



Assistance for Military Service Members

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Military Service Members Assistance

Military service members who have been separated from service, and

- Received Certification of Release from Active Duty (DD Form 214) on or after January 1, 2008
- Character of Service is "Honorable" or "Other than Honorable" per DD Form 214
- DD Form 214 may reflect any *reason for separation* (retirement, medical, etc)

Military service members with "Dishonorable" discharge considered at fault and not eligible

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Assistance Types Available

- Job Search – maximum up to 18 months/\$36,000 of assistance while looking for work
- Job Retraining - maximum up to 36 months/\$36,000 of assistance. Assistance to go through (or 2 months after) anticipated graduation date
- Reinstatement – maximum up to \$36,000 if recovered
- SMRP – maximum up to \$30,000

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**“Automatic” 36 months (up to \$36,000)
Long term/Job retraining**

- Enrolled in Vocational Rehab
(medical release is NOT required)

Or

- Enrolled in an **eligible** VA program or benefit

*****no graduation date required*****

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Eligible VA programs and benefits:

- Chapter 33: Post 9/11 GI Bill
- Chapter 32: The post –Vietnam Era Veterans' Educational Assistance Program
- Chapter 36: Educational and Vocational Counseling
- VetSuccess on Campus (VSOC)Program
- Chapter 30: Prior active duty veterans (Montgomery GI Bill)
- Chapter 31: Vocational Rehabilitation
- Chapter 1606: National Guard or Reserve (Montgomery GI Bill)
- Chapter 1607: Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP)

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Documentation requirements for automatic 36 months of job training assistance

- DD Form 214
- VA issued, non expired Certificate of Eligibility
 - Including utilizing non expired GI Bill
- Certificate of Enrollment (enrollment letter)

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I need your help!

- Please take materials to distribute anywhere veterans can be reached.
- Include us in your newsletters.
- Add our link to your website!
- If you know of any events I can speak at PLEASE do not hesitate to contact me.
 - I also do briefings for smaller groups.





- Questions?
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