# Kennebec Valley Veteran's Resource Directory



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# Purpose Statement

The purpose of this directory is to gather contacts for those who have served their country all into one easy and accessible place. Within this resource directory lies resources in a variety of different topic matters. Resources in social domains, vocational domains, housing, legal services, educational services, medical services, psych environmental services, primary supports, financial services, and other services that are provided for Veterans are all covered.

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#### **Social Services**

The American Legion
Mainelegion.org
207-873-3229
Open M-F 8-4
Social Gathering place for veterans

Family and Veterans Support Group 207-557-5513-Tom Benn 2nd wednesday of the month 6-7:30 Support group for Veterans and Families dealing with a person in the military.

Kennebec Behavioral Health Augusta Center https://www.kbhmaine.org/?q=node/27 P: (207) 626-3455 Provides group therapy sessions.

Capitol Clubhouse
http://www.capitalclubhouse.com/
(207) 629-0809
Open Sunday - Saturday 5:00am - 11:00pm
Allows those who are suffering from mental illness to meet one another.

National Center for PTSD

<a href="http://www.ptsd.va.gov/">http://www.ptsd.va.gov/</a>
(802) 296-6300

Open 24/7

National call center for those suffering from post traumatic stress disorder.

#### **Vocational Services**

Augusta CareerCenter

http://www.mainecareercenter.com/locations/region3/augusta/index.shtml

(207) 624-5120

Open Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Provides training and counseling in look for a job.

Veterans Inc.

http://www.veteransinc.org/

(800) 482-2565

Open 24/7

Helps provide help searching for a job, and job training.

Togus Medical Center

http://www.benefits.va.gov/togus/

(207) 623-8411

Open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Helps connect Veterans with their benefits.

Maine Vocational And Rehabilitation Associates

http://mainevocandrehab.com/index.html

(207)623-1898

Open Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Helps provide support for those living with disabilities.

VA Maine Healthcare System Human Resource Management Services

http://www.maine.va.gov/careers/

(207) 623-5713

Open Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Allows for jobs within the VA healthcare system.

# **Housing Services**

Veterans Inc.

http://www.veteransinc.org/

(800) 482-2565

Open 24/7

Provides service to help Veterans find housing to help end homelessness.

Maine Veterans' Homes
460 Civic Center Drive
Augusta, Maine 04330
1-800-278-9494
Open 24/7
Advocating for Veterans needing housing.

Bread of Life Ministries 207-626-3479 http://www.mainebreadoflife.org/ Family homeless shelter

Mid-Maine Homeless Shelter 207-872-8082 Open 4pm to 8am Homeless Shelter

Maine State Housing Authority
http://www.mainehousing.org/
207-626-4600
Open Monday-Friday 8am to 5pm
Helps connect veterans to their benefits, and helps with finding housing.

# **Legal Services**

Pine Tree Legal

https://ptla.org/contact-us

(207) 622-4721

Mondays noon to 3pm., Tuesday and Thursdays 9am-12pm

Help advocate for veterans applying for va benefits, pro-bono lawyers.

Maine Volunteer Lawyers Project

http://www.vlp.org

207-774-4518

Volunteer Lawyers provide pro-bono work for those who can not afford it.

Disability Rights Center

http://drme.org/

(207) 626-2774

Open Monday thru 8AM-5PM

Advocacy for disability benefits.

Maine Equal Justice Partners

http://www.mejp.org/

207-626-7058

Helping those living in poverty get justice.

Goodspeed and O'Donnell

http://www.goodspeedandodonnell.com/

(207) 209-3197

Open Monday-Friday 8:30am-5pm

Legal Work for those who can pay for a private lawyer.

#### **Educational Services**

Finance Authority of Maine (FAME)

http://www.famemaine.com/

207-623-3263

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Helps create jobs for Maine Veterans

University of Maine at Augusta

http://www.uma.edu/

(207) 621-3000

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Provides education for those with a GI Bill.

Kennebec Valley Community College

http://www.kvcc.me.edu/

(207) 453-5000

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Provides post-secondary education for those with a GI Bill.

# Augusta Adult Education

http://augusta.maineadulted.org/

(207) 626-2470

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Provides job training as well as other education services.

Military Friendly

https://militaryfriendly.com/2016employers/

Open 24/7

Online Resource for Veteran friendly employers

#### **Medical Services**

Togus Medical Center
http://www.benefits.va.gov/togus/
(207) 623-8411
Open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Medical hospital for Veterans.

Kennebec Behavioral Health Augusta Center https://www.kbhmaine.org/?q=node/27 P: (207) 626-3455 Provides treatment for those with Mental illness.

Capitol Clubhouse http://www.capitalclubhouse.com/ (207) 629-0809

Open Sunday - Saturday 5:00am - 11:00pm

Helps provide treatment with those suffering from a mental illness or disability.

Barbara Cumming Cameron, LCSW

http://barbaralcsw.com/

(207) 622-2673

Open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Trained Counselor to help with mental illness, accepts Mainecare.

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Charkowick Robert, Do http://www.maine.va.gov/ (207) 623-8411

Open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5pm

## **Psycheviromental Services**

University of Maine at Augusta http://www.uma.edu/ (207) 621-3000

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Provides education for those with a GI Bill so that they can improve their environmental situation

Maine State Housing Authority
http://www.mainehousing.org/
207-626-4600
Open Monday-Friday 8am to 5pm
Helps connect veterans to their benefits and disability funds.

Pine Tree Legal

https://ptla.org/contact-us

(207) 622-4721

Mondays noon to 3pm., Tuesday and Thursdays 9am-12pm Allows for a peaceful environment, protection from abuse orders.

Family and Veterans Support Group 207-557-5513-Tom Benn 2nd wednesday of the month 6-7:30 Connects Veterans to other Veterans.

### Augusta Adult Education

http://augusta.maineadulted.org/

(207) 626-2470

Open Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Allows for extra education to give Veterans a step up in the job world, allowing for more money to improve their environmental situation.

# **Primary Supports**

Family and Veterans Support Group
207-557-5513-Tom Benn
2nd wednesday of the month 6-7:30
Support group for Veterans and Families dealing with a person in the military.

#### Veterans Inc.

http://www.veteransinc.org/

(800) 482-2565

Open 24/7

Provides advocates to support veterans.

# Capitol Clubhouse

http://www.capitalclubhouse.com/

(207) 629-9080

Sunday - Saturday 5:00am - 11:00pm

#### NAMI Maine

http://www.namimaine.org/?page=VeteranSupportGrp (800) 464-5767 Open Monday-Friday 8am to 5pm Support groups for Veterans

Togus Medical Center
http://www.benefits.va.gov/togus/
(207) 623-8411
Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Connects Veterans to other Veterans.

#### Other

Veterans Crisis Line

https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/

1-800-273-8255

Open 24/7

Veteran crisis hotline, the website also has a confidential chat room for those who do not want to make the call.

Homeless Veterans Call Center

http://www1.va.gov/HOMELESS/NationalCallCenter.asp

1-877-424-3838

Open 24/6

Hotline for homeless veterans, allows for access to trained counselors.

Readjustment Counseling Service Combat Call Center

http://www.vetcenter.va.gov/media/Call-Center-PSA.asp

877-927-8387 (877-WAR VETS)

Open 24/7

Hotline for Veterans struggling with reintegration into normal civilizenship.

Statewide Crisis Hotline:

1-888-568-1112

Open 24/7

Crisis hotline for anyone in Maine.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org 1-800-273-8255 Open 24/7