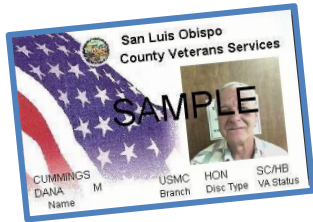




Department of
**Veterans
Services**

*Benefits
Programs and Services*

Get your
VET-ID
*Identification Cards
for Veterans*



The San Luis Obispo County Veterans Services Office will issue identification cards as proof of service in the United States military. Proof of service is needed to access services, benefits, and receive veterans discounts at many local businesses. With the Vet-ID, veterans will no longer need to carry a copy of their military discharge papers (DD-214) to show proof of service.



Scan with
Smart Phone
to visit Vet
Services
website

For more information, please contact
the County Veterans Services
Department at 805.781.5766 or visit

www.slovets.org

Main Office

Monday-Friday
9:00am-5:00pm
Appointments and walk-ins
801 Grand Avenue
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408
Telephone: (805) 781-5766

Prado Day Center

First Thursday of every month
1:00pm-3:00pm
Walk-Ins Only
43 Prado Street
San Luis Obispo CA, 93401

North County

Paso Robles Veterans Memorial Bldg.
10:00am-3:00pm
By appointment only
240 Scott Street
Paso Robles, CA 93446
Call 805-781-5766 for appointment

South County

Pismo Beach Veterans Memorial Bldg.
By appointment only
780 Bello Street
Pismo Beach, CA 93449
Call 805-781-5766 for appointment

Nipomo Library

By appointment only
918 West Tefft Street
Nipomo, CA 93444
Call 805-781-5766 for appointment

More locations coming soon!



County of San Luis Obispo Department of Veterans Services:

Our Mission



To be advocates for those who served in the Armed Forces, and their families.

What we do?

The County Veterans Services Department (CVSO) provides assistance to the men and women who served in the Armed Forces of America, their dependents, survivors, and the general public, in obtaining benefits from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Department of Defense (DOD), California Department of Veterans Affairs (CDVA) and other programs for veterans and their families.

Purpose

Our staff provides respectful advocacy and representation to the veterans community regarding earned entitlement right to federal, state, and local benefits and services for Veterans and their families.

Services:

The San Luis Obispo Veterans Service Office provides assistance to Veterans and Veterans' dependents in the following areas:

- Filing for service-connected disability
- Filing for pension benefits
- Filing for Aid & Attendance
- Filing for burial benefits
- Filing for survivor benefits
- Referrals for educational and employment benefits
- Applying for VA medical care
- Obtaining military records and medals
- Obtaining college fee waivers and educational benefits

Benefits assistance:

Benefit assistance is available for the following:

- Compensation, pension, veterans home, vocational rehabilitation, veterans and dependents education, VA Hospital, Cal-Vet home loans, VA home loans, small business loans, burial benefits, dependent allowances, death pension, aid and attendance, Tricare health insurance for retired military, reduced fee for sport fishing & wildlife pass and Golden Access Pass for U.S. National Parks, etc.

Outreach



VetSurf

The San Luis Obispo County Veterans Services Office has teamed up with local non-profit AmpSurf to help local veterans become more active, find an alternative form of physical and mental rehabilitation and connect with other veterans through surfing. Existing and new vet surfers are welcome to come and check out VetSurf. Wetsuits and boards are provided courtesy of AmpSurf. The VetSurf outreach is held weekly in Pismo Beach. Contact our office for details.



Veterans Treatment Court

Veterans Treatment Court (VTC) assists veterans who have entered the criminal justice system receive treatment and rehabilitation from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). Veterans are eligible for treatment court if the criminal activity is attributed to conditions like Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, traumatic brain injury, sexual trauma and other triggers related to military service. The program is also designed to assist local agencies by having the VA provide staff in courts, provide treatment and use trained volunteer mentors who will assist veterans through their individualized treatment and rehabilitation plans. Contact our office for details.

Serving those who served