

VETERANS' RESOURCES



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M.G.L. Chapter 115 is a state benefit for eligible veterans and eligible dependents of deceased veterans. This benefit is designed to help Massachusetts Veterans and their families within certain income and asset limits. Note that even if your income is higher than the specified amounts you still may qualify for reimbursements of medical expenses.

Please contact Estelle to discuss eligibility: 508-285-0274

For 1 in household \$2,265 max monthly income, \$8,400 asset limits (single)

For 2 in household \$3,052 max monthly income, \$16,600 asset limits (married)

New Veterans Affairs Life Insurance Program

On January 1, 2023 open enrollment begins for VALife, a new insurance program that provides up to \$40,000 of whole life insurance to all veterans age 80 or under with service connected disabilities rated from 0-100%.

Acceptance is guaranteed and no medical underwriting is required. For more information call 1-800-669 8477 or visit www.benefits.va.gov/insurance/valife.asp

The **PACT Act** is a new law that expands VA health care and benefits for Veterans exposed to burn pits and other toxic substances. This law helps provide generations of Veterans—and their survivors—with the care and benefits they've earned and deserve. Please contact the Veterans Office to discuss your situation.

Veterans Work—Off Tax Abatement Program

Enrollment is open now for honorably discharged veterans to reduce FY23 real estate taxes by up to \$1500 by completing volunteer hours for the town. There is no income cap for this program. Call the Veterans Office or Assessors Office to find out how to apply.

— Reporting Non-VA Emergency Visits—

For those using **only** VA healthcare, remember you must report any ER visits to a non-VA hospital within 72 hours of the visit to hospital admissions and the VA Emergency Care Call Center.

The number to report the visit to the VA is **1-844-724-**

We Are Here to Assist

With living costs rising, remember we are here to help. We know it can be difficult to navigate resources and rather than go without, call the office so we can guide you with potential resources available to you!

Veterans Status on Your License Honorably discharged veterans can have Veteran added to their license by bringing their DD214 when re-newing. Many business will give discounts to veterans.



EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION

is available to Veterans. Call Estelle about the CAR program 508 285 0274

New Number



Norton Veterans' Organizations:

American Legion Post #222 508-285-2307 Fillmore-Nason VFW Post #8049 508-285-3845
 Norton Veterans' Council 508-285-0274