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- Burial Allowances



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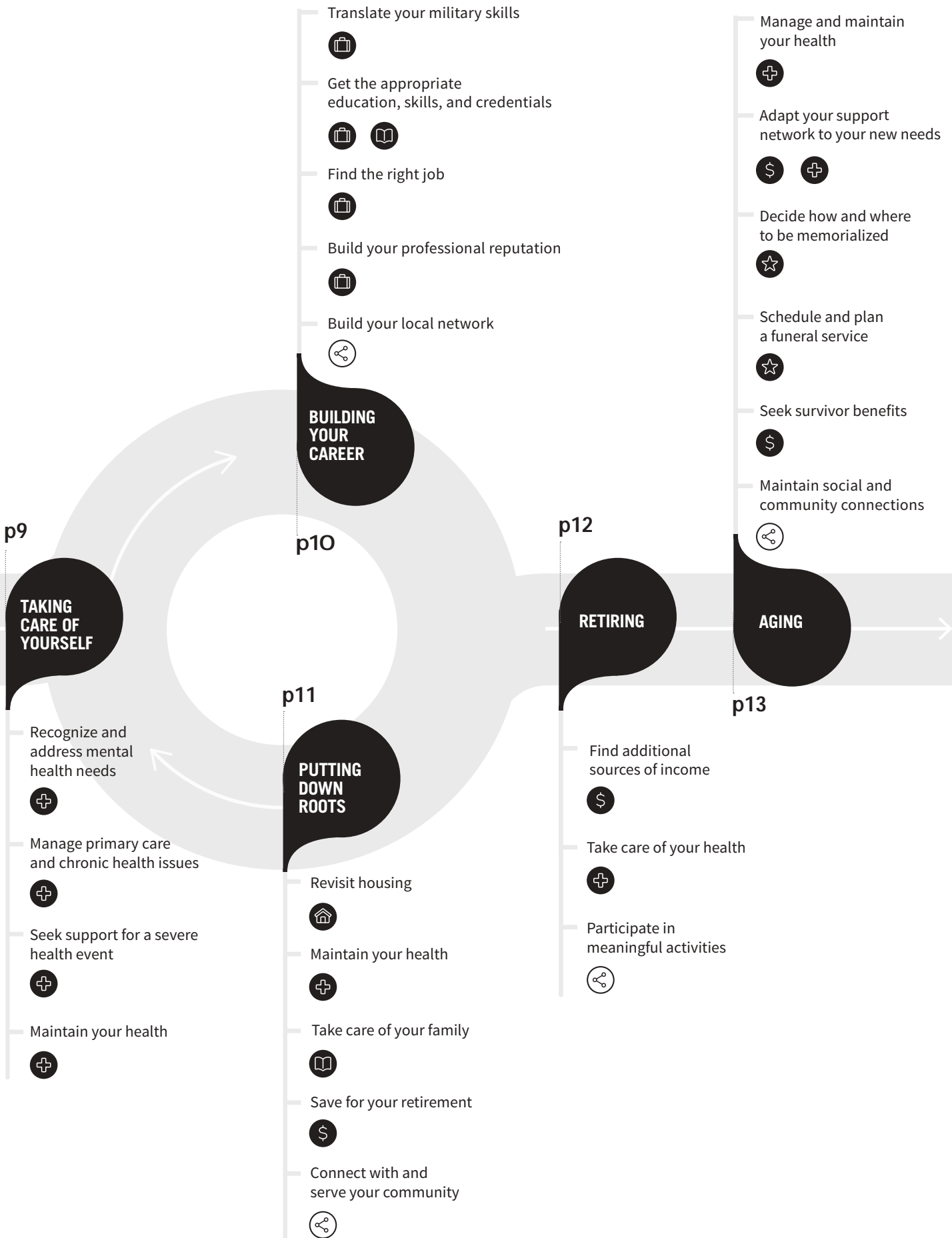


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- Veterans Service Organizations
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Understand your Disability Rating

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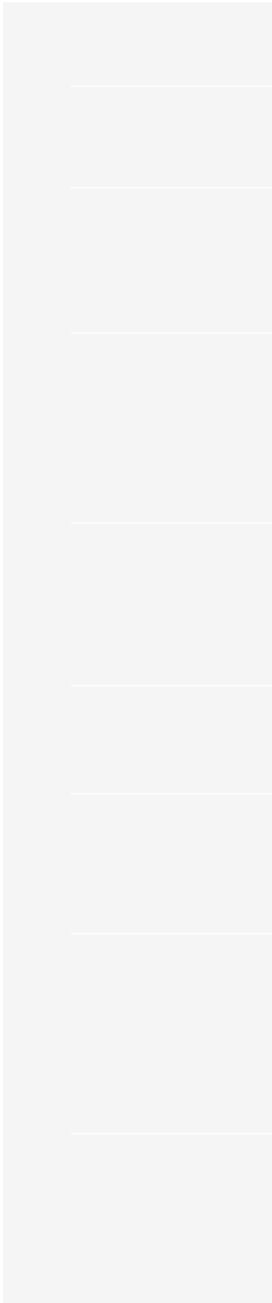
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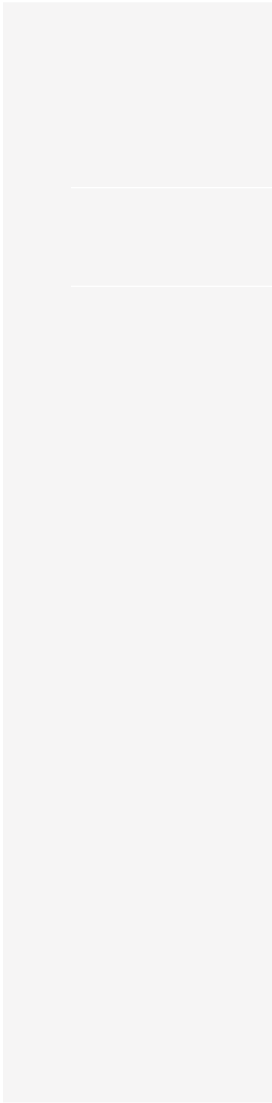
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Locate
va.gov/
facilities







Get started today

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- Identify VA services that can meet your goals
- Prioritize time-sensitive benefits**
- Work with VA to **identify which benefits and services you and your loved ones might be eligible for**

Visit [https://www.va.gov/benefits/](#)

Call 1-800-828-0838

Talk to a VA benefits counselor

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- Online at [https://www.va.gov/benefits/](#)**

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Apply for VA Health Care

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- Discharge papers**
- Your most recent **tax return**

Information you'll need to know to access VA Health Care:

Am I eligible for VA Health Care?

VA has several eligibility criteria for VA Health Care.

- VA has rated you for a service-connected disability
- You received a purple heart or are a former Prisoner of War
- You are a former member of the National Guard or Reserve
- You are a former member of the Coast Guard
- Your family income is below the income threshold
- You are a former member of the Merchant Marine

Note: Not all Veterans are eligible for VA Health Care. Work with VA to determine your eligibility as soon as possible.

What does it mean to be assigned to a priority group?

VA assigns Veterans to a priority group based on your eligibility. Your health care eligibility determines what type of VA Health Care services you can access and how much you will need to pay for those services.

How do I schedule my first appointment?

- On your health care application you can ask VA to call you to schedule your appointment.
- Call VA to schedule your appointment.

What if I live far away or can't get an appointment?

The VA Telehealth Program allows Veterans who live far from VA facilities or who face long wait times for a VA appointment to seek the care they need from an approved private doctor in their community.

Who can help me?

You can receive free help with preparing your claim from a VA accredited

representative.

Accredited representatives are individuals or organizations who are familiar

with the VA claims process.

They can help you understand the VA process and complete your claim.

Note: It is unlawful for any person or organization to charge a fee for assistance in

preparing your claim.

For more information, visit www.va.gov/ogc/apps/accreditation

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Apply for Education Benefits

and career counseling.

A checklist to help you apply for VA Education Benefits:

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- Determine your out-of-pocket costs for each school

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PREPARATION

- Apply to the program that is best for you
- Determine your out-of-pocket costs for each school

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APPLICATION

- Submit your application online or in person at the school of your choice

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DECISION

- Call the VA to determine your benefits

What are the different types of education benefits?

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Get started with Caregiver Benefits

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of responsibilities. **Here's how you know if you are in a caregiver role.**

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Programs and services include:

- Caregiver Support Line
- Peer-support mentoring
- Monthly caregiver education groups by telephone
- Mental health services for caregivers
- Building Better Caregivers™ (six-week online workshop)
- In-home health care
- Help with daily tasks (like bathing, dressing, making meals, taking medicine) and rehab programs
- Comfort care and help with managing pain
- Adult day health care centers
- Telehealth
- Health care benefits through the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs (CHAMPVA)
- Home care supplies and equipment
- Veteran clothing allowance
- Home modification benefit
- Program of Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers

What is the Program of Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers (PCAFC)?

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