

# **VETERAN**

### **EVENTS**

Arundel Mills Mall Businesses - how to apply to over 200 stores and restaurants at Arundel Mills Mall.
Two Kiosk Locations in Arundel Mills:
Best Entrance: Bass Pro Shop
Next to Eddie Bauer
October 7, 2022 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.
October 15, 202211 a.m. – 3 p.m.
October 21, 202211 a.m. – 3 p.m.
October 28, 202211 a.m. – 3 p.m.
7000 Arundel Mills Circle
Hanover, MD 21076
aaworkforce.eventbrite.com

#### Steamfitters Local 602

Apprenticeship Info with the Steamfitters on October 12,2022 8509 Ardwick Ardmore Road, Landover, MD 20785 Visit602training.org/apply-now

#### Veterans Owned Small Business Conference 2022

November 3, 2022 9 am to 4 pm 692 Maritime Blvd. Linthicum Heights, MD 21090 Call (443) 462-7867 for additional information

#### Veteran Resource Fair

November 12, 2022 10am-1pm Bel Air Armory 37 N. Main Street Harford County

#### Community & Veterans Job Fair

November 16, 2022 10am-2pm www.meade.armymwr.com Club Meade 6600 Mapes Road Fort George G. Meade, Maryland

#### Registrations are not required Severn Library Workshops

3pm-4pm
2624 Annapolis Road Severn,
Maryland 21144
Phone: (410) 222-6280
October 11, 2022
Interviewing Skills
November 15, 2022
Federal Jobs-hints
December 13, 2022



## Services

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### Veteran Success Story

An Army veteran in Northern MD came into the Workforce Center, stating he was very distraught and felt suicidal. He expressed that he had been unemployed since November of 2021 and was now homeless and felt desperate in his current situation. He went on to say, "I knew I needed help a few weeks ago, but I was too proud and did not want to ask for or seek help. Now I am living in my vehicle, low on gas, and hopeless."

After speaking with the Veteran, the Disabled Veteran Outreach Program Specialist (DVOP) created a plan to assist the veteran with getting his basic needs met as well as employment. The first step was getting the veteran adequate shelter with a local organization, then the DVOP gave him a referral to food services that provided daily meals. Next, the DVOP helped him to update his résumé, performed several mock interviews and through encouragement, within two weeks, the DVOP was able to help the veteran apply for and obtain a position in a field in which he had 15 years of experience and was making twice the salary from his previous place of employment.

### Veteran Representative Spotlight

Dr.Tonya Johnson-Spratley, GCDF, OWDS, CFJST, CFCC, VASI served in the United States Navy (10 years) and has been a DVOP since 2013.

Tonya has been responsible for providing our veterans with resources, case management, résumé and career guidance at the former Annapolis, Arnold Station, and Glen Burnie American Job Centers. She is now located at the Anne Arundel Career Center at 613 Global Way Linthicum, MD 21090. For Veteran employment and training support, please contact by email *Tonya.Johnson-Spratley@maryland.gov* or call 410-424-3252.

#### **Quick Guides**

Apprenticeship

Phone: (410) 767-2246

https://www.labor.maryland.gov/appr/apprsearch.shtml

E-mail:

info@mdapprenticeship.com

Veteran Virtual Kiosk Phone 1-516-268-6742 PIN: 748 066 507#

A daily virtual office where you can connect to our professionals and get help with MD Workforce Exchange and find out about available resources for veterans. https://meet.google.com/awf-yoqx-mmu

Maryland Department Employment Veteran Program

Email: dlwdalveterans-labor@maryland.gov

# Veteran Friendly Businesses

CSX-Railroad https://www.csx.com/

College of Southern Maryland https://www.csmd.edu/

**TMC** Transportation https://tmcjobs.com/

Valvoline

https://www.vioc.com/

### Veteran Services at your local American Job Centers

**Employment** 

**Education & Training** 

Veteran Resource Network Access



### **Veteran Resources**

Veteran Crisis Line Support Service/Hotline: Phone: 1 (800) 273-8255 (Text: 838255)

https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/

Maryland Workforce Exchange:

https://mwejobs.maryland.gov/

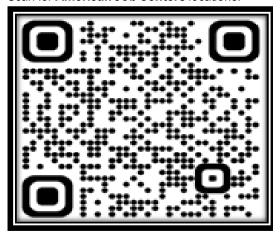
Vets4Warriors Peer Support/Hotline: Phone: 1 (855) 838-8255

Email: vets4warriors@ubhc.rutgers.edu https://www.vets4warriors.com/connect/

Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs: Phone: 1 (410) 260-3838

https://veterans.maryland.gov/ 16 Francis Street, 4th Floor Annapolis, MD 21401

Scan for American Job Centers locations:



Department of Housing and Community Development:

Phone: 1 (877) 462-7555

https://dhcd.maryland.gov/Pages/default.aspx

Give An Hour Pro Bono Mental Health Counseling:

P.O. Box 5918
Bethesda, MD 20824-5918
https://giveanhour.org/
Email: info@giveanhour.org

SHERO: helps to reduce homelessness among

our Veteran communities Phone: 1 (615) 991-6570

website: https://www.sheroagxi.org/ Email: SHERO@alphagammaxi.org

### **Federal Training**

Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program (VRRAP)

www.va.gov/vrrap

**WIOA Work Programs:** 

**Veterans** 

Indian and Native Americans
People with Disabilities
https://www.dol.gov/agencies/eta