Resources for Veterans

TEXAS:
Texas Veterans Commission: 800.252.8387
www.tvc.state.tx.us

Texas Attorney General’s HEROES Project: Assistance with child support, paternity, and parenting time. 512.460.6400
www.oag.state.tx.us

Texas Lawyers for Texas Veterans: 512.427.1514 www.texasbar.com/veterans

The Texas Veterans Legal Assistance Project (VLAP): 800.622.2520
www.tlsclaw.org/programs/vlap.asp

TexVet, Partners Across Texas: www.texvet.com

National:
Department of Veterans Affairs: 800.827.1000 www.va.gov

VA Mental Health Care: www.mentalhealth.va.gov

VA’s Crisis Line: 800.273.8255 Ext. 1

VA’s Afghanistan & Iraq Veterans Specific Programs: www.oefoif.va.gov

National Veterans Legal Service Program: 202.265.8305 Ext. 152
www.lawyersservingwarriors.com

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National Call Center Homeless Veterans: 877.424.3838

National Center for PTSD: www.ptsd.va.gov

The Defense Centers of Excellence for Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury: 866.966.1020

Veteran's Legal Clinic

Who: Veterans in need of legal services in civil cases

What: Free Legal Services – No Appointment Needed

When: First Friday of Every Month (Except Holidays)
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Where: The Veterans Medical Center
Recreation Center,
Building 75 Community Room
4500 S. Lancaster Road
Dallas, Texas 75216

Questions?
Contact the Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program at 214.243.2236
What is the Veteran's Legal Clinic?

This is a legal intake clinic designed specifically for veterans. The clinic is operated by the Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program (“DVAP”) and staffed by local attorneys who are licensed to practice law in Texas.

If you are a qualified veteran who attends the clinic, you will meet with a volunteer attorney to discuss your case. These volunteer attorneys will talk through your case with you to help DVAP match you with an appropriate attorney for possible continued representation. Because legal services are provided on a volunteer basis, the clinic cannot guarantee continued representation.

The clinic is held at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Recreation Center Building 75, located at 4500 S. Lancaster Road, Dallas, Texas 75216. It is a walk-in clinic, NO APPOINTMENT IS NECESSARY.

The Veteran's Legal Clinic is not affiliated with the Department of Defense, any branch of the Armed Forces, or the Department of Veterans Affairs.

How do I qualify for assistance?

The Veteran's Legal Clinic is open to veterans of all branches of the United States Armed Forces and their spouses.

Financial guidelines may apply for continued free legal representation.

When is the clinic?

The Veteran's Legal Clinic is held from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. on the first Friday of every month, except for holidays. If there is a holiday that coincides with the clinic, the clinic will be held on the second Friday of that month.

Does my characterization of discharge matter?

No, the Veteran's Legal Clinic does not have characterization of discharge eligibility requirements.

What type of cases does the clinic accept?

The Veteran's Legal Clinic can assist in all types of civil cases, including the following:

- VA Benefits
- Social Security
- Divorce & Family Law
- Guardianship
- Wills/Estate Planning/Probate
- Employment Law
- Consumer Law & Bankruptcy
- Foreclosure, Housing, Landlord/Tenant
- Expunction, Nondisclosure, and
- Other Legal Issues

What types of cases will the clinic not accept?

The Veteran's Legal Clinic does not accept criminal cases or fee-generating cases, such as personal injury or products liability lawsuits.