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Caregiver Support	Caregiver Services	If you are a caregiver for a Veteran, you can get support by contacting a VA Iowa City caregiver support coordinator that can help with getting caregiver assistance, matching you with services and benefts, and connecting you with local resources and programs.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/caregiver-support/	(319) 622-6933	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Caregiver Support Hotline	Hotline	The Caregiver Support Line is available if you need support outside of the Iowa City region, have questions about caregiver support services nationwide, or just need someone to listen right now.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/caregiver-support/	(855) 260-3274		
Cedar Rapids Vet Center	Counseling Services	Confidential help for Veterans, service members, and their families at no cost in a non-medical setting. Services include counseling for needs such as depression, posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), anger, anxiety, readjustmetn issues, and the psychological effects of military sexual trauma (MST).	https://www.va.gov/cedar-rapids-vet- center/	(319) 378-0016	4250 River Center Court, NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402	
Grant and Per Diem	Transitional Housing	Transitional housing and support services for Veterans experiencing homelessness.	https://shelterhouseiowa.org/veterans/	(319) 338-5416	429 Southgate Ave, Iowa City, IA 52240	scott.riesenberg@va.gov
Home Base Iowa	Employment Assistance, Education Assistance	One-on-one career assistance for Veterans. connects lowa businesses with qualified veterans and their spouses looking for career opportunities. Provides resources to help connect veterans and their families with education and transitioning into a new community.	https://www.homebaseiowa.gov/			
HUD-VASH	Housing Assistance	Supportive housing for veterans experiencing homelessness.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/locations/iowa-city-va-medical- center/	(319) 338-0581	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Iowa VA MEdical Center	Health Care	Provides healthcare to eligible Veterans.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/	(319) 338-0581	601 US-6 W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Iowa Veterans Home	Housing Assistance, Residential Care	Residential and nursing care for lowa Veterans and their spouses	https://dva.iowa.gov/welcome-iowa- veterans-home-ivh/about-iowa-veterans- home	(641) 753-4325		Jason.Matteson@ivh.state.ia.u <u>s</u>
Johnson County Veteran Affairs	Veteran Services	Assist all residents of Johnson County who served in the armed forces of the United States, their relatives, beneficiaries, and dependents in receiving any and all compensation, pensions, hospitalization, insurance, education, employment pay and gratuties, loan guarantees, or any other aid or benefit to which they may be entitled to under any law. Provide emergency assistance for shelter, food, utilities, and burial.	https://www.johnsoncountyiowa.gov/dep artment-of-veterans-affairs	(319) 356-6049	855 S. Dubuque St., Ste A & C, Iowa City, IA 52240	va@johnsoncountyiowa.gov
LGBTQ Veteran Care	LGBTQ Services	If you're a Veteran who identifies as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer/questioning, or a related identity, we're committed to serving your needs. The LGBTQ+ Veteran care coordinator at your VA health care facility can help you get the care you need in a safe, sensitive environment.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/lgbtq-veteran-care/	<u>319-369-4340</u>	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Military Homeownership Assistance Program	Housing Assistance, Case Management	The program provides a \$5,000 grant to service members and veterans for down payments and closing costs on qualifying homes. The funds may be used in conjunction with the FirstHome and Homes for lowans programs.	https://opportunityiowa.gov/housing/ho meownership-programs/military- homeownership-assistance-program			homebuyer.inquiry@iowafinan <u>ce.com</u>

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Supportive Services for Veteran Families	Housing Assistance, Case Management	Housing Assistance for veterans experiencing homelessness. Support in accessing housing, case management, connection to veteran benefits, information and referrals, outreach services.	https://www.hacap.org/our- initiatives/veteran-support	(319) 739-0012		housing@hacap.org
Veteran Caregiver Support	Counseling Services	VA lowa City health care offers a number of services to support you and the Veteran you care for. Ask a caregiver support coordinator to help you find what you need, whether it's in-home help, someone to listen, or anything in between.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/caregiver-support/	(319) 688-6933	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Veteran Patient Advocacy	Advocacy Services	The patient advocates at VA Iowa City health care are specially trained to help you resolve issues with your care. If you've experienced any problems that you haven't been able to resolve by talking with your care team, please reach out to one of our patient advocates.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/patient-advocates/	<u>319-338-0581</u>	601 US-6 W, Iowa City, IA 52246	<u>vhaiowpatientadvocate@va.go</u> <u>V</u>
Veteran Suicide Prevention	Crisis Services	Suicide prevention coordinators can help you get ongoing support, like counseling and other services. Coordinators are available during regular business hours.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/suicide-prevention/	<u>319-688-3393</u>	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	VHASPCIA- 636A8IOWSuicidePreventionT eam@va.gov
Veteran Travel Reimbursement	Transportation Assistance	If you have to travel for care, the VA may be able to reimburse for travel expenses. Can also assist in arranging transportation for getting to and from your VA appointment.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/#other-services	(319) 338-0581	601 US-6 W, Iowa City, IA 52246	
Veterans Cemetary	Burial Services	Any service member honorably separated from the service, their spouse, and eligible dependent children may be buried at the cemetary.	https://dva.iowa.gov/iowa-veterans- cemetery	(515) 996-9048	34024 Veterans Memorial Dr., Adel, IA 50003	iowaveteranscemetery@iowa. gov
Veterans Crisis Line	Crisis Services	The crisis line is a free, confidential resource for all service members, including members of the National Guard and Reserve, and Veterans, even if they're not enrolled in VA benefits or health care. Text 838255	https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/	988 then press 1		
Veterans Justice Outreach Program	Legal Services	The mission of the Veterans Justice Programs is to identify justice-involved Veterans and contact them through outreach, in order to facilitate access to VA services at the earliest possible point. Veterans Justice Programs accomplish this by building and maintaining partnerships between VA and key elements of the criminal justice system.	https://www.va.gov/iowa-city-health- care/health-services/homeless-veteran- care/	(319) 338-0581	601 US-6W, Iowa City, IA 52246	ed.haycraft@va.gov
Veterans Liberty Center	Community	A place for people to socialize and get Veterans services.	https://veteranslibertycenter.my.canva.s ite/	(319) 499-1576	2116-18 S Riverside Dr., Iowa City, IA 52246	veteranslibertycenter@gmail.c om