

June 12 is Women Veterans Day!

The New Mexico Department of Veterans Services (DVS) proudly commemorates the day honoring women who have served and defended our country as members of the United States military.

Friday (June 11)

Women Veterans Benefits, Claims, & Assistance Clinic (9am-noon)

DVS Veterans Service Officers will be available to help women veterans via the “Zoom” links below...with filing VA claims, for state veterans benefits, and with anything else a woman veteran or her family needs.

Central & Northeast NM (DVS VSO: Victoria Bader)

<https://nmdvs-org.zoom.us/j/93929928787?pwd=VWpEK3NBSkdPdJRKOEhhMzR2Rlh4dz09>

Northwest NM (Beverly Charley)

<https://nmdvs-org.zoom.us/j/91352264881?pwd=YVE3TlJQclgwY0tJenBmdHOyVkgzd09>

Southwest NM (Rosa Bycenski)

<https://nmdvs-org.zoom.us/j/2905184974>

Southeast NM (Dagmar Youngberg)

<https://nmdvs-org.zoom.us/j/91352264881?pwd=YVE3TlJQclgwY0tJenBmdHOyVkgzd09>

Additional/Overflow Assistance (Dustin Newsom)

<https://nmdvs-org.zoom.us/j/8327658957?pwd=a1JBY3AxaUs2OEIFTlQ3ZUdnOEY3UT09>

Saturday (June 12)

Women Veterans “Listening Session” (11am)

DVS Women Veterans Program Manager Robin Wilson will moderate a free-form discussion session for women veterans to log on and talk about issues important to them

<https://zoom.us/j/96273173345>

Eye On New Mexico (5:30pm/KOB-TV Ch. 4)

DVS Secretary Sonya Smith and DVS Field Services Director Larry Campos sit down with KOB’s Brittany Costello to talk about DVS, women veterans, and other key veterans issues.

On the DVS website:

“I Am Not Invisible”

Many Americans—and women veterans—don’t see women who served as “veterans.” This brief video showcases New Mexican women veterans who emphatically say why “I Am Not Invisible.”

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q3vhWVljaok>