

#### **Stand Beside Them**

Stand Beside Them provides certified coaches to OEF, OIF, and OND veterans as well as their families and caretakers. Coaching is available on a variety of topics, such as employment, education, personal relationships, health, or spirituality. This coaching can also include workshops and special events, such as Women Veterans Empowerment Day. Find a coach or become a coach at https://www.standbesidethem.org/.



#### Veterati

Join Veterati, review mentor profiles, and select as many mentors as you would like. Once you have chosen your mentor(s), you can schedule 1-hr mentorship phone calls for personalized advice, from answering specific questions to general interview guidance. Many job opportunities are only advertised in personal networks, so expand yours at https://www.veterati.com/.

# Serving Those Who Served

The Women Veterans Program advocates for women veterans throughout New Mexico. We will work to ensure women veterans and their eligible dependents are knowledgeable of available state and federal benefits and that women veterans have equitable access to veteran programs and services.

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# **Mentorship**

New Mexico Department of Veterans Services Women Veterans Program

# Be a mentor, find a mentor.



## Women with a Mission

Women with a Mission, a branch of the Gallant Few mentorship network, is a transition-focused program. They are working to create and support a network of successfully transitioned veterans to mentor new veterans with the same military background now going through transition. Learn more at https://wamproject.org.



### **Women Veterans Network**

WoVeN is a mentorship program structured as peer-support groups. These groups encompass all eras and service branches, with 6-10 members and 2 trained peer leaders. Groups meet weekly for 2 months and each meeting focuses on a theme, such as "transitions" or "balance." Learn how to become a peer leader at https://www.wovenwomenvets.org/.



## ACP Women's Veteran Mentoring Program

ACP's Women's Veteran Mentoring Program is a yearlong one-on-one mentorship between a female veteran and a female entrepreneur or business leader. The mentor selection is based on each veteran's career and professional development goals. Mentorship topics range from building a civilian-friendly résumé to managing work-life balance to refining networking skills. Learn more at https://www.acp-usa.org/womensprogram.



### Military Women eMentor Program

The Military Women eMentor Program is open to all women in the military service community, from basic trainees to military spouses to retired generals. eMentor is an online mentoring program designed to bridge the gap between organizations and job seekers, and may involve messaging, emails, phone calls, or simply participating in a discussion forum. Find out more at https://www.ementorprogram.org/militaryw omen-ementor/.



# **Community Veterans Court**

Defendants who are veterans and have been charged with a misdemeanor in Bernalillo County may have the option to join the Community Veterans Court. This path involves treatment services for substance abuse or mental illness, meeting with a judge at least once a month, and being paired with a mentor, who is also a veteran. This mentorship is vital to each participant's recovery. Learn how to become a mentor at https://metro.nmcourts.gov/communityveterans-court-c-v-c-.aspx.