General Resources Available to Veterans

Job Corps staff are encouraged to seek other resources in the local area.

Federal Agencies

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

http://www.VA.Gov/

Provides comprehensive services for veterans

- o Location of VA offices by state http://www.va.gov/landing2_locations.htm
- Location of hospitals and clinics http://www2.va.gov/directory/guide/division_flsh.asp?dnum=1
- o Location of VA centers http://www2.va.gov/directory/guide/vetcenter_flsh.asp
- Location of Benefits offices http://www2.va.gov/directory/guide/division_flsh.asp?dnum=3
- o Provides housing support to eligible homeless veterans http://www.va.gov/homeless/
- o Features a searchable database for job seekers and employers, career tools, and labor market information www.VetSuccess.gov
- o Provides resources to mental health and substance abuse services and other VA services http://www1.VA.Gov/Homeless

U.S. Department of Labor

http://www.DOL.Gov/VETS/

Provides resources to assist and prepare veterans in obtaining meaningful careers

http://DVOPLVERLocator.nvti.ucdenver.edu/

Local Employment Support Representatives (Disabled Veterans Outreach Program Specialists and Local Veterans Employment Representatives)

http://www.AmericasHeroesAtWork.Gov/

Addresses the employment challenges of returning service members and veterans

http://www.doleta.gov/business/incentives/opptax/PDF/WOTC Vets Brochure.pdf

Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC) is a federal tax credit that offers an incentive for private sector businesses to hire individuals, including Job Corps graduates and veterans

http://www.CareerOneStop.org/MilitaryTransition/

Connects veterans with high quality career planning, training, and job search services

U.S. Office of Personnel Management

http://FedsHireVets.Gov/about/index.aspx

In partnership with the Departments of Defense, Labor, Veterans Affairs, Homeland Security and other Federal agencies, this website is the source for Federal employment information for veterans, transitioning service members, their families, and hiring managers

U.S. Army's Army Career and Alumni Program (ACAP) Wounded Warriors' Path http://www.ACAP.Army.Mil/aww/aww.cfm

Provides injured service members assistance with the transition process and with the search for sustainable employment. Services include relocation, education and training, health and life insurance, individual transition planning, disabled veteran benefits, help organizing finances, creating resumes, career and skill assessments, help negotiating job offers and more

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

http://www.NLM.Gov/medlineplus/veteransandmilitaryhealth.html

Information, resources, videos and guides pertaining to coping, women's issues, benefits, and other matters of health and wellness for military personnel and veterans courtesy of the National Library of Medicine and the National Institutes of Health

The White House

http://www.WhiteHouse.Gov/JoiningForces/

Joining Forces is a national initiative that mobilizes all sectors of society to give our service members and their families the opportunities and support they have earned

Additional Resources

Pay and other Entitlements for Veterans

www.DFAS.Mil/MilitaryPay/WoundedWarriorPay.html

Housing for Veterans and their Families

www.JerichoProject.org

Career Assistance

www.TheValueOfaVeteran.com

An employer's guide to hiring the military

www.HelmetsToHardhats.org

Helmets to Hardhats connects veterans into promising careers in construction

www.MilitaryStars.com

Links transitioning service members to corporate jobs

www.ProudtoServeAgain.com

Links transitioning service members to teaching job opportunities

www.WallStreetWarfighters.org

Links disabled service members to careers in the financial industry

www.OperationLifeTransformed.org

Links transitioning service members to online health care jobs

www.JOFDAV.com

Lists job opportunities for disabled service members

www.VeteransGreenJobs.org

Connects military veterans with green employment opportunities

http://wtow.WoundedWarriorProject.org/

Assist warriors with the transition back into the civilian workforce

http://www.HireaHero.org/index.php

Provides free employment service to returning service members and their families

http://www.GIJobs.com/in-your-corner.aspx

Provides assistance in career and employment guidance

http://www.Troops2Truckers.com/truckers/

Provides transitioning service members with professional commercial trucking industry training, CDL (Commercial Drivers License) certification, and a job offer at zero "out of pocket" cost

http://www.dantes.doded.mil/dantes_Web/TroopsToTeachers/index.asp

Provides counseling and referral service to military personnel interested in beginning a second career in public education as a teacher

Support Groups

http://www.NationalResourceDirectory.gov/

Provides access to services and resources at the national, state, and local levels on a variety of topics including benefits and compensation, education and training, employment, family and caregiver support, health, homeless assistance, housing, transportation and travel, and other services and resources

www.MilitaryFamily.org

National Military Family Association

www.WoundedWarriorHospitalFund.org

Mitigates the trauma to service members' families dealing with combat-related death and injuries by offering free vacations to the affected persons

www.Med.Navy.Mil/Pages/WoundedWarrior.aspx

Returning Warriors Workshops for Navy and Marine Corps Reservists (Assistance during post deployment and re-integration)

www.ArmyWomen.org

Women's Army Corps Veterans' Association

www.Mission-Able.com

Works to make sure veterans get the care, benefits, and job training and opportunities they need