS**

***(Has women veteran retreats)***

**"Uniting and empowering veterans  
through camaraderie and adventure"**

<https://waypointvets.org/>  
<https://waypointvets.org/connect/>

### **WOMEN VETERANS ALLIANCE**

[https://www.womenveteransalliance.com/  
allies/](https://www.womenveteransalliance.com/allies/)

Women Veterans can find more recourses  
here.

### **Women Marines Association**

**"Uniting All Marine Corps Women"**

<https://www.womenmarines.org>

### **TN – 1 Rocky Top**

[https://www.facebook.com/WMATN1/  
tn1@womenmarines.org](https://www.facebook.com/WMATN1/tn1@womenmarines.org)

### **TN – 2 Delta Blues**

[https://www.facebook.com/groups/65564  
0641284845/  
listening@womenmarines.org](https://www.facebook.com/groups/655640641284845/listening@womenmarines.org)

### **TN – 3 Music City Marines**

[https://www.facebook.com/groups/TN3M  
usicCityMarines/  
TN3@womenmarines.org](https://www.facebook.com/groups/TN3MusicCityMarines/TN3@womenmarines.org)

### **Women Veterans Alliance Tennessee**

3404 Bradfield Dr.  
Clarksville, TN  
[https://womenelevated.org/  
konshinea@gmail.com](https://womenelevated.org/konshinea@gmail.com)  
240.603.7095

### **WOMEN VETERANS CALL CENTER 1.855.VA.WOMEN**

### **WOMEN VETERANS OF AMERICA CHAPTER 47**

Montgomery County, TN  
[https://www.facebook.com/WVChapter4  
7/  
wvach47.clarksville@gmail.com](https://www.facebook.com/WVChapter47/wvach47.clarksville@gmail.com)





These are organizations and programs that help heal veterans and provide support thru riding.

### **Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club**

#### **BSMC Nashville**

<https://www.riderclubs.com/club/buffalo-soldiers-mc-nashville>

#### **BSMC Clarksville**

<https://www.bsmclarksville.com/>

#### **BSMC Memphis**

### **COMBAT VETERANS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION**

<https://www.combatvet.us/>

#### **CMVA TN 18-1**

1907 Lebanon Pike  
Nashville, TN

<https://www.cvmatn18-1.org/>

#### **CMVA TN 18-3**

P.O. Box 4  
Knoxville, TN 37901

<https://combatvets18-3.com/>

#### **CMVA TN 18-4**

<http://TN.combatvet.org/>

#### **CMVA TN 18-6**

Memphis, TN

<https://cvma18-6.org/>  
[commander@cvma18-6.org](mailto:commander@cvma18-6.org)

#### **CVMA TN 18-7**

Baxter

<http://tn.combatvet.org/cookeville.htm>

#### **CVMA TN 18-12**

Morristown

<https://www.cvma18-12.com/>

#### **CVMA TN 18-13**

Chattanooga

#### **CVMA TN 18-14**

Dover

### **ROLLING THUNDER**

<https://www.rollingthunder1.com/rtnj1@att.net>

#### **Chapter TN-1**

P.O. Box 332534  
Murfreesboro, TN 37133  
615.653.0961

#### **Chapter TN-2**

P.O. Box 91132  
East Ridge, TN 37415  
423.413.0442

#### **Chapter TN-3**

P.O. Box 12357  
Knoxville, TN 37912  
609.618.8119







These are organizations and programs that help heal veterans and provide support thru riding.

**ROLLING THUNDER**

<https://www.rollingthunder1.com/rtnj1@att.net>

**Chapter TN-4**

P.O. Box 220  
Mountain Home, TN 37684  
423.440.0706

**Chapter TN-5**

P.O. Box 3848  
Crossville, TN 38557  
931.788.6450

**Chapter TN-6**

P.O. Box 251  
Martin, TN 38237  
815.238.2139

**US Military Vets MC – Tennessee**

<https://usmvtn.com/>

**TN-1 Memphis**

**TN-2 Nashville**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/269603196446758>

**TN -3 Sevierville**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/463356350388263>

**TN-4 Chattanooga**

**TN-5 Clarksville**

<https://www.facebook.com/US-Military-Vets-MC-Clarksville-TN-728335490697719/>

**TN-6 Union City**

**TN-7 Eagleville**

<https://www.facebook.com/USMVMCON7C/>

**TN-8 Greenville**

<https://www.facebook.com/usmvmctn8>

**Veterans Motorcycle Club**

**Chapter 18**

2210 River Rd  
Clarksville, TN  
<https://www.facebook.com/veteransmc.clarksville>





These are organizations and programs that help heal veterans and provide support thru music

### **Bugles Across America**

<https://www.buglesacrossamerica.org/>  
<https://www.buglesacrossamerica.org/News-Contact-Us>

### **Guitars for VETS**

**"Sharing the healing power of music with our veterans"**

<https://guitars4vets.org/>

1310 24<sup>th</sup> Ave South

Nashville, TN 37212

<https://www.facebook.com/G4Vnashville/tn.nashville@guitarsforvets.org>

### **Operation Song**

**"Bring them back, one song at a time" TM**

P.O. Box 121746

Nashville, TN 37212

<https://www.operationssong.org/contact@operationssong.org>

844.967.7664

### **Songwriting with Soldiers**

**"Transforming Lives Through Songwriting"**

632 Fogg St. #8

Nashville, TN 37203

<https://songwritingwithsoldiers.org/>  
<https://songwritingwithsoldiers.org/contact/>



# PEER2PEER

These are organizations and programs that help heal veterans and provide support thru Peer mentoring and support

To find resources, training and funding for Peer to Peer programs go to:  
[TN Behavioral Services](#)

Many VET CENTERS have Peer2Peer programs check out a VET Center near you on page 8.

Music Programs like Guitars for Vets are a type of Peer2Peer support you can check out music programs on page 124.

Outdoor programs and retreats also offer Peer2Peer support you can find them on page 126-128.

## P38

*"Keep up the warrior's family morale"*

P.O. Box 681466  
Franklin, TN 37068  
[p38inc@comcast.net](mailto:p38inc@comcast.net)

## Veteran Peer Support Programs

### NTC Veterans Peer Group (For IT Professionals)

500 Interstate BLVD. S.  
Nashville, TN 37210  
<https://technologycouncil.com/events/ntc-peer-groups/ntc-veterans-peer-group/>  
<https://technologycouncil.com/contact/>  
615.873.1284

### Vet2Vet Middle TN

Columbia, TN  
<https://www.facebook.com/Vet2VetMiddleTN>  
[outreach@V2VMiddleTN.org](mailto:outreach@V2VMiddleTN.org)

### Vet2Vet Middle TN

#### Columbia, TN

<https://www.facebook.com/Vet2VetMiddleTN>  
[outreach@V2VMiddleTN.org](mailto:outreach@V2VMiddleTN.org)

### VET2VET – Tennessee

403 Tellico Street N.  
Madisonville, TN 37354  
<https://tnvhc.org/home-front-2/>  
865.336.2624

### Veteran Peer Mentoring Program @UTC

615 McCallie Ave  
Chattanooga, TN 37403  
[Veteran Peer Program](#)  
[vmaamb@utc.edu](mailto:vmaamb@utc.edu)  
423.425.4663

### Veterans Peer Support Group @VFW Post 4780

2084 N Main St.  
Milan, TN 38358  
In-person or by Zoom call for info  
706.825.2918

### WWP Peer Support Groups Nashville and Knoxville areas

<https://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/programs/peer-support-resourcecenter@woundedwarriorproject.org>  
888.997.2586





## VETERANS OUTDOORS & RETREATS

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### **Aerial Recovery**

“Trains and deploys Humanitarian Special Operators to effectively respond to natural and man-made disasters and combat sex trafficking.”

4235 Hillsboro Pike Ste 300  
Nashville, TN 37201

<https://aerialrecovery.org/>  
[comms@aerialrecovery.org](mailto:comms@aerialrecovery.org)

HEAL THE HEROES RETREAT

Retreat for Veterans and First Responders through Aerial Recovery.

### **Cooking with a Veteran Inc.**

Provides on-line and in-person training.

P.O. Box 1354  
Shelbyville, TN 37162

<https://cookingwithaveteran.org/>  
[cookingwithaveteran@gmail.com](mailto:cookingwithaveteran@gmail.com)

631.838.8944

### **Darkhorse Lodge**

A Peaceful Retreat for Combat Veterans

1951 Swor Rd.  
Springville, TN 38256

<https://www.darkhorselodge.org/>  
<https://www.darkhorselodge.org/contact>

731.363.3616

### **Healing Flames Forge**

“Enrich the lives of others through hammer, anvil, and camaraderie”

3825 N. Old Dover Rd.  
Woodland, TN 37191

<https://healingflamesforge.org/>  
[info@healingflamesforge.org](mailto:info@healingflamesforge.org)

610.750.0924

### **Honor Flights Tennessee**

“Honoring American Veterans”

<https://www.honorflight.org/>

### **Honor Flights Middle TN**

Nashville International Airport

<https://www.honorflightmidtn.org/>  
[tnhonorflight@gmail.com](mailto:tnhonorflight@gmail.com)

833.466.6787

### **Honor Flights of Appalachian Highlands**

Johnson City

<https://honorflightah.org/>  
[gotodc@honorflightah.org](mailto:gotodc@honorflightah.org)

423.384.7034

### **HONORAIR KNOXVILLE**

“Honoring Our Veterans”

P.O. Box 12990  
Knoxville, TN 37912

<https://www.honorairknoxville.com/>  
[hillengladehhh@gmail.com](mailto:hillengladehhh@gmail.com)

615.868.6309

### **Irreverent Warriors**

“Eliminate Isolation. Eliminate Suicide”

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/>  
<https://irreverentwarriors.com/contact/>  
[info@irreverentwarriors.com](mailto:info@irreverentwarriors.com)

### **Chattanooga Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/chattanooga/>





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### **Hope and Healing at Hillenglade**

**Equine Assisted Therapy**

30 Hillenglade Drive

Nashville, TN 37207

<http://www.hillenglade.org/>

615.868.6309

### **IBEW Local 429 Union Hall**

2001 Elm Hill Pike

Nashville, TN 37210

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/nashville/>

[kent.crossley@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:kent.crossley@projecthealingwaters.org)

### **Irreverent Warriors**

#### **Knoxville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/knoxville/>

#### **Memphis Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/memphis/>

#### **Nashville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/nashville/>

#### **Clarksville Chapter:**

<https://irreverentwarriors.com/communities/tennessee/clarksville-tn/>

### **Chattanooga VA Outpatient Clinic**

6401 Shallowford Rd.

Chattanooga, TN 37421

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/chattanooga/>

[ross.schweinforth@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:ross.schweinforth@projecthealingwaters.org)

### **Blanchfield Army Community Hospital**

2095 E. Kentucky Ave

Clarksville, TN 42223

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/clarksville-fort-campbell/>

[ricky.bonczek@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:ricky.bonczek@projecthealingwaters.org)

### **William C. Tallent Outpatient Clinic**

8033 Ray Mears BLVD

Knoxville, TN 37923

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/knoxville/>

[michael.beasley@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:michael.beasley@projecthealingwaters.org)

### **PROJECT HEALING WATERS**

**A Journey of Healing**

<https://projecthealingwaters.org>

### **Tennessee VHS - Alvin C. York Campus**

2350 Armory Dr.

Murfreesboro, TN 37129

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/murfreesboro/>

[bob.mullins@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:bob.mullins@projecthealingwaters.org)

### **Bass Pro Shop**

6140 Macon Rd.

River City, TN 38134

<https://projecthealingwaters.org/location/river-city/>

[Robert.Horn@projecthealingwaters.org](mailto:Robert.Horn@projecthealingwaters.org)





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### **TEAM RED, WHITE, BLUE**

"Americas health and wellness community for veterans."

<https://teamrwb.org/>

Connecting and finding information on chapters is done through the website

### **Tennessee Chapters:**

Chattanooga Chapter

Clarksville/Fort Campbell Chapter

Middle TN Chapter

Knoxville Chapter

### **Veterans BBQ Camp**

"Changing Veterans Lives Through BBQ."

P.O. Box 643

Sale Creek, TN 37379

<https://veteransbbqcamp.org/>

### **Travis Manion Foundation**

Empowering Veterans and families of fallen heroes to develop character in future generations.

<https://www.travismanion.org/>

### **TMF – Clarksville Chapter**

<https://www.travismanion.org/events/manion-wod/tmf-clarksville-chapter-clarksville/>

### **WAYPOINT VETERANS**

"Uniting and empowering veterans through camaraderie and adventure"

<https://waypointvets.org/>

<https://waypointvets.org/connect/>

### **Wounded Warrior Project**

(Check on their website for outdoor events)

<https://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/>





## SERVICE DOGS Animal Therapy

These are organizations and programs that help heal veterans and provide support through Service Dogs, and Animal Therapy Program.

### **America's VetDogs**

<https://www.vetdogs.org>

371 East Jericho Turnpike  
Smithtown, NY 11787  
631.930.9090

### **Hope and Healing at Hillenglade** **Equine Assisted Therapy**

30 Hillenglade Drive  
Nashville, TN 37207

<http://www.hillenglade.org/>

615.868.6309

### **Project K-9 Hero**

**"Protecting Those Who Protect Us!"**

Provides assistance with rehabilitation and placement of retired K9 Dogs.  
Rehabilitation and Rehoming Facility

309 Bear Pen Rd.

Whitewell, TN 37397

[info@projectk9hero.org](mailto:info@projectk9hero.org)

855.759.4376

### **Smoky Mountain Service Dogs**

**"Facilitating a better life for veterans through canine companionship and service."**

8380 Fairview Road  
Lenoir City, TN 37772

<https://www.smokymountainservicedogs.org>

[suzy.k@smokymountainservicedogs.org](mailto:suzy.k@smokymountainservicedogs.org)

### **Working Dogs for Vets**

**"Providing service dogs for disabled heroes"**

3138 Buffalo Rd

Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

[https://www.workingdogsforvets.org/  
support@workingdogsforvets.org](https://www.workingdogsforvets.org/support@workingdogsforvets.org)

843.647.4357

### **VA Service Dog Policies and Assistance**

<https://www.va.gov/palo-alto-health-care/programs/service-animals/service-dogs/>





**TN MILITARY & VETERAN  
MUSEUMS, PARKS, MONUMENTS**



Military and Veteran Museums,  
Parks, and Monuments  
around Tennessee

**Battle of Franklin – Civil War Museum**

<https://boft.org/>  
[info@boft.org](mailto:info@boft.org)  
615.791.1861

**Carter House**

1140 Columbia Ave  
Franklin, TN 37064  
615.791.1861

**Carton**

1345 Eastern Flank Circle  
Franklin, TN 37064  
615.794.0903

**Rippa Villa**

5700 Main Street  
Spring Hill, TN 37174  
931.486.9037

**Battles for Chattanooga**

*“Tour of the area’s Civil War sites”*

1110 E. Brow Rd.  
Lookout Mountain, TN 37350  
<https://www.battlesforchattanooga.com/>  
423.821.2812

**East Tennessee Veterans Memorial**

*In Knoxville’s World’s Fair Park bears the names of more than 6200 veterans from 35 East Tennessee counties who have died in military service since the beginning of World War I.*

P.O. Box 3714  
Knoxville, TN 37927  
<https://www.etvma.org/>  
865.633.8337

**Gold Star Families Memorial**

1630 Fort Henry Dr.  
Kingsport, TN 37664

**Halls Veteran’s Museum**

*West TN Premier WWII Heritage Museum*

100 Veterans Dr. N.  
Halls, TN 38040  
[https://www.dyaab.us/  
vetmuseumhalls2@gmail.com](https://www.dyaab.us/vetmuseumhalls2@gmail.com)  
731.836.7400

**Lincoln County Veterans Warrior Museum**

*“Pay tribute to those in and from Fayetteville/Lincoln County who have served our nation.”*

113 Main Ave N.  
Fayetteville, TN  
<https://lincolnvs.com/warrior-exhibit>  
[WarriorExhibit2015@gmail.com](mailto:WarriorExhibit2015@gmail.com)  
931.993.4820

**Marian County Veterans Memorial Park**

HWY 28 – Whitewell City Park  
Whitewell, TN 37397  
423.260.9400

**Military Branch of the Tennessee State Museum**

*“Honoring those Tennesseans who served”*

301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave N.  
Nashville, TN 37243  
<https://tnmuseum.org/military-branch>  
[info@tnmuseum.org](mailto:info@tnmuseum.org)  
615.741.2692







**TN MILITARY & VETERAN  
MUSEUMS, PARKS, MONUMENTS**



Military and Veteran Museums,  
Parks, and Monuments  
around Tennessee

**Military Memorial Museum of  
Upper Cumberland**

20 South Main Street  
Crossville, TN 38555  
<https://www.militarymemorialmuseum-tn.org/>  
[contact@mmmuc.org](mailto:contact@mmmuc.org)  
931.250.5525

**MTSU Veterans Memorial**

<https://www.mtsu.edu/military/memorial/>

**MTSU Veterans Memorial Bricks**

<https://www.mtsu.edu/military/bricks/>

[dvmfc@mtsu.edu](mailto:dvmfc@mtsu.edu)  
615.904.8347

**National Confederate Museum at Historic  
Elm Springs**

2357 Park Plus Dr.  
Columbia, TN 38401  
<https://theconfederatemuseum.com/>  
[visitemsprings@gmail.com](mailto:visitemsprings@gmail.com)  
931.380.1844

**National Medal of Honor Heritage Center**

2 W. Aquarium Way Suite 104  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
<https://www.mohhc.org/>  
[info@mohhc.org](mailto:info@mohhc.org)  
423.877.2525

**SAM H. WERNER Military Museum**

1148 West Main St.  
Monteagle, TN 37356  
<https://wernermilitarymuseum.com/>  
[parker.lowndes@gmail.com](mailto:parker.lowndes@gmail.com)  
931.308.7854

**Tipton County Military Museum**

751 Bert Johnson Ave  
Covington, TN 38019  
901.476.0242

**Wilson County Veterans Museum**

304 E. Main St.  
Lebanon, TN 37087  
<https://wilsoncountyveteransmuseum.com/>  
[info@wilsoncountyveteransmuseum.com](mailto:info@wilsoncountyveteransmuseum.com)  
615.444.2460

**World War II Memorial**

1049 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.  
Nashville, TN 37208





# PURPLE HEART ENTITIES IN TN



<https://www.purpleheart.org/PHTrailState/TN>

## Cities:

[Bartlett, TN 38134](#)  
[Clarksville, TN 37040](#)  
[Covington, TN 38019](#)  
[Germantown, TN 38138](#)  
[La Vergne, TN 37086](#)  
[Lakeland, TN 38002](#)  
[Munford, TN 38058](#)  
[Murfreesboro, TN 37130](#)  
[Smyrna, TN 37167](#)  
[White Bluff, TN 37187](#)

## Colleges/Universities

[Middle Tennessee State University](#)  
[University of Tennessee, Knoxville](#)

## Counties

Anderson County  
Knox County  
McNary County  
Montgomery County  
Rutherford County  
Shelby County  
Tipton County

## Other Entities

[AMVETS POST 325, Murfreesboro](#)  
[Blackman High School, Murfreesboro](#)  
[Cub Scout Pack 108, Murfreesboro](#)  
[Ranger Base Minatra, La Vergne](#)  
[Synergy Veterans Home Care](#)  
[White Lightning Harley Davidson, Chattanooga](#)

## Purple Heart Trails/Routes

US 41, US 41A, US 412, US 11, US 11E, US 11W, US 70/25, US 31, US 51, US 55, US 79, US 321





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**VA GI Bill Information**

<https://www.va.gov/education/about-gi-bill-benefits/>

**VA Jobs:**

<https://vacareers.va.gov>

**State of TN Veteran Education:**

<https://www.tn.gov/veteran/veteran-education.html>

**State of TN Jobs:**

<https://www.tn.gov/careers.html>

**AMERICAN JOB CENTERS TN**

<https://www.tnvirtualajc.com>

**Education:**

<https://www.tnvirtualajc.com/services/education>

**Job Planning:**

<https://www.tnvirtualajc.com/services/job-planning>

**Find a Job Center Near You:**

<https://www.tnvirtualajc.com/find-job-center>



**Farmer Veteran Coalition of Tennessee**

234 Morrell Rd. Suite 104  
Knoxville, TN 37919  
<https://fvctn.org/>  
[info@fvctn.org](mailto:info@fvctn.org)

**Region 1 West Coordinator**

[region1@fvctn.org](mailto:region1@fvctn.org)

**Region 2 Middle West Coordinator**

[region2s@fvctn.org](mailto:region2s@fvctn.org)

**Region 3 Middle East Coordinator**

[region3s@fvctn.org](mailto:region3s@fvctn.org)

**Region 4 East Coordinator North**

[region4n@fvctn.org](mailto:region4n@fvctn.org)

**Region 4 East Coordinator South**

[region4s@fvctn.org](mailto:region4s@fvctn.org)

**Folds of Honor Tennessee**

**(Education Grants)**

2020 Fieldstone Parkway Suite 900-93  
Franklin, TN 37069  
<https://tennessee.foldsofhonor.org/>

**Healing Flames Forge**

**(Blacksmith Workshop)**

**"Enrich the lives of others through hammer, anvil, and camaraderie"**

3825 N Old Dover Rd  
Woodland, TN 37191  
<https://healingflamesforge.org/>  
[info@healingflamesforge.org](mailto:info@healingflamesforge.org)





# EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT

These are organizations that supply support, programs and assistance to help veterans with education, skill training and to find jobs and grow their businesses.

## Operation Stand Down Tennessee

Engage. Equip. Empower. Veterans

Career Services: [careerservices@osdtn.org](mailto:careerservices@osdtn.org)

## Recruit Military

Find Jobs in TN

<https://my.recruitmilitary.com/jobs/state/TN>

## SBA

### U.S. Small Business Administration

Veteran-Owned Business

<https://www.sba.gov/business-guide/grow-your-business/veteran-owned-businesses>

## SBDC Tennessee

(Small Business Development Centers)

<https://tsbdc.org>

Helps provide assistance to business, training and job support

Find a Center near you in Tennessee

<https://tsbdc.org/centers/>

## Student Veterans of America

You can find information on SVA in Tennessee on page 94-95.

## TCAT

### Tennessee College of Applied Technology

<https://www.tbr.edu/tcat/institutions>

Locations in:

[Athens](#), [Chattanooga](#), [Crossville](#), [Crump](#), [Dickson](#), [Elizabethton](#), [Harriman](#), [Hartsville](#), [Paris](#), [Hohenwald](#), [Jacksboro](#), [Jackson](#), [Knoxville](#), [Livingston](#), [McKenzie](#), [McMinnville](#), [Memphis](#), [Morristown](#), [Murfreesboro](#), [Nashville](#), [Newbern](#), [Oneida](#), [Pulaski](#), [Shelbyville](#).

## United Way

Helps with Job Training and unites with other organizations in areas to help with training, support, and housing.

You can find a United Way near you:

<https://www.unitedway.org/find-your-united-way>

[Sweetwater](#), [Oak Ridge](#), [Camden](#), [Maryville](#), [Bristol](#), [Johnson City](#), [Winchester](#), [Chattanooga](#), [Kingsport](#), [Knoxville](#), [Nashville](#), [Greenville](#), [Morristown](#), [Rogersville](#), [Tullahoma](#), [Waverly](#), [Loudon County](#), [Columbia](#), [Athens](#), [Union City](#), [Dayton](#), [Harriman](#), [Murfreesboro](#), [Sevierville](#), [Gallatin](#), [Clarksville](#), [Memphis](#), [Cleveland](#), [Jackson](#), [Lebanon](#)





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### **USA JOBS**

<https://www.usajobs.gov>

### **USA.GOV**

<https://www.usa.gov>

### **US Department of State:**

<https://www.state.gov/job-seekers/>

### **VET CENTERS VA**

#### **EMPLOYMENT ASSESSMENT AND REFERRAL**

[https://www.vetcenter.va.gov/Vet\\_Center\\_Services.asp](https://www.vetcenter.va.gov/Vet_Center_Services.asp)

### **VET CENTERS in:**

[Chattanooga](#)

[Clarksville](#)

[Johnson City](#)

[Knoxville](#)

[Memphis](#)

[Nashville](#)

### **VET Success on Campus**

MTSU Charlie and Hazel Veteran and  
Military Center

**“Make sure veterans and their families  
have the tools and knowledge for  
academic and future accomplishments.”**

1524 Military Memorial – P.O. Box 74  
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

<https://www.mtsu.edu/military/>  
615.904.8347

### **Veterans BBQ Camp**

**“Changing Veterans Lives Through BBQ”**  
<https://veteransbbqcamp.org/>

### **Veterans Entrepreneurship Program**

**Immersion experience at the University of  
Tennessee at Chattanooga**

[https://www.utc.edu/gary-w-rollins-  
college-of-business/outreach-  
programs/veterans-entrepreneurship-  
program/about](https://www.utc.edu/gary-w-rollins-college-of-business/outreach-programs/veterans-entrepreneurship-program/about)  
423.425.4111

### **Veterans in Trucking**

**“Be a Driver – Stay a Hero”**

<https://veteransintrucking.com/>  
[https://jobs.veteransintrucking.com/  
info@veteransintrucking.com](https://jobs.veteransintrucking.com/info@veteransintrucking.com)





## MILITARY & VETERAN DATES & EVENTS

Holidays, Birthdays, events for Active Military and Veterans. (Nationally and Tennessee reference)

### NATIONAL DATES:

**FEB 3**

#### Four Chaplains Day

A Day to remember the four U.S. Army Chaplains who made the ultimate sacrifice when the USAT Dorchester sank during WWII.

**Feb 19**

#### Coast Guard Reserve Birthday

#alwaysready #semperparatus

**March 3**

#### Navy Reserve Birthday

#readynowanytimeanywhere

**March 13**

#### K-9 Veterans Day

The date is the official birthday of the United States K9 Corps and a day to honor their service.

**March 25**

#### Medal of Honor Day

A holiday to honor the heroism and sacrifice of Medal of Honor recipients for the United States.

**March 29**

#### Vietnam Veterans Day

A national holiday to recognize and honor veterans who served in the military during the Vietnam War.

**April 5**

#### Gold Star Spouse Day

Dedicated to those whose spouses gave their lives while serving.

**April 14**

#### Air Force Reserve Birthday

#fightandwin

**April 23**

#### Army Reserve Birthday

#twicethecitizen

**May 1**

#### Silver Star Banner Day

Day to honor wounded, ill, and injured veterans.

**May 9**

#### Military Spouse Appreciation Day

**May 13**

#### Children of Fallen Patriots Day

A day to honor children left behind by the brave men and women who gave their lives to defend our freedom.

**May 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat.**

#### Armed Forces Day

Observed on the third Saturday every May. Dedicated to paying tribute to men and women currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces.





## MILITARY & VETERAN DATES & EVENTS

Holidays, Birthdays, events for Active Military and Veterans. (Nationally and Tennessee reference)

**May 26**

**Memorial Day**

A solemn occasion to honor the men and women who died while serving in the military.

**June 6**

**D-Day**

Anniversary of the World War II Allied invasion in Normandy, France.

**June 14**

**Flag Day**

A day to celebrate the adoption of the U.S. Flag.

**June 14**

**Army Birthday**

#usarmy #thiswelldefend

**June 23**

**Coast Guard Auxiliary Birthday**

#alwaysready #semperparatus

**June 27**

**National PTSD Awareness Day**

A day to bring awareness about issues related to PTSD.

**July 4**

**Independence Day**

#independenceday #july4th  
#americasbirthday

**July 27**

**Korean War Veterans Armistice Day**

#koreanwarveterans #armisticeday

**Aug 4**

**Coast Guard Birthday**

#alwaysready #semperparatus

**Aug 7**

**Purple Heart Day**

A time Americans pause to remember and honor the brave men and women who were either wounded on the battlefield or paid the ultimate sacrifice.

**Aug 29**

**Marine Forces Reserve Birthday**

#relevantreadyresponsive

**Sept 11**

**Patriot Day**

An annual observance to remember and honor those who were injured or killed during the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks.

**Sept 18**

**Air Force Birthday**

#aimhigh #flyfightwin

**Sept. 19**

**POW/MIA Recognition Day**

**Sept 29**

**Gold Star Mother's Day**

A day to honor the families of fallen servicemembers.





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**Oct 13**

[Navy Birthday](#)

#honorcouragecommitment #usnavy

**Oct 26**

**National Day for Deployed**

#dayofthedeployed

**Nov 10**

[Marine Corps Birthday](#)

#alwaysfaithful #devildog #semperfidelis

**Nov 11**

[Veterans Day](#)

#veteransday

Anniversary of the signing of the Armistice Treaty.

**Dec 7**

[Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day](#)

#pearlharborday

**DEC 2nd Saturday**

[Wreaths Across America Day](#)

#wreathsacrossamerica

**Dec 13**

[National Guard Birthday](#)

#alwaysreadyalwaysthere

**Dec 20**

[Space Force Birthday](#)

#spacefoce #alwaysabove #sempersupra

## Significant Military Months

**April**

[Month of the Military Child](#)

#militarychild

**May**

[National Military Appreciation Month](#)

#militaryappreciationmonth

**May**

[Month of the Military Caregiver](#)

#militarycaregivermonth

**NOV**

[Military Family Month](#)

#militaryfamilymonth

## Tennessee Military Dates

**June 1**

[Tennessee State Guard Birthday](#)

#stateguard #TNStateGuard

**Aug 16**

[Tennessee National Guard birthday](#)

#nationalguard #TNNG

**Sept 18**

[Tennessee Air National Guard Birthday](#)

#airguard #TNANG

