

ATTENTION

**Veterans of the
United States Military
and their qualifying
Spouses**

**The Jobs for Veterans Act
guarantees you**

“Priority of Service”

**You have priority over
non-veterans
in the receipt of employ-
ment, training,
and placement services
provided under
the Workforce Investment
Act.**

**Please ask your Veterans
Representative
for more information**



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Outreach.... Price County – Courthouse Rusk County—Ladysmith JC Sawyer County—Hayward JC	Outreach.... Ashland County – Courthouse Washburn County—Spooner JC Burnett County—Webster JC
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Other locations
by appointment

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*Local Veterans Employment Representative
**Disabled Veterans Outreach Program Representative
—Both Provide the same services to veterans—
All Services provided by the Office of Veterans
Services are **FREE OF CHARGE** as designated in
the Jobs For Veterans Act.



Jobcenterofwisconsin.com



**DIVISION OF
EMPLOYMENT &
TRAINING**

Veterans Employment Services

**The Northwest Workforce
Development Area..7**

**Services to Veterans in.....
Douglas, Bayfield, Ashland, Iron,
Price, Washburn, Burnett, Rusk,
Sawyer & Taylor Counties**



Veterans Services

One-on-one assistance

- † Provide local employment opportunities
- † Discuss benefits including priority of service
- † Career and training opportunities

Job Application Assistance

- † Design an employer friendly marketing plan which includes resumes, letters, and web site registrations & profiles
- † Federal application assistance

Interview Preparation Assistance

- † How to dress for success
- † How to prepare and feel confident
- † Tips and interview advice

Career path exploration for new and renewed careers

- † Assessments (NCRC, JobFit, etc)
- † Labor Market information
- † Education and training referrals

Job search assistance

- † Jobcenterofwisconsin.com
- † Jobcentral.org
- † Indeed.com
- † State, Federal, and specialized sites
- † Email referrals & postings

Job advocacy – Need your Resume

- † Job development with employers
- † Job referrals to employers
- † Apprenticeship possibilities
- † On-the-job training contracts



OVS Programs

VETERANS IN PIPING

The Office of Veterans Services along with the National and State UA (United Association of Pipe Trades) have partnered with the National Guard to provide a training program for pipe fitters. This is a free 20 week course held at Camp Williams/Volk Field made available to returning veterans and members of the National Guard or Reserve. When certification is achieved at the conclusion of the course, the trainees are considered 2nd year apprentices and are guaranteed a job.



NEG-OJT

This grant provides an opportunity for employers to receive On-The-Job training funds for certain qualified veterans. Up to 90% of wages would be paid to the employer during the training period.

NON-COMPETITIVE PROGRAM

The program allows state agencies to hire veterans with a disability of 30% or more into entry level positions without following standard hiring procedures.

NATIONAL CAREER READINESS CERT[®]

A program sponsored by Job Service to practice and test in three Core skill areas: Reading for information, Applied Math, & Locating Information. Practice and study help is provided from KeyTrain[®] and assessment testing from WorkKeys[®].

WORK OPPORTUNITY TAX CREDIT

Federal tax credit for employers provides incentive to hire certain veterans or disabled veterans.

What Veterans Can do

FIDELITY BONDING

Federal program that provides fidelity Bonds for anyone not eligible for commercial bonding. This tool is provided to help applicants with "risk factors" to get and keep a job. It's usually for 6 months and free. No paperwork for employers involved.

VETERANS JOB FAIRS

Throughout the state of Wisconsin, the Office of Veterans Services provides Veterans only job fairs. The Northwest District has had Job Fairs in Superior and Hayward.

Ask Terry Erickson or Tom Casey about any of the described programs!

What Veterans Can Do....

- 1) Call your LVER or DVOP and make an appointment. (If you're in Superior or Medford, just stop in if you desire.)
- 2) Register on jobcenterofwisconsin.com
- 3) Bring your DD-214 if available. Also bring a resume if you have one.
- 4) Be willing to work with your employment representative to provide the best chance.. Resume', Interview, etc.
- 5) Earn an NCRC (Study on KeyTrain)
- 6) Take other Assessments if you're changing careers.
- 7) Communicate with your Rep. even if you get a job. We want to know!