



Rebuilding your Life as a Veteran while on Parole

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An offender with veteran status on parole in the community may be eligible for services because of that veteran status through the US Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). These services include:

- Help with obtaining another copy of your DD-214 discharge papers if they have been lost or destroyed. Your DD-214 papers allow you to receive VA services no matter where you are located.
- Substance abuse treatment
- Vocational and independent living skills programs
- Community Transitional Residence Programs
- A supportive and structured community placement to help veterans live and work successfully outside of an institution
- Ongoing support and case management, including reentry group and individual counseling sessions
- Coordination of treatment with local, state and federal probation and parole agencies to ensure seamless services and support to veterans
- Hospice Care
- Mental health treatment
- Compensated Work Therapy (CWT) / Intensive Therapy (IT)
- Grant per diem housing
- HUD-VASH (VA Supported Housing)

Eligibility

- Must be eligible for VA care
- An honorable or general under honorable conditions discharge from the military after 24* consecutive months of active duty (*Exceptions may apply)
- Special benefits for returning Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF) and Operation Iraq Freedom (OIF) combat veterans
- Willingness to participate in all aspects of treatment and programming by adhering to all policies, rules and regulations of the Department of Veterans Affairs
- Approved for release on parole. The VA cannot provide custodial care. Applicants must be available to receive services.

Veteran Homelessness

The VA is working to end Veteran homelessness. The VA offers a variety of resources, programs and benefits for all eligible Veterans at risk for homelessness or attempting to exit homelessness. These programs and benefits include: prevention services, housing support services, treatment, employment/job training, benefits and other resources/services.

VA Medical Center
135 East 38th Street Boulevard
Erie, PA 16504
Phone: 814.868.8661
1.800.274.8387

VA Medical Center
1111 East End Boulevard
Wilkes Barre, PA 18711
Phone: 570.824.3521
1.877.928.2621

VA Medical Center
325 New Castle Road
Butler, PA 16001
Phone: 1.800.362.8262

VA Medical Center
1700 S. Lincoln Avenue
Lebanon, PA 17042
Phone 717.272.6621
1.800.409.8771

VA Pittsburgh Healthcare
System
University Drive Campus
University Drive
Pittsburgh, PA 15240
Phone: 412.822.2222
1.866.482.7488

H.J. Heinz Campus
1010 Delafield Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15215
Phone: 412.822.2222
1.866.482.7488

James E. Van Zandt VA Medical Center
2907 Pleasant Valley Boulevard
Altoona, PA 16602-4377
Phone: 1.877.626.2500

VA Medical Center
1400 Blackhorse Hill Road
Coatesville, PA 19320-2096
Phone: 610.384.7711
1.800.290.6172

VA Medical Center
3900 Woodland Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19104
Phone: 215.823.5800
1.800.949.1001



