Program Year (PY) 2024
Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP)
Post-Award Conference (PAC)

Welcome!

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Agenda - July 23, 2024

- Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS) Organization

- The HVRP Team

- Government Speak

- HVRP - The Basics

- Resources

- Next Up

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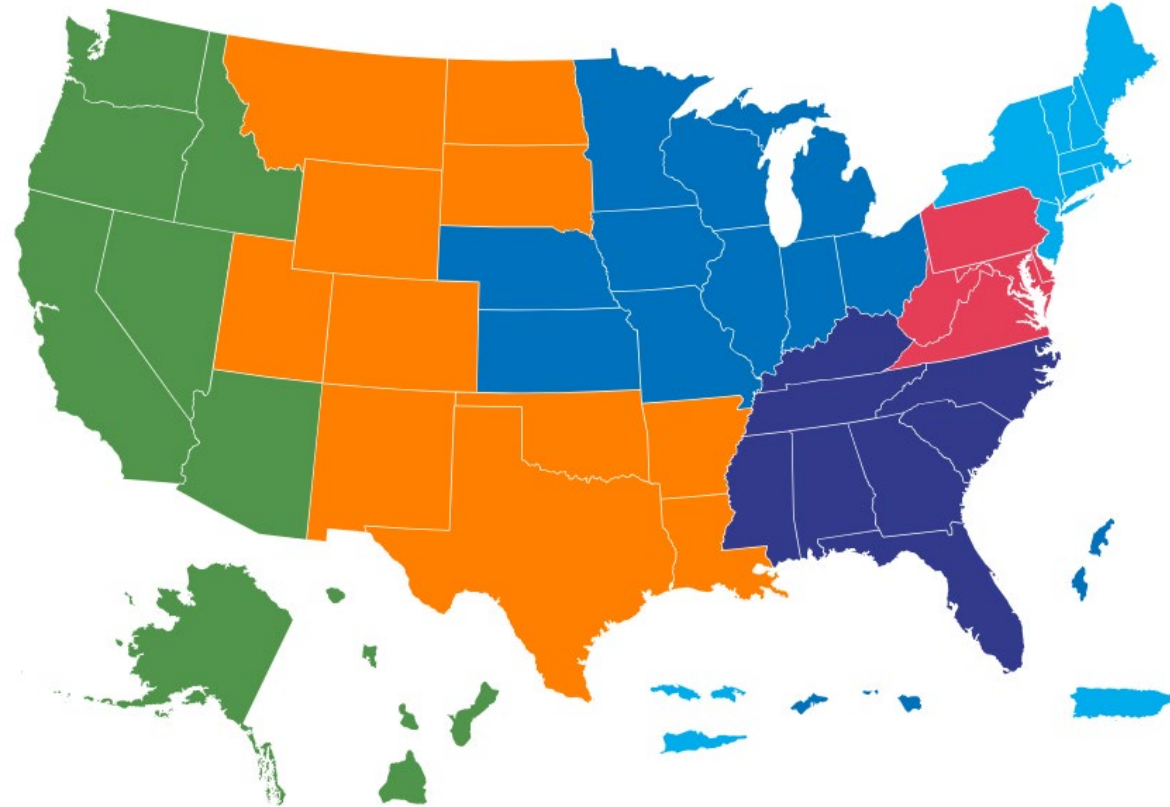
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Government Speak

- **AJC** - American Job Center
- **C.F.R** - Code of Federal Regulations
- **DOL** - U.S. Department of Labor
- **FFA** - Federal Financial Assistance
- **FFR** - Federal Financial Report
- **FY** - Fiscal Year
- **FOA** - Funding Opportunity Announcement
- **GO Memo** - Grant Officer's Memorandum
- **GOTR** - Grant Officer's Technical Representative
- **NVTAC** - National Veterans' Technical Assistance Center
- **OGM** - Office of Grants Management

- **PAC** - *Post-Award Conference*
- **PMS** - *Payment Management System*
- **PoP** - *Period of Performance*
- **PY** - *Program Year*
- **SDA** - *Service Delivery Area*
- **SOP** - *Standard Operating Procedure*
- **SOW** - *Statement of Work*
- **TPN** - *Technical Performance Narrative*
- **TPR** - *Technical Performance Report*
- **VGRS** - *VETS Grants Reporting System*
- **VPL** - *Veterans' Program Letter*
- **VSO** - *Veteran Service Organization*

HVRP Glossary of Terms and **HVRP Acronym Desk Aid**

HVRP
The Basics

HVRP

Funds three specific types of grants

1. Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP)

2. Incarcerated Veterans' Transition Program (IVTP)

3. Homeless Women Veterans and Homeless Veterans with Children (HWVHVWC)

Authorizing Statute 38 United States Code (U.S.C.) 2021, 2021 A, and 2023

What does HVRP do?

Serve those **currently** experiencing homelessness and those **at risk** of homelessness.

Help veterans experiencing homelessness **find good jobs**.

Conduct **outreach**, assessments, intake; Provide case management, career skills training, **job placement** and retention support.

Collaborate with American Job Centers, U.S. Departments of Veterans Affairs (VA) and Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funded programs, Veteran Service Organizations (VSO), and Faith-based programs.

www.dol.gov/agencies/vets/programs/HVRP and **www.nvtac.org**

HVRP Basics – Part I

- Grants have a three-year period of performance

- Grants are funded annually each PY (July 1 – June 30)
  - First Year of Funding: 3 years to expend these funds
  - Second Year of Funding: 2 years to expend these funds
  - Third Year of Funding: 1 year to expend these funds

- The Project and Budget Narratives outline how the grant will be executed
  - All expenses must adhere to 2 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) § 200 and 2900 and U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) policy

2 C.F.R. Part 200, 2 C.F.R. Part 2900, and VETS HVRP Policies

HVRP Basics – Part II

- Standard Operating Procedures
  - Consistent and equitable (car repairs, daycare, gift cards, tablets, ride share/public transportation cards, clothing, subsidized job training, etc.)
- Eligibility Requirements
  - Definition of a veteran, U.S.C. § 101 (18) and (21-24)
  - Definition of homelessness, Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing (HEARTH) Act of 2009
  - Veteran who is a participant in, Housing and Urban Development - Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH), Tribal HUD-VASH, Supportive Services for Veterans Families (SSVF), or Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act 1996 programs
  - Veteran who is at risk of homelessness, within 15-60 days or recently released (within last 12 months) from certain institutions

NVTAC Resources and HVRP Eligibility Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

HVRP Basics – Part III

- Reporting Requirements
  - TPN (Technical Performance Narrative), TPR (Technical Performance Report), and Federal Financial Report (FFR)

- Indirect Cost Rate (Subscribe to the National Veterans' Training Institute (NVTI) Mailing List)
  - Webinar: August 7, 2024, 2 p.m., ET

- Grant Closeout (Subscribe to the NVTI Mailing List)
  - Webinar: August 21, 2024, 2 p.m., ET

- Automated systems: GrantSolutions, VETS Grants Reporting System (VGRS), Payment Management System (PMS)
  - Registered users for each system receives email notifications

HVRP Expectations

- Understand the unique needs of the veterans in your service delivery area

- Aware of where to locate and how to connect with eligible veterans regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, or any other identifying characteristic

- Have establish relationships with organizations that will support the veteran in reintegrating into the civilian workforce

- Have establish partnerships with employers to hire our veterans

- Provide career placement services

The Good Jobs Initiative

HVRP Services

- Outreach, intake, and assessment

- Case management

- Career counseling

- Career technical training

- Job readiness/Career transition

- Wrap-around services

- Job placement

- Job retention support

Services are individualized to each veteran

HVRP Reports

- **Adhere** to your project narrative, **achieve** your performance goals, and **effectively** manage your budget.
- Monitoring and Reporting Performance Outcomes.
  - TPR – outcomes, targets versus actuals
  - TPN – what worked and what didn't
- Monitoring and Reporting Grant Spending.
  - Quarterly Standard Form (SF)-425 FFR – include subawards (contracted services)
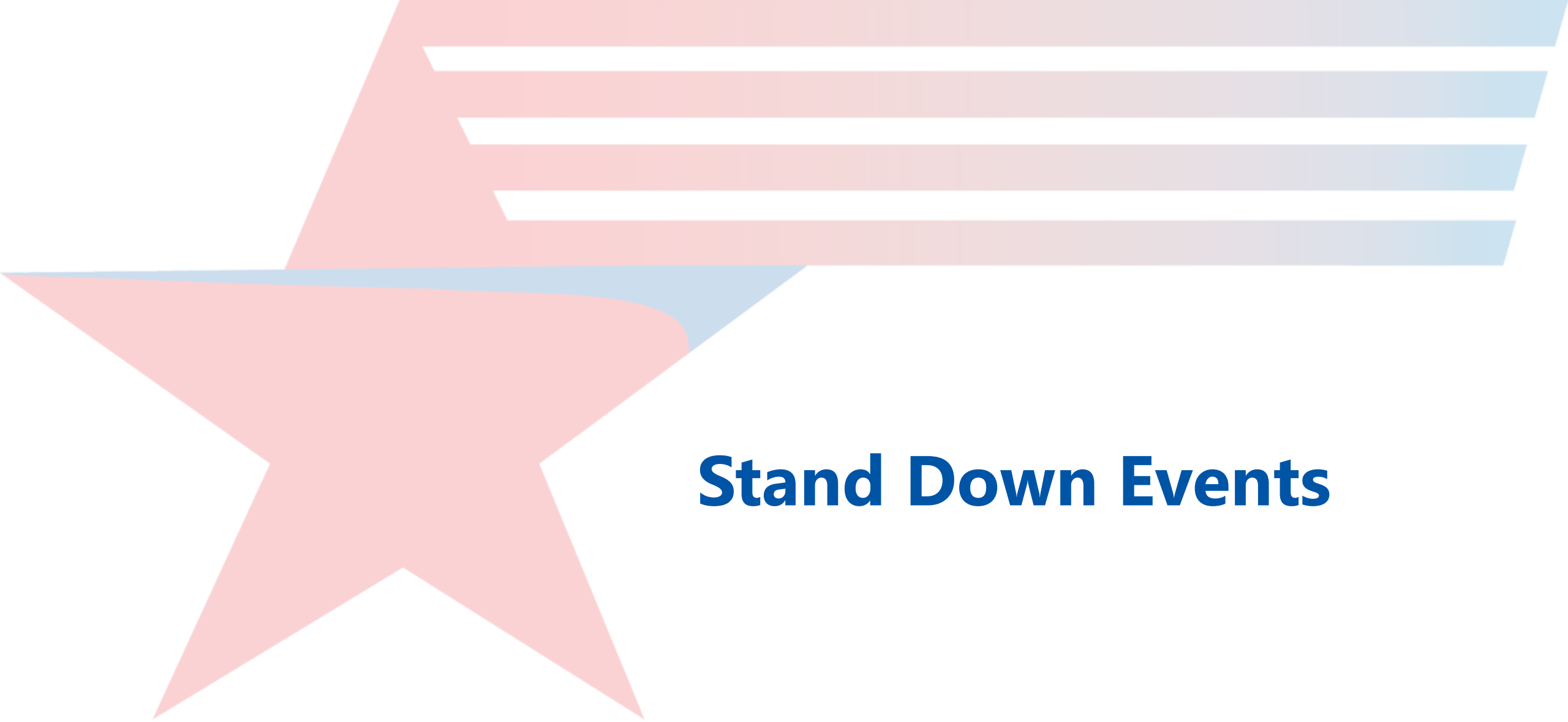
Stand Down Events

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An application for funding is required

- Typically, one- to three-day events
- Non-competitive grants of $7,000-$10,000, or up to $50,000 for emergency response
- Provide baseline services (i.e., food, clothing, **housing**, showers, hygiene kits, haircuts, health screenings, Veterans Affairs (VA) and Social Security benefits counseling, as well as referrals to **health care**, legal aid, **employment**, substance abuse treatment, and mental health counseling resources.)
- Funding available for veteran fair share

Stand Down | DOL and NVTI

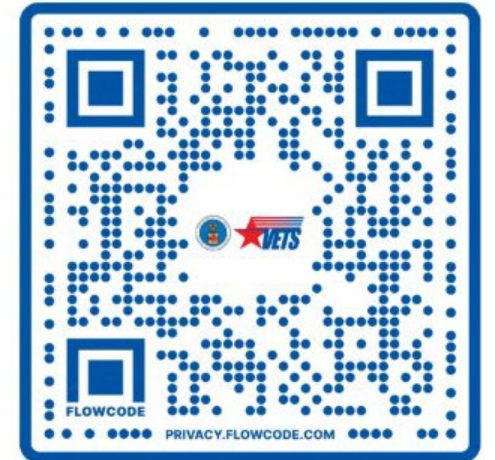# Other Information You Need To Know

Resources

- Bookmark these links
    - ⇨ [Active HVRP Policy](#)
    - ⇨ [GrantSolutions](#)
    - ⇨ [HVRP Acronym Desk Aid](#)
    - ⇨ [HVRP Glossary of Terms](#)
    - ⇨ [HVRP Website](#)
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What's Next?

Today

- Key Policy Guidance Reporting Requirements
- National Veterans' Training Institute
- National Veterans' Technical Assistance Center

Tomorrow

- Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) & Terms and Conditions
- Introduction to GrantSolutions
- Audit Results: Review and Debrief
- Understanding Financial Management
- Payment Management System
- Resources

Thursday

- Conditions of Awards and Amendments
- Performance and Reporting
- Resources

We are always available!

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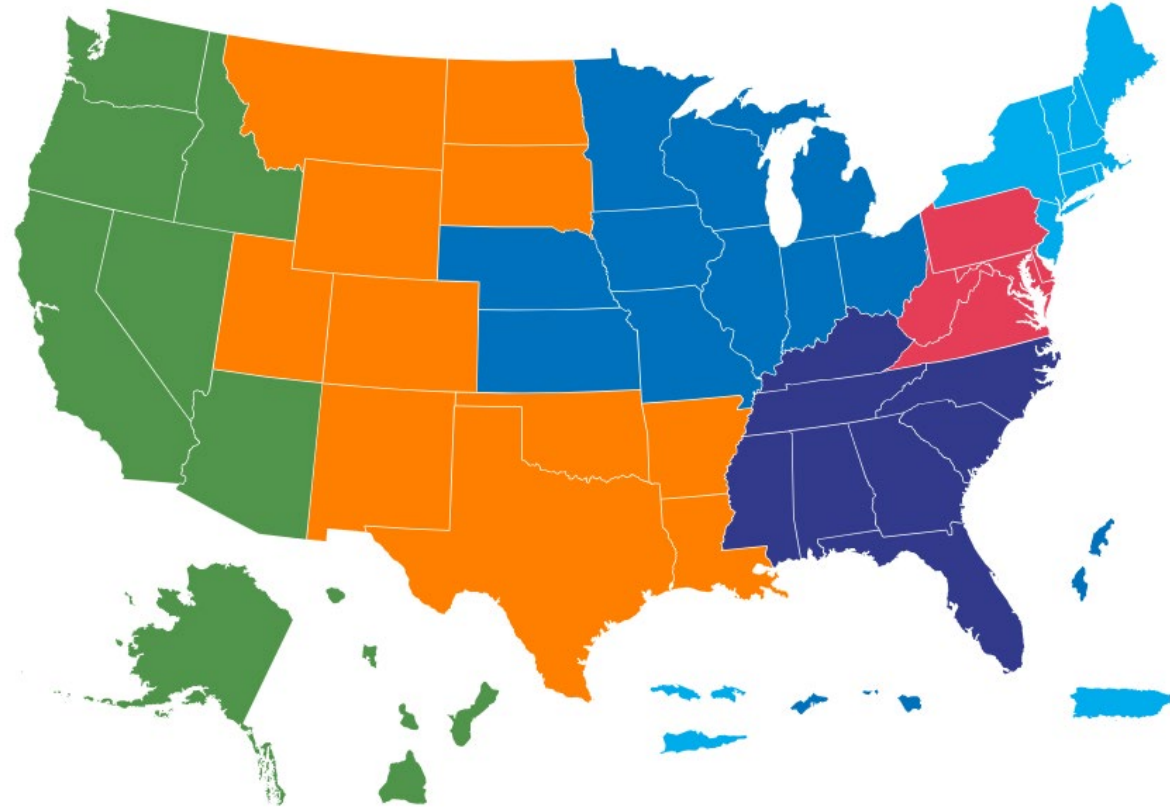
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