

DVMF Transgender Resources

- Modern Military Association of America
- Transgender American Veterans Association (TAVA)
- Minority Veterans of America
- SPARTA
- American Veterans for Equal Rights (AVER)

Resource List for Maryland Veterans Impacted by the Transgender Service Member Ban

Need	Resource
Employment	 Apply for <u>Maryland State Jobs</u> where veterans and eligible military spouses receive <u>hiring credit</u> for all competitive state jobs. Veterans and military spouses receive 10 points on their competitive applications. Utilize complimentary <u>LinkedIn Premium</u> for veterans Talk to a career coach through the <u>Easterseals Veteran</u> <u>Staffing Network</u> Find your <u>local American Job Center here</u> for job search assistance Review upcoming hiring fairs with <u>Hiring our Heroes</u> Explore <u>becoming a teacher in Maryland</u>
Healthcare	 Schedule an initial appointment with one of our accredited veteran benefits specialists to see if you may be eligible for benefits. They can help you <u>enroll in VA benefits</u> at a local DVMF office or virtually at no cost. If you are experiencing a mental health crisis, please call the US Department of Veterans Affairs' <u>Veterans Crisis</u> <u>Line</u> by dialing 988, press #1

Financial support	 Apply for emergency financial assistance with the <u>Maryland</u> <u>Veterans Trust Fund</u> if you meet the <u>eligibility criteria</u>. Navigate additional resources through <u>ServingTogether</u> or <u>Supportive Services for Veterans and Families (SSVF)</u>.
Legal Assistance	 Connect with DVMF-partner University of Baltimore Law School <u>Bob Parsons Veteran Advocacy Clinic</u> at 410-837-5705 <u>Transgender Legal Services Pro Bono Network</u>