

Pennsylvania Mobile Veterans' Outreach Van



The van is a mobile outreach office available to assist veterans with obtaining information and initiating compensation claim paperwork. In addition to delivering services, our Veteran Service Officers perform an educational role, raising the awareness of existing services and benefits that are available to our veterans.

The Mobile Veterans Outreach Team can be scheduled in support of community activities, County Directors of Veteran's Affairs, Veteran Service Organizations and other Veteran Service Officers. The Mobile Outreach Van is staffed with an accredited Veterans Service Officer who has access to our Veterans Affairs computer network. We want to support your efforts in the communities and rural areas where our veterans live. Allow us to provide your organization and your service officers with a mobile office from which they can provide services to our veterans. We can facilitate one day excursions or multiple day events in and around your communities of interest. Let us help you plan, advertise and deliver quality services in new and innovative ways.

The unit will take a space of about 15 x 40 feet when fully deployed and is self-sustaining with generator power if electricity is not available. It is also wheelchair accessible and air conditioned.

Point of contact is Bob Lithgow, Veterans Services Specialist at 717-861-8185 or RA-VA-Info@pa.gov



Pennsylvania Mobile Veteran Service Van Request Form

Thank you for your interest in having the Pennsylvania Mobile Veteran Service Van participate in your event. Our goal is to make benefits more accessible to state veterans and eligible family members. The mobile offices will set up shop at convenient locations such as shopping centers and veteran service organizations and attend sporting events, county fairs, parades, festivals and other events in communities throughout the state.

Accredited Veterans' Services Officers will provide information and assistance to veterans and family members who may be eligible for benefits through the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. Such benefits might include service-connected disability compensation, improved pensions, death pensions, VA health care benefits, burial benefits, education benefits, vocational rehabilitation and much more.

Please complete the questionnaire below and submit it 6 months but not less than 45 days prior to your event using the email, fax number or address. You may contact Bob Lithgow at 717-861-8195 if you have any questions regarding the mobile program.

Pennsylvania Mobile Veteran Service Van
Office of Veterans Affairs
Attn: Outreach and Reintegration Team
Building 9-26, Fort Indiantown Gap
Annville, PA 17003-5002
FAX: 717-861-8121
Email: RA-VA-Info@pa.gov

Every effort will be made to fulfill your organization's request. However, due to high demand we cannot guarantee the date. If alternate dates are available, please indicate this in the other information area. Requests with less than a 30 day turn around will be handled on a space available basis only. We will notify you as soon as possible if we can grant your request.

To park and set up the Mobile veterans Service Office an area of **40 feet by 15 feet is required**. To avoid the need of running the generator 30 Amp electrical service is required (RV connection) if possible.

Event: _____

Organization Requesting the Mobile Office: _____

Point of Contact: _____
Name Phone Number Email

Alternate Point of Contact: _____
Name Phone Number Email

Location of Event: _____

Dates Requested Hours Requested

Number of Veterans expected to attend: _____

Special requirements requested: _____