

Scott County Iowa Veteran Affairs
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Welcome Home Scott County Veteran Affairs Office Reopens

The Scott County Veteran Affairs office has reopened to see Veterans on an appointment only basis. Currently, appointment times are at 9 am, 11 am, and 2 pm. This allows for the office to be disinfected in between appointments. Other steps are also being taken to ensure all veterans are being seen in a safe and sanitary environment. This includes both parties wearing masks, limiting the number of individuals in the office at one time, and using disposable items so each person has new and unused items. To set up an appointment, please call (563) 326-8723

- Are you newly discharged from the military? Were you injured or do you have health issues that may be related to your service? Make an appointment to see if you qualify for disability compensation.
- Are you a service member, veteran, or the surviving spouse of a service member? Make an appointment to see what types of benefits may be available to you.



SCOTT COUNTY VETERAN AFFAIRS

The Veteran Services program provides assistance to all veterans and their dependents in applying for federal and/or state benefits and other related matters. Federal benefits include:

Applying for:

- Compensation (Service connected disability)
- Pension (Non-service connected disability)
- Widow's Benefits
- Survivors Benefits Plan
- Certificates of Eligibility for Home Loans
- Aid and Attendance for Nursing Home and Housebound Veterans
- Iowa's Veteran's Home Admittance
- Apportionments
- Overpayments
- Appeals
- Obtaining military records and medals
- Upgrading discharge
- Distributing grave markers and flag holders

The Iowa Veterans Trust Fund

The State of Iowa has established a multi-million dollar fund to provide certain services to veterans. Beginning in December 2007, interest from this fund has been available to provide relief for Iowa veterans and their families. Currently, funds are used for unemployment or underemployment assistance due to service-related causes, assistance with vision, hearing, dental care, durable medical equipment, and prescription drugs; counseling and substance abuse services; vehicle repairs; housing repair; and transitional housing in an emergency. Trust fund expenditures are approved through the Iowa Veterans Commission. If you have any questions, or would like to apply, please contact the Scott County Veteran Affairs office at (563) 326-8723.



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QUAD CITY VETERAN'S EXPERIENCE ACTION CENTER POSTPONED

Due to the uncertainty of COVID-19, and the number of hours put in to planning the Veteran's Experience Action Center at St. Ambrose, the event for 2020 has been postponed until 2021. The Veteran's Experience Action Center puts Veterans face-to-face with many of the players at the VA. This allows Veterans to get immediate assistance with their claims, sign up for medical benefits, and be introduced to multitudes of other resources available to the them, whether on the local, state, or federal level. Currently, the Veteran's Experience Action Center is tentatively being rescheduled for July of 2021. Please continue to watch local news stations and newspapers for updates.