

## VBA and Arizona Benefits for Veterans

**VBA National Call Center** – 1 800-827-1000

**Phoenix Regional Office** - 602-627-3232 (Answering Machine)

(Visitor Engagement Reporting Application) **VERA**: [www.benefits.va.gov/phoenix/](http://www.benefits.va.gov/phoenix/)

**\*\*Click on the VERA icon to schedule a virtual or in-person appointment with a VA Representative.**

### **PTSD & MST Websites:**

[www.ptsd.va.gov](http://www.ptsd.va.gov)

[www.va.gov/health-care/health-needs-conditions/military-sexual-trauma/](http://www.va.gov/health-care/health-needs-conditions/military-sexual-trauma/)

**VA Vet Centers (Readjustment Counseling)** <https://www.vetcenter.va.gov/index.asp>

**Vet Center Call Center** <https://youtu.be/F9BbfkPUJa8>

877-WAR-VETS (927-8387) is a free, around the clock confidential call center where Veterans, service members and their families can talk about their military experience or any other issue they are facing in transitioning after military service or trauma and get connected to their nearest Vet Center. Our call center team is composed of combat Veterans from several eras as well as family members of Veterans.

**Your VA Transition Assistance Program (TAP)** <https://benefits.va.gov/TRANSITION/tap.asp>

Download the VA Benefits and Services Participant Guide to reference resources, make checklists, and find important contact information, and Guides for the members of the Reserve components.

**VA Solid Start** <https://benefits.va.gov/TRANSITION/solid-start.asp>

For questions about VA Solid Start, call our toll-free hotline: 1-800-827-0611

Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (ET). Take the call and save 1-800-827-0611 as the contact for VA Solid Start!

**VA benefits for service members** <https://www.va.gov/service-member-benefits/>

**How to file a VA disability claim** <https://www.va.gov/disability/how-to-file-claim/>

### **ADVS Document Checklist & Benefits Page**

<https://dvs.az.gov/benefits-page>

**ADVS has a downloadable Veterans' Benefits Guide** with comprehensive information on state benefits & programs, including:

- Recording of Discharges

- Income Tax
- Property Tax Waivers
- Tuition Waivers
- Vehicle License Tax and Registration Fees: [www.azdot.gov](http://www.azdot.gov)
- CDL Skills Test Waiver: [www.azdot.gov](http://www.azdot.gov)
- Veteran Indicator on Driver's License: [www.azdot.gov](http://www.azdot.gov)
- Homeless Veterans qualify for a free driver's license
- Hunting and Fishing Licenses: [www.azgfd.com](http://www.azgfd.com)
- Arizona State Parks Discounts: [www.azstateparks.com](http://www.azstateparks.com)

Download here:

<https://dvs.az.gov/arizona-veterans-benefits-guide>

Check out the ADVS **AZVETS Virtual Education Series** playlist on our YouTube channel <http://bit.ly/advs-video> for more detailed information on:

- VA Non-Service Connected Pension & Aid and Attendance
- VA Service Connected Disability Compensation
- VA Burial & Survivor Benefits
- How ADVS Handles Your Claim
- State Benefits, Programs, & More!

**Arizona Department of Veterans' Services:** [www.azdvs.gov](http://www.azdvs.gov) or 602-255-3373

**Be Connected:** [www.BeConnectedAZ.org](http://www.BeConnectedAZ.org) or 1-866-4AZ-VETS (429-8387)

**Arizona Department of Veterans' Services Appointment Call Center:** 602-535-1215

**U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs:** [www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

**VA Call Center for Benefits:** 1-800-827-1000

**VA Health Care:** 1-877-222-VETS (8387)

**VA Inspector General:** 1-800-488-8244

**Veterans Crisis Line:** 1-800-273-8255, press 1

H.R.3967 - Honoring our PACT Act of 2021 <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/3967>