

Services

One item that we are working to highlight more is our Veteran Career Planners. We have Veteran Career Planners throughout the State (1 Davenport, 1 Burlington, 2 Des Moines, 1 Sioux City) that provide employment services to Veterans, Service Members, and their spouses. If a client is not employment-ready, our Career Planners will work with them to become ready for employment. A great thing about our Career Planners is that they are all Veterans who understand the trials and tribulations Veterans face once they exit the Service.

Services include:

- Career Exploration
- Resume creation
- Skill translation (Military to Civilian)
- Educational opportunities- help clients enter higher education, apprenticeship programs, and trade schools.
- access various resources and services to provide wrap-around services to our clients.

Home Base Iowa Outcomes

As of January 1, 2023, Home Base Iowa has helped 176 Veterans, Service Members, and their spouses find employment.

162 of those clients found employment in the State of Iowa.

Scott County Updates

17 Veterans have utilized your community's incentives, and Scott County has provided **\$25,000** in financial assistance to Veterans, Service members, and their families.

MAKE IOWA YOUR HOME

How Can Home Base Iowa Help?

Iowa is proud to be home to more than 200,000 Veterans like you. Maybe you're from Iowa or perhaps you heard that Iowa is recognized as the No. 1 state for opportunity, one of the best places to raise a family, and a top destination for Veterans and their families. Whatever your connection, Home Base Iowa can help you succeed in Iowa. We help connect Veterans and their spouses to career and education opportunities across the state. Home Base Iowa has partnered with businesses, communities and higher education institutions statewide to ensure Iowa is returning services to all those who served our country.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Military pensions exempt from state income tax
- Up to \$8,000 toward the purchase of a home
- Over 2,000 HBI businesses committed to hiring Veterans & spouses
- Online tool to post a resume for employers to access
- Over 29 Institutions of Higher Education that are part of the Certified Higher Academic Military Partnership Program (CHAMPs)
- Over 120 Home Base Iowa communities offering incentives and support

See more examples of how Iowa helps connect Veterans at homebaseiowa.gov



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YOU SERVED YOUR COUNTRY
WITH HONOR.

WE'D LIKE TO RETURN THE FAVOR.

LOOKING FOR YOUR NEXT JOB?

Exploring a new career and/or finding meaningful employment in Iowa has never been easier. Career Planners are standing by to assist you with one-on-one assistance, to connect you with the best resources available, and to advocate for you in finding your next job. After registering and building a resume through the iowaworksveterans.gov portal you'll be able to easily search and apply for jobs, while leveraging a wide range of resources and support.

Home Base Iowa Businesses are committed to supporting you and have taken steps to be among top performing employers for Veterans and their spouses. Within iowaworksveterans.gov, businesses will be able to connect with you about opportunities that align with your skills, interests, and desired work location or reach out to business directly as well. Job seekers interested in local assistant with employment resources and job placement will find the support at IowaWORKS Centers located throughout Iowa.



2,000+

HBI Businesses
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"...I accepted their offer and am very happily and gainfully employed in a new career field that I never would have explored had it not been for Home Base Iowa..."

Transitioning Service Member

Visit IowaWORKS Veterans Portal at:
iowaworksveterans.gov

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Expanding on the broader support from the state of Iowa, Home Base Iowa communities are finding creative ways to attract and retain Veterans and families. Iowa recognizes the value and strength that Veterans and their families bring to their communities and no matter where you end up in Iowa, you'll find support. Many communities are offering relocation benefits, home purchasing grants, grants for entrepreneurship, and more. Be certain to check out the "communities" tab under "our partners" at www.homebaseiowa.gov to find more information or email us at hbi@iowa.gov.

Across Iowa you'll find:

- Home Base Iowa community resources and contact information
- 99 Iowa Counties Veterans Services Offices to help access state and federal benefits, among other local resources and support
- Access to 19 VA Medical Facilities
- Engaged Veteran Service Organizations such as the American Legion, VFW, AMVETS, DAV, PVA, VVA, and more.
- HBI Certified Higher Academic Military Partner (CHAMPs) institutions of higher education
- Iowa National Guard programs and support to service members, Veterans, and their families
- Home Base Iowa Businesses and meaningful employment
- Local support at IowaWORKS Centers at more than 15 locations

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Communities
ready to support the
transition of Veterans &
their families

