



Disabled American Veterans

Women's Veteran Advisor Department of California

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1.855.VA.WOMEN
WOMEN VETERANS
CALL CENTER

Call Center is available
Monday through Friday
8 AM - 10 PM EST
Saturdays from 8 AM - 6:30 PM EST

All the representatives
at the Women Veterans
Call Center are
Women, and many are
Veterans themselves.

LIVE Anonymous Chat

www.womenshealth.va.gov

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Since April 2013

WVCC has reached
287,000

Receiving an average
80 calls per day

Initiating an average
1,000 calls per day

The Deborah Sampson Act

Sponsoring
Senator of Minnosota
Jon Tester's



ELIMINATING BARRIERS TO CARE

PEER TO PEER ASSISTANCE

MATERNITY AND NEWBORN CARE

LEGAL AND SUPPORT SERVICES

DATA TRACKING AND REPORTING

Homeless Assistance

- Veterans and **their families** may also call 1-877-4AID-VET (**1-877-424-3838**)
- www.va.gov/homeless
- Local or Regional VA medical Center

Raise PTSD Awareness
during the **Month of June**
with the VA's National Center for PTSD

For tips and materials to help you organize an
event or share information

www.ptsd.va.gov/about/ptsd-awareness/

EDUCATION

DAV Department of California Job Fair Listings 2018

- **14 June** **Camp Pendleton**
- **19 July** **Sacramento**
- **2 August** **San Diego**
- **4 October** **Camp Pendleton and San Francisco**
- **18 October** **Riverside**
- **1 November** **Los Angeles**
- **29 November** **San Diego**

**Special Virtual Job Fairs are also available for Women Veterans
See the DAV National Web Site for Listings**



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Partnered with the DAV for the care of Women Veterans

**The Department of California DAV
Largest number of Veterans per Capita**

**Cal-Vet reports there are nearly
145,000
Women Veterans are in California**

<https://www.calvet.ca.gov/calvet-programs/women-veterans>



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WOMEN'S VETERAN ROSTER

<https://www.calvet.ca.gov/WomenVets/Pages/Women-Veterans-Roster.aspx>

Future of the Department of California DAV

- A Women's Veterans Advisor for **EVERY CHAPTER** in California
- To have a link on State Website to be updated monthly with new information and
- Tracking of women veteran to send them to local chapters for assistance with those Women's Veterans Advisors
- To form a committee to gather during Mid-Winter and State Convention

The VA recognizes challenges that Women Veteran have with return to civilian life

- **Pregnancy**
- **Child Care**
- **PTSD / Military Sexual Trauma**
- **Homelessness**
- **Education**
- **Employment**