Help us make a real difference in a veteran's life.

DAV IMPACT
With your donations, DAV helped over a million veterans and their families in 2018. Learn more about our impact.

$20 Billion + in claimant benefits received

625,000 + rides to medical appointments

212,640 claims represented in 2018

1 Million + veterans helped each year

SUPPORT VETERANS

www.dav.org
Google
A surprising amount of DAV content can be found using a simple Google search. This also improves DAV search rankings.
Search

Mostly for articles, on the top right hand side of the website, you can search DAV for created content.
The vast majority of resources DAV leaders need to execute our mission are located in the members-only section of DAV.org
To access, visit **DAV.org** and log in using your member number.
The members section has been reorganized.

Contact Connie at cpowell@dav.org or for resource questions, comments or feedback.
Once logged in, most of what member leaders need is readily available.
Member Advantages

Exclusive deals and opportunities. Most popular place in the section.
Quick Links

Created in close collaboration with member leaders, this section will continue to be available.
Member Leaders
Resources available in alphabetical order to help chapter and department leaders carry out the mission.
Member Orientation

Helps provide incoming veterans with the “lay of the land” at DAV.
New Member Information

**Materials for chapters to orient new members.**
- New Member Orientation Webinar Presentation
- New Member Orientation Mentoring Guide
- New Member Orientation Guide
- New Member Orientation Webinar

**Materials for chapters to recruit new members.**
- Accessing And Utilizing The DAV Membership Application Online Webinar Presentation
- Accessing And Utilizing The DAV Membership Application Online Webinar
AFR Cheat Sheet

Subject of a recent seminar, helps entities with Annual Financial Report requirements.
Annual Financial Report Kit
More in depth guidance on financial reporting.
Certificates
Easy way to recognize volunteers and even companies who support the mission.
Chapter Officer Guide

Particularly useful for new officers, but good guidance to prepare all to lead.
Chapter Print and Supply Ordering
Ensures consistent use of DAV’s brand.
Forget-Me-Not Day (Horizontal)
Forget-Me-Not-Day (Vertical)

Free artwork that can be customized to promote local fundraising efforts.
IRS Reinstatement Information

This page contains information and forms that will assist affected DAV subordinate units to reinstate their tax-exempt status. The reinstatement can be granted only by the Internal Revenue Service. DAV does not have the authority to reverse an IRS-initiated revocation.

DAV is able only to provide DAV-specific information that may assist in the reinstatement process. Most of that information is contained in the “DAV FAQ” below. If there are additional questions that any subordinate unit believes to be appropriate to submit to DAV, please use the designated e-mail address of irsreinstatement@da-v.org. DAV cannot accept telephone inquiries on these matters.

Auto Revocation Frequently Asked Questions
If an organization’s tax-exempt status is automatically revoked, it is no longer exempt from federal income tax.

IRS Automatic Revocation – How to Have Your Tax-Exempt Status Retroactively Reinstated
 Procedures for retroactive reinstatement of IRS tax-exempt status.

IRS Top Ten Tips to Shorten the Tax-exempt Application Process
Tips from IRS for timely processing of application.

Revenue Procedure 2014-11
Detailed procedures for reinstatement of IRS tax-exempt status.
Membership Card – Auxiliary
Membership Card – DAV

Easy to fill out and print cards to show active membership.
Guide to Reports

Assistance on how you can navigate the membership system and its many resources.
Constitution & Bylaws

The document that determines DAV’s policies, procedures and governance.
2019 Convention Information
Where you can go for information about convention and resources presented during the event.
facebook.com/DAV

twitter.com/davhq

youtube.com/disabledamericanveterans

instagram.com/daveterans/

flickr.com/photos/thedav/

https://www.linkedin.com/company/davhq

https://www.pinterest.com/DAVeterans/
Tools and resources to help you spread the word.

- Chapter and Department Outreach
- Election Year Dos and Don’ts
- Hiring Guide
- Logos/Branding
- Podcast
- Press Room
- PSAs for download
- PSA Toolkit
- Publicity Guide
- Pulse Survey
- Thank A Vet
- Videos
- Volunteer Drivers
- Women Veterans Study
Logos/Branding

Get logo use guidance, promise to comply with standards and download logo files.
Identity Presentation

Customizable for chapters, a new DAV presentation that can be used as is or as a template for speaking opportunities.
Identity Video

Recently updated and downloadable, can be used to educate members, the public and donors about the organization.
Podcast

Connect and share DAV content in a new format.
Pulse Survey

Great information to use in conversations, newsletters and for speeches.
DAVThankAVet.org

A program that encourages people to recognize a veteran, past or present, in their life by helping them create a custom, animated digital card. Promoted usually around Veterans Day.
Press Room

A location primarily for the media, but a good source of information for those who interact with the press.
PSA Toolkit

Guidance on how you can fill billboards and airtime in your community with DAV messages.
DAVPSA.org

An easy URL to remember to pitch public service announcements to station managers. You can download and use the PSAs too.
Publicity Guide

Advice on engaging the media and templates for creating press releases.
Videos

Links to the public-facing DAV videos page. Nearly all videos are available also on DAV’s YouTube channel.
Service Officer

Information for benefits advocates.

- Claimant Contact Brief
- NSO Locator
- Service Officer Guide
NSO Locator

Your Local DAV National Service Officer (NSO) will help you file a claim and stick with you all through the process, because no veteran should have to worry about the services provided by DAV NSOs are free of charge.

Active duty and transitioning service members should talk to a Transition Service Officer. Find your nearest TSO here.

DAV also offers Mobile Service Officers, to reach those veterans with mobility problems, or who simply live a distance from the nearest office. Find a schedule here.

If you are having browser issues, please click HERE!

Easy to find here or from homepage, helps veterans contact national service offices. Most popular feature on dav.org. Also accessible from benefitsquestions.org
Service Officer Guide

Nuts and bolts resource to the claims process and general DAV information for benefits advocates.
Contact Brief

Helps collect necessary information.
Voluntary Services

Tools to orient and facilitate leaders about volunteerism.

- How to Recruit Volunteer Driver Toolkit
- Volunteer for Veterans Seminar (2018 National Convention)
- Volunteer for Veterans Website
- Webinar – Local Veterans Assistant Program (LVAP)
- Webinar – VAVS and HSC Reporting: How to
- Webinar – Voluntary Services Overview
- Webinar – Volunteer for Veterans
- Webinar – Volunteering, Scholarships and You
Volunteer Driver Recruiting Toolkit

Resource with information on how media outreach and other recruiting contributes to the transportation network.
VolunteerForVeterans.org

A link to DAV’s crowd-sourcing platform for volunteerism.
Legislation

Tools, resources and reports for Benefit Protection Team Leaders and interested advocates.

- 2018 National Convention Legislative Handouts
- BPT Leader Presentation
- BPT Leader Toolkit
- Capitol Hill & Community Videos
- DAV CAN
- Independent Budget
- Resolutions (Legislative Program)
- Setting the Record Straight Videos
Independent Budget

DAV and partners’ recommendations for VA’s budget.
Election Year Dos & Don’ts

DAV is a nonpartisan organization. This clarifies national policies on proper interaction as DAV representatives during election years.
Resolutions
(Legislative Program)

Your guide to DAV’s stance on everything.
BPT Leader Toolkit

Resources to help DAV’s top legislative advocates advance our mission with lawmakers.
Benefits Protection Team Seminar

DAV National Convention
July 13, 2018
Capitol Hill & Community Videos

A direct link to videos related to legislative efforts. Also available as a list on YouTube.
Setting The Record Straight Videos

Another series of videos created to support legislative advocacy. Available also on YouTube.
DAVCAN.org
Commander’s Action Network
Empowers individuals to take legislative action on behalf of DAV and keeps leaders informed on items of interest.

Sign up for the DAV CAN (Commander’s Action Network) today to help protect the earned benefits of ill and injured veterans and their families. By becoming an advocate, you can help inform lawmakers about the important issues and challenges veterans face every day. You will receive alerts and updates on key legislative issues directly impacting and affecting the veteran community, and through DAV CAN you can share your views and directly voice your concerns with lawmakers on Capitol Hill. Your personal involvement is critical, and increases the effectiveness of our advocacy mission in order to fulfill our promises to the men and women who served.

You can also stay up to date on current legislative priorities by getting involved with DAV’s Benefits Protection Team and lend your voice to the growing local grassroots network in your area.
Women Veterans: The Journey Ahead

DAV’s most recent report on the needs of women warriors. You can share the link, download or print.
Women Veterans: The Long Journey Home

DAV’s groundbreaking report highlighting recommendations to better serve women veterans.
Fundraising
Information on vehicle donations, Drive 4 UR Community events and other.

- Drive 4 UR Community
- Just B Kids Toolkit
- National Constitution and Bylaws
- Vehicle Donation Toolkit
Vehicle Donation Toolkit

Information on the program that results in shared support at the local and state-level.
Just B Kids Toolkit

Support the children of military and veteran families through DAV.
Drive 4 Ur Community

Toolkit to help leaders collaborate with Ford to raise funds through a test drive initiative.
Employment

Resources to help veterans seeking jobs and employers.

- Hiring Guide
- Job Fairs
- jobs.dav.org
Hiring Guide
Great resource to provide local companies to promote hiring veterans.
Job Fairs

Career fair schedule.
Toolkits/Guides
A comprehensive list of guides and resources produced for DAV member leaders.

- BPT Leader Toolkit
- Chapter Officer Guide
- Drive 4 UR Community Toolkit
- E-Newsletter Toolkit
- Hiring Guide
- How To Recruit Volunteer Drivers Toolkit
- Just B Kids Toolkit
- Member Orientation Guide
- PSA Toolkit
- Publicity Guide
- Service Officer Guide
- Vehicle Donation Toolkit
Webinars

Videos covering topics of interest to members.

- Annual Financial and Officer Reports Webinar
- Department and Chapter Webmaster Webinar
- Local Veterans Assistance Program (LVAP) Webinar
- Membership Department: How We Can Serve You Webinar
- New Membership Goals Webinar
- Trial Membership & Recruitment Webinar
- Understanding DAV Membership Eligibility Webinar
- VAVS and HSC Reporting: How To Webinar
- Voluntary Services Overview Webinar
- Volunteer for Veterans Webinar
- Volunteering, Scholarships and You: Webinar
2018-2019 Year in Review
DAVStore.org

Get the gear and supplies you need.
All (Alpha order)

Alphabetical listing of all members only resources.
DAV Annual Report

Available in the members section, website or through a quick Google search of “DAV Annual Report,” this resource can prepare you to communicate on DAV’s transparent fiscal management.
facebook.com/DAV

twitter.com/davhq

youtube.com/disabledamericanveterans

instagram.com/daveterans/

flickr.com/photos/thedav/

https://www.linkedin.com/company/davhq

https://www.pinterest.com/DAVeterans/
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