

# Oakland County Veteran Navigator

Supporting Veterans and Families in Oakland County

Are you a military veteran,  
a spouse, or child of a veteran?

Contact your local Veteran Navigator today.

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## About the Veteran Navigator

The Oakland County Veteran Navigator's Mission is to support Oakland County veterans and their family members by helping them navigate state, federal, and community resources including:

- Support Groups
- Substance Use Disorders
- Transportation
- Housing
- Mental Health
- Various Resources
- Employment
- Disabilities
- Reentry

## ARE YOU A VETERAN?

We define veteran as anyone who served in the military for any length of time and who was discharged with any status.

## SUPPORT FOR VETERANS

The services provided by the Veteran Navigator support:

- All veterans regardless of discharge status
- Veterans who do not meet service eligibility due to time-in-service
- Veterans who are not eligible for Veterans Administration (VA) services
- Veterans who do not wish to seek traditional support paths

## SUPPORT FOR MILITARY FAMILIES

The Oakland County Veteran Navigator also supports military and veteran family members (children and spouses).

## SUPPORT FOR ORGANIZATIONS

The Veteran Navigator is available to consult with organizations in Oakland County to create veteran friendly referrals and develop a strong support network for veterans.

## VETERAN RESOURCE PHONE NUMBERS

### Oakland County Veteran Resource Contacts

Oakland County Veteran Navigator:	248-764-4443
OCHN Access (non-emergency services):	248-464-6363
Resource & Crisis Helpline (emergency services):	800-231-1127
Oakland County Veteran Services (Pontiac office):	248-858-0785
Oakland County Veteran Services (Troy office):	248-655-1250
Pontiac Veteran Center:	248-874-0813

### National Veteran Resource Contacts

National Call Center for Homeless Veterans:	877-424-3838
Veterans Crisis & Suicide Prevention Hotline:	800-273-8255

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