
Organizations for Veterans

- Veterans Service Office
1120 Golden State Hwy
868-7300
- Vet Center
1110 Golden State Hwy
323-8387
- Bakersfield National Cemetery
30338 E Bear Mountain Blvd
867-2250
- Kern County Veterans Collaborative
2800 Gateway Ave
4th Thursday each month
- Community Based Outpatient Clinic
1801 Westwind Dr
632-1800
- Veterans of Foreign Wars
(916) 509-8712
Vfwca.org

Emergency Services Dial 211

Food

- Veteran Service Office 868-7300
- Food Bank 336-5236
- Hope Center 399-2119
- Gleaners 324-2767

Shelter

- Bakersfield Homeless Center
322-9281
- Bakersfield Rescue Mission
325-0863

Clothing

- Salvation Army 837-4243
- Saint Vincent De Paul 323-7340
- Hope Center 399-2119

Medical

- KMC 326-2000
- Clinica Sierra Vista 234 Baker St.
- KMCHP 631-6807

Mental Health

- NAMI 868-7176
- Mary K Shell 868-8000
- Crisis Stabilization Unit
1-800-991-5272

Substance Abuse

- Drug and Alcohol Crisis Hotline
1-800-662-4357

California Veterans Assistance Foundation



"Veterans Helping Veterans"

We're Ready To Serve You

(661) 323-5637
(Ask for CVAF)

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www.cavaf.org

Resource and Referral Center
1120 Golden State Ave
868-7313

- Drop in Center for Veterans to obtain information and referrals to community resources available.
- Referrals to all programs offered by the California Veterans Assistance Foundation.
- Referrals to emergency services including food.

Employment and Training

- Supportive services to all veterans including National Guard and Reservist.
- Provides training for various carrier paths.
- Assistance with job search and interviews.
- Links employers with qualified veterans looking for work.

Housing

Transitional Housing

- 42 bed program for homeless single male veterans.
- No income is required at entry.
- Program fees are assessed on a sliding scale.

Transitional to Permanent Housing

- 5 unit program for homeless veterans. This includes female veterans and veterans with families.
- Must be able to take over the lease after a period of time.
- No income is required at entry.
- Program fees are assessed on a sliding scale.

Permanent Supportive Housing

- 10 unit program for homeless low income disabled veterans. This includes female veterans and veterans with families.
- Must have income from **VA Pension or SSDI** to qualify.
- Rent is assessed at 30% of income.

Supportive Services

- Homeless Prevention Assistance Assist veterans who have started the eviction process.
- Rapid Re-housing Assist homeless veterans in securing independent housing.

Stand Down
2nd Thursday in October
At Stramler Park

- Link Veterans with resources in the community to assist with all needs.
- Provide information on programs available.
- Veterans court for traffic tickets and misdemeanors.

CVAF Mission Statement

To serve veterans and other individuals and their families who are homeless, at risk and low income. To restore and improve lives by alleviating homelessness through information, advocacy and service.