

Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP) Information

Session: Wednesday, July 9, 2025

Questions and Answers (Q&A)

Overview

The following Q&A document provides responses to questions posed at the HVRP Information Session intended for organizations serving Utah held on July 9, 2025. Questions have been synthesized for clarity.

Q&A

Q1: Is HVRP a cash grant that allows an organization to provide veterans services, or only a program that veterans can be referred to?

A1: Both! HVRP delivers career exploration opportunities, placement services, and supportive services to veterans experiencing or at risk of homelessness, empowering them to secure employment in stable, high-demand occupations paying wages consistent with the relevant market. It establishes strong partnerships with public, private, and nonprofit organizations to assist veterans in overcoming barriers to employment. Lastly, HVRP provides job-driven training targeted at in-demand occupations to enable veterans to become employable or seek a higher employment grade. Eligible organizations can apply to become HVRP grant recipients and receive funding to provide applicable employment services to veterans directly. Organizations can also collaborate with active HVRP grant recipients to refer eligible veterans for employment services if they live within that program's service delivery area (SDA).

Q2: What is the typical award amount for the HVRP grant?

A2: Each HVRP Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) will specify the award ceiling and floor amounts that may be requested for one year. Within the minimum and maximum range provided, award amounts vary widely because all costs must be allocable to the proposed project and aligned with the number of veterans expected to be served during the grant period within the specified SDA(s). All applications must include a Budget Narrative detailing a one-year budget. The Budget Narrative should be consistent with and directly support the activities, resources, staffing, and other elements described in the Project Narrative. For more information on developing a grant budget, please consider watching our microlearning on the [Prospective HVRP Applicant Resources page](#) on our website.

Q3: What organization in Utah currently has an HVRP grant?

A3: American Veterans (AMVETS) National Service Foundation is a recipient of new Program Year (PY) 2025 HVRP grants. Their SDA is Salt Lake County. A complete list of PY 2025 awardees is available at dol.gov.

Q4: Is there a match requirement?

A4: No. This program does not require cost sharing or matching funds.

Q5: Do you have any estimates tied to reporting time and audits?

A5: **Reporting:** Grant recipients operating an HVRP must report quarterly (or every three months) on measurable outcomes to demonstrate their accordance with [Veterans' Program Letter \(VPL\) 03-24](#) Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program Performance, Management, and Reporting. Grant recipients must submit a Performance Report (PR) for all 12 quarters of the grant's period of performance (PoP) in the [VETS Grantee Reporting System \(VGRS\)](#). U.S. Department of Labor, Veterans' Employment and Training Service (DOL/VETS) Grant Officer's Technical Representatives (GOTR) review the PR to monitor the overall performance of each grant. For more information on reporting requirements, see the [HVRP Quarterly Performance Report Desk Guide](#).

Audits: VETS procured a contract to conduct audits to evaluate program costs for financial compliance with the HVRP Terms and Conditions and the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Title 2 of the Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Subparts D and E, and Part 2900, Subparts D and E. The contractor is an authorized representative of VETS. The number of audits per program is determined by available program funding. The selection and frequency of these financial-focused audits are based on risk, considering factors such as late or inaccurate financial reporting, whether the grant recipient is on a performance-based or administrative and managerial Corrective Action Plan (CAP) or is designated as high risk, or other factors identified by the GOTR to their Regional Administrator (RAVET). Due to the number of grants awarded each year, every grant may not receive an audit within their three-year PoP. For more information on audits, see [VPL 06-24](#).

Q6: Does the HVRP FOA require a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) or letters of support to apply for the grant?

A6: Historically, the HVRP FOA has required or requested Letters of Support. For example, the PY 2024 FOA required a Letter of Support from a local American Job Center (AJC). The PY 2025 FOA requested a Letter of Support from each Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Continuum of Care (CoC) included in the grant's proposed SDA.

Once released, read the FOA under which your organization is applying carefully and completely to determine if a Letter of Support will be required or requested. For more information on identifying your CoC or AJC and Letters of Support, please consider watching our microlearnings on the [Prospective HVRP Applicant Resources page](#) on our website.