Veterans Services



Learn about the Idaho Department of Labor's support services for veterans.

Career guidance

Transfer your skills to a new job. Chart a new career path. Access wage, education and training information.

- Interest testing services careers for all skills and interests.
- Wages and hot jobs salary information, jobs in-demand and training requirements at labor.idaho.gov/jobscape.
- Next Steps Idaho career guidance.

Job information

Access job listings for any type of work.

- Federal jobs veteran employment referrals and federal job listings.
- State of Idaho employment state jobs and qualified veterans' preference hiring information.
- Local job listings jobs with local private or public employers.
- Nationwide job listings jobs available through <u>www.usnlx.com.</u>

Training and employment

These training programs are open to qualified veterans where funding is available.

- Veterans Readiness and Employment (VR&E) training services for veterans with service-related disabilities.
- GI Bill education, apprenticeships and on-the-job training programs for qualified veterans.
- Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program training and employment for veterans who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Other important information

Improve your job search with these services.

- Job search workshops dealing with changes and transitions, marketing yourself to employers, assessing personal skills, tapping into the hidden job market, writing effective resumes and interviewing with confidence.
- Reemployment rights your reserve status is protected against discrimination. Find out more about returning to a former employer.
- **General information** information on community resources such as food, housing, medical and transportation assistance.
- Unemployment insurance temporary income for unemployed workers who qualify.
- Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC) tax benefits for employers who hire veterans like you.

Specific veteran services

- Education and training.
- Medical care.
- Employment preference.
- Disability compensation.
- Vocational rehabilitation.
- Veterans Affairs (VA) home loan guarantee.
- Drug and alcohol treatment.

- Agent orange, nuclear radiation exposure and Persian Gulf exams – for more information call (208) 422-1096.
- Requests for a copy of your DD214.
- Discharge upgrade information.
- Vet Centers (readjustment counseling).







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