



Riverside County Veterans' Services

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Housing Veterans in Riverside County

In 2017, Riverside County achieved a “Functional Zero” veteran homelessness rate. This means that veteran homelessness is rare, brief and non-recurring, because all veterans in Riverside County have access to the resources needed to move quickly to permanent housing.

Riverside County achieved “Functional Zero” veteran homelessness through a process known as the VALOR Initiative.

The County collaborated between various departments and community partners to prioritize ending veteran homelessness. The County also secured over 600 VASH vouchers, which provide rental assistance for veterans. Finally, the County developed 275 affordable housing units earmarked for veterans experiencing homelessness.

The County continues its commitment to ensuring that no veteran is forced to endure homelessness.





Veterans' Services

The Riverside County Department of Veterans' Services is a one-stop shop for veterans trying to navigate the complex system of federal, state and local programs for veterans. They can assist in the following areas:

- Employment Services
- Education Benefits and Vocational Rehabilitation
- Medical Benefits
- Compensation for Service-Related and Non-Service Related Disabilities
- Dependent and Spousal Benefits
- Home Loan Benefits
- Burial Benefits
- Partnerships with Local Nonprofits



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Riverside County Job Assistance for Veterans



- Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Program
 - Goal: help participants land jobs in high-paying, high-demand fields that show projected growth (education, healthcare, construction, manufacturing, etc.).
 - Participants receive access to:
 - Workshops
 - Postsecondary education
 - Individualized support
 - Follow-up activities.



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Riverside County Supports Veteran Businesses and Employees



- Veterans' Improvement Program
 - Sponsored by Supervisors Washington and Perez
 - Simplified the County's process for the priority hiring of veterans and their spouses
 - From July 2018 to November 2019, 99 veterans have become County employees.
- Board Policy B-34
 - Gives preference to veteran-owned and/or veteran-employing small businesses for County contracts.

Local Nonprofit Partners





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