

VESO FACT SHEET

About VESO

The Veteran Employment Services Office (VESO), within the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), leads VA's efforts to recruit qualified Veterans to join its workforce. At VA, Veterans will find a place where they can continue to serve.

VESO Mission and Goals

VESO's mission is to develop and implement innovative and comprehensive programs, procedures and services to support VA and federal Veteran recruitment and VA retention and reintegration. To achieve that goal, VESO aims to:

- Recruit Veterans and establish VA as an employer of choice
- Retain Veterans currently employed at VA, and
- Reintegrate VA's military service member employees seamlessly after deployment.

Contact VESO at 855-VA4VETS (855-824-8387) www.vaforvets.va.gov



How VESO Helps Veterans

- Works with hiring managers to recruit Veterans to fill positions at VA
- Assists with résumé review and job-interview preparation
- Provides retention services for VA's Veteran employees
- Assists VA and other federal agencies with filling job opportunities with Veteran candidates — typically within 25 days
- Provides training and policy guidance on Veterans' Preference, special hiring authorities and the federal employment process
- Supports deployment life cycle for VA employees serving in the National Guard and Reserve, and
- Ensures VA compliance with the Uniformed Services Employment and Re-employment Rights Act (USERRA).

VA for Vets Website

VESO's *VA for Vets* website, **www.vaforvets.va.gov**, offers career resources that help Veterans launch or advance their civilian careers at VA. The site includes:

- Jobs for Veterans as well as some open to all U.S. citizens
- Federal hiring process information
- Training videos
- Deployment checklists for VA's National Guard and Reserve employees
- A link to the new Employment Center on VA and DOD's eBenefits site at www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/jobs.

