



HARFORD COUNTY
VETERANS
 RESOURCE GUIDE



2019

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 and their **families**



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ABERDEEN VETERANS' CENTER DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

223 W. Bel Air Avenue, Aberdeen, MD 21001
Phone: 410.272.6771

The primary mission of this federal program is to seek out veterans suffering life readjustment problems related to their combat military experiences or because of sexual assault or harassment while on active duty. Active duty service members and their family are also eligible. Centers provide therapeutic counseling to facilitate a successful readjustment to civilian life. Services include individual, group and family counseling.

ALLIANCE, INC

Corporate Office

8003 Corporate Drive, Nottingham, MD 21236
Phone: 410.282.5900 | Fax: 410.282.3083
www.allianceinc.org

Vocational Rehabilitation Services

4510 Wharfpoint Court, Belcamp, MD 21017
Phone: 410.994.0600 | Fax: 410.994.0274

Veterans Housing Program

15 S. Parke Street, Suite 400, Aberdeen, MD 21001
Phone: 410.273.1390

Mosaic Community Services Mental Health

4 North Avenue, Suite 306, Bel Air, MD 21014
Phone: 410.420.7292

Alliance, Inc. provides community-based services to people living with mental illness and developmental disabilities as well as veterans facing homelessness including vocational rehabilitation and veterans' housing programs. Services for mental illness and developmental disabilities are provided by their affiliate, Mosaic Community Services.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

4800 Mt. Hope Drive, Baltimore, MD 21215
Phone: 410.624.2000 | Fax: 410.764.4914
Blood Donations: 800.733.2767
www.redcross.org/gcr

The American Red Cross provides 24-hour crisis assistance. They offer presentations on disaster preparedness, and courses in First Aid, CPR, Water Safety, and Informal Caregivers and Babysitting, as well as help military families secure emergency leave and emergency loans.

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICES

Bldg 2503, APG, MD 21005
Phone: 410.278.7572 or 410.278.7474 | Fax: 410.278.9685
www.aberdeen.armymwr.com/programs

Army Community Services provides telephone information and referrals for various problems and questions for active and retired military personnel and their family members, as well as DOD civilians and contractors.

ARMY RETIREMENT SERVICES

Aberdeen Proving Ground: 410.306.2322

usarmy.apg.imcom.mbx.imne-apg-hrm@mail.mil

Fort Meade: 301.677.9603

armyrsomeade@mail.mil

www.soldierforlife.army.mil/retirement/home

The Army Retirement Services Office develops Army policy and oversees Army programs worldwide that prepare Soldiers and their Families for retirement, assist survivors of Soldiers who die on active duty, and serve Retired Soldiers, surviving spouses, and their Families until death to comply with federal laws, encourage Retired Soldiers to be a Soldier for Life, and improve recruiting and retention.

ARMY SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM DIVISION

Bldg 2477, APG, MD 21005
Phone: 410.278.5319 | Fax: 410.278.4004

This program provides confidential evaluation, counseling assistance, and referrals for army employees, retirees, and family members of active duty and civilian employees.

EX-POSE

Ex-Partners of Servicemembers for Equality
P.O. Box 11191, Alexandria, VA 22312
Phone: 703.941.5844
www.ex-pose.org

A national nonprofit, volunteer organization dedicated to improving the lives of former spouses and widows of former military association.

JAG OFFICE

Aberdeen Proving Ground
Phone: 410.278.1583

MARYLAND COMMITMENT TO VETERANS PROGRAM

201 W. Preston Street, Baltimore, MD 21201

Phone: 877-770-4801

veterans.maryland.gov/marylands-commitment-to-veterans

Maryland's Commitment to Veterans is a Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DHMH) program devoted to total wellness for veterans and their families. Regional resource coordinators provide assistance to veterans and their families to support a healthy transition to civilian life. With support from the DHMH's Behavioral Health Administration, they provide a solid connection to wellness services, with an emphasis on mental health and substance use disorder services.

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION - VETERANS SERVICES

2 South Bond Street, Suite 204, Bel Air, MD 21014

410-836-4630

www.dlir.state.md.us/employment/veteranservices.shtml

Local veteran's employment representatives work with businesses, contractors, and employer organizations within local areas to develop career opportunities for veterans. The Disabled Veterans Outreach Program staff also provide specialized intensive employment assistance to eligible veterans with employment and training needs.

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

2 S. Bond Street, Bel Air, MD 21014

Phone: 410.836.4900 | Main Office: 800.446.4926

www.mdva.state.md.us

The Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs assists veterans and their families with benefits, claims, replacing papers, and any additional questions about VA benefits. Open the first and third Wednesday of the month from 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

MY HEALTHVET

10 North Greene Street, Baltimore MD 21201

877-327-0022

www.myhealth.va.gov

Through this web portal, Veterans can schedule appointments online, refill prescriptions, view their health records, and send secure messages to their team using My HealthVet.

NANCY FREEMAN OPERATION SPECIAL DELIVERY

nancyfreeman@doulas.com

www.operationspecialdelivery.com

Volunteer labor doulas are provided to women who cannot afford to hire a doula and will be alone during childbirth because their husband or partner is on military deployment.

NATIONAL MILITARY FAMILY ASSOCIATION

3601 Eisenhower Avenue, Suite 425, Alexandria, VA 22304

Phone: 703.931.6632 or 800.260.0218

info@militaryfamily.org

www.militaryfamily.org

A private nonprofit association organized to improve the quality of family life of all military personnel.

PERRY POINT VAMC - PROGRAMS FOR WOMEN

Perry Point Medical Center, Perry Point, MD 21902

Phone: 410.624.2411 or 800.949.1003 | Fax: 410.642.1161

www.maryland.va.gov/publications/PatientResourceGuide/perrypoint.asp

Perry Point Women's Program and its community outreach clinics are committed to serving the healthcare needs of women veterans. They offer general health assessment and treatment including GYN services (mammography and cervical cancer screenings), STDs, hormone therapy, cardiopulmonary disorders (including hypertension), colorectal cancer, osteoporosis, incontinence, immunizations, psychiatric disorders, addictions, nutritional counseling, and smoking cessation. Also offers pastoral and individual counseling, Women in Recovery support group, and sexual trauma treatment.

SEXUAL TRAUMA TREATMENT & POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER FOR VETERANS

Elkton Veterans' Center

103 Chesapeake Boulevard, Suite A, Elkton, MD 21921

Phone: 410.392.4485 | Fax: 410.392.6381

Aberdeen Veterans' Center

223 W. Bel Air Avenue, Aberdeen, MD 21001

Phone: 410.272.6771 | Fax: 410.297.9041

Outpatient treatment is provided to all eligible veterans by a team of professionals who have specialized knowledge and experience in understanding the physical and emotional aftermath of sexual trauma. Eligible veterans are men and women who have been sexually assaulted or harassed while in the military or have a history of sexual assault rape, or incest.

TRANSITION ASSISTANCE

Baltimore Regional Office

31 Hopkins Plaza, Baltimore, MD 21201

APG Intake Center: APG Retirement Services Offices

Susquehanna Ave, Bldg 4305, Room 243A, APG, MD 21005

www.benefits.va.gov/tap

It's never too early to start learning about the VA benefits you and your family may earn throughout your military career. Whether you are an active duty Service member or a member of the National Guard or Reserve, we are here to help you succeed.

U.S. OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

1900 E. Street NW, Washington, DC 20415

Phone: 202.606.1800 or 202.606.2532 (TTY)

www.opm.gov

www.harfordsheriff.org

Government employment information including veterans' programs.

VA MARYLAND HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

Perry Point VA Medical Center, Perry Point, MD 21902

Phone: 410-642-2411 | Fax: 410.642.1161

maryland.va.gov/locations/Perry_Point_VA_Medical_Center.asp

The Veterans Affairs (VA) Maryland Health Care System is a dynamic and progressive health care organization that provides quality, compassionate and accessible care and service to Maryland's Veterans. The Perry Point VA Medical Center provides a broad range of inpatient, outpatient and primary care services. As the largest inpatient facility in the VA Maryland Health Care System, the medical center provides inpatient medical, intermediate and long-term care programs, including nursing home care, rehabilitation services, geriatric evaluation and management, respite care, chronic ventilator care and hospice care.

VA NATIONAL CEMETERY ADMINISTRATION

810 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20420

800-827-1000

www.cem.va.gov

VA offers Veterans and their dependents burial and honoring services, including gravesites and grave liners, headstones, markers and presidential memorial certificates. Application and benefit information is available on their website.

VETERANS BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION

Baltimore Regional Office

31 Hopkins Plaza, Baltimore, MD 21201

Phone: 800-827-1000

www.explore.va.gov

www.benefits.va.gov/benefits

The Veterans Benefits Administration provides a variety of benefits and services to Servicemembers, Veterans, and their families. Benefits and services include Compensation, Pension and Fiduciary, Insurance, Benefits Assistance, Education, Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment, and VA Guaranteed Home Loan Program.

VETERANS EMPLOYMENT SERVICES OFFICE

810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420

VSOVETS@VA.GOV

www.vaforvets.va.gov

The Veteran Employment Services Office provides employment readiness assistance and outreach to transitioning service members and Veterans, while advocating the use of special hiring authorities, employment programs, and Veteran retention strategies. VESO helps Veterans and transitioning military members find federal careers.

VETERANS HOTLINE

Phone: 877.VET.2VET (877.838.2838) | Text: 838255

www.veteranscrisisline.net

Are you a Veteran in crisis or concerned about one? Connect with the Veterans Crisis Line to reach caring, qualified responders with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Many of them are Veterans themselves. If you are a veteran or know someone who came back from active duty and has trouble with memories and experiences of war, please call.

Questions?

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