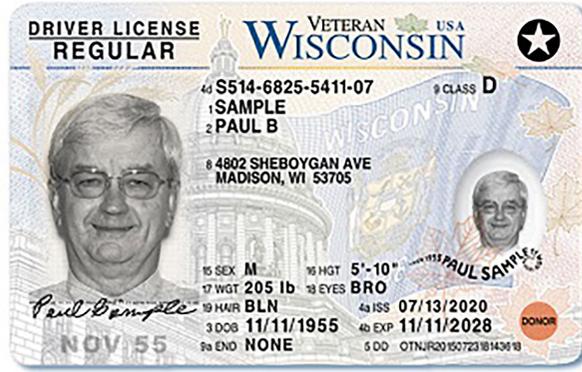


VETERAN IDENTIFIER

Former active duty military service members can apply to have the word “Veteran” displayed on their Wisconsin Driver’s license or state identification.



WISCONSIN VETERANS PROPERTY TAX CREDIT

The Wisconsin Veterans and un-remarried Surviving Spouses Property Tax Credit provides a refundable property tax credit for the veteran’s primary in-state residence on the state income tax form. Veteran must have a Service-Connected Disability rating from the Federal VA of 100% or 100% with Individual Un-employability.

SUBSISTENCE AID & HEALTH CARE AID GRANTS

Applicants who demonstrate financial need and have exhausted other forms of aid may qualify. A Subsistence Aid Grant may be provided to eligible applicants when there is a loss of income due to illness, injury, or economic emergency. A Health Care Aid Grant may be provided to eligible applicants for dental care, vision care, and hearing care by a health care provider of the applicant’s choice.

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WISCONSIN GI BILL

Eligible veterans and dependents may receive a waiver of tuition and fees for up to eight semesters or 128 credits at any UW or Wisconsin Technical College for undergraduate or graduate level study. A recipient must be a state resident for tuition purposes. If eligible, the veteran, spouse, and children all will receive the same benefit.

WISCONSIN VETERANS GRANT FOR PRIVATE NONPROFIT SCHOOLS

Eligible veterans and dependents enrolled in a bachelor's or graduate degree program at a private nonprofit education institution that is a member of the Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities may receive a grant for up to eight semesters or 128 credits, less the number of credits or semesters the student received tuition remission under the Wisconsin G.I. Bill. The amount of the grant for each semester or sessions will be equal to the lesser of \$2,000; fifty percent of tuition minus any amount of tuition paid by the USDVA. For each grant, the private institution at which the eligible student is enrolled shall match the amount of the grant.

RETRAINING GRANT

Recently unemployed or underemployed veterans may receive up to \$3,000 per 12-month period if they have a financial need while being retrained for employment. Eligible programs include on-the-job training and technical education.

PROFESSIONAL/OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE FEE WAIVER

Qualified veterans and service members can apply to have fees waived for initial licenses and permits from the 13 state licensing agencies.



VETERANS OUTREACH & RECOVERY PROGRAM (VORP)

Any veteran who has served in any component of the US Armed Forces, including those that have previously served and continue to serve in the National Guard and Reserve, is eligible to work with VORP. The program connects veterans to community services and provides case management and support, focusing on treatment and recovery. VORP has regional coordinators covering the entire state of Wisconsin.

FEDERAL CLAIMS ASSISTANCE

The WDVA Claims Bureau advises and assists veterans and their dependents in obtaining federal veterans benefits such as pension, health care, and disability compensation from the VA. The service is free to Wisconsin veterans and their families.

WISCONSIN VETERANS HOMES

Veterans, spouses, and parents of veterans who were killed while on active duty may receive 24-hour skilled nursing care at one of Wisconsin's Veterans Homes operated by the WDVA - Chippewa Falls, King, or Union Grove. The Veterans Homes offer quality medical and nursing care that enhances quality of life.

WISCONSIN VETERANS CEMETERIES

Veterans, spouses, surviving spouses, and eligible family members may be buried at Wisconsin Veterans Cemeteries located near Union Grove, Spooner, and King. The cemeteries serve as a lasting tribute to those who served in the armed forces and will remind future generations that veterans were instrumental in preserving our nation's freedom.

MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS

The Military Funeral Honors Program provides and coordinates funeral honors for veterans and former National Guard and reservists. Honors may include the presence of military members, folding and presentation of the flag, firing details, and the sounding of Taps.

WISCONSIN VETERANS MUSEUM

Located on the Capitol Square in Madison, the Wisconsin Veterans Museum consists of exhibits, living histories, informational programs, speakers, and much more, educating the public with the unique stories and history of Wisconsin's veterans.

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Go to MyWisVets.com, an online tool for expedited processing for veterans to determine eligibility of Wisconsin's benefits, programs, and services.