**Free VA Claims Assistance**

Across Texas and in your county, trained, Free VA Claims personnel are waiting to help you navigate the VA Claims process.

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| CVSO  | Mr. Jude Prather  | County employees trained to assist in VA Claims. | jude.prather@co.hays.tx.us  | (512) 392-8387  |

**Military Veteran Peer Network**

A network of trained military & veteran volunteers offering local peer mental support, networking, and help.

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| [MVPN - Hill Country](https://www.texvet.org/resources/mvpn-hill-country)  | Stephen Stavish  | Stephen6451@hillcountry.org  | 512-392-7155  |

**Emergency Funds**

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| 211 Logo | [2-1-1 Help for all Texans](https://www.texvet.org/resources/2-1-1-help-all-texans)  | State-wide resources for all Texans and veterans. Help areas from: mental/physical health, rent & utilities, and more. | 211  |
| Catholic Charities Logo | [Catholic Charities Central Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/catholic-charities-central-texas)  | Large organization providing counseling, disaster response, financial, and legal (immigration) services for veterans and the general population. See their Veteran Services Program for more details. | 512-651-6138  |
| Catholic Charities Logo | [Catholic Charities Central Texas Veteran Services Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/catholic-charities-central-texas-veteran-services-program)  | Short Term Financial Assistance, Mentoring, Counseling Services (family therapy, couples therapy, individual therapy, play therapy and group therapy), Employment/Education Support, Transportation Vouchers, Housing Stabilization, Referrals, and Peer Support Groups. | 979-822-9340  |
| Endeavors Logo | [Endeavors, Inc. - Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF)](https://www.texvet.org/resources/endeavors-inc-supportive-services-veteran-families-ssvf)  | Housing, case management, and homeless services for veterans across Texas. As of 2018-04-23, emergency financial aid is only for VASH clients. | 210-431-6466 ext. 117  |
| Goodwill  Logo | [Goodwill Industries of Central Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/goodwill-industries-central-texas)  | Job rehabilitation and placement, Operation Good Jobs program for veterans. Help for Heroes and Families provides rent assistance, job training, emergency child care and emergency car repair. |  |
| Operation Homefront Logo | [Operation Homefront of Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/operation-homefront-texas)  | Emergency funds for OEF/OIF military families and families of veterans, needs must be directly due to post 9/11/ service. Energency funds, food, home repair, critical baby items, home appliances, auto repair, furniture, local moves | 210-659-7756  |
|  | [Southside Community Center](https://www.texvet.org/resources/southside-community-center)  | Help for homelessness, emergency payments, senior help, home repairs | 512-392-6694  |
| Center Point logo | [Stability and Self-sufficiency for Women Veterans](https://www.texvet.org/resources/stability-and-self-sufficiency-women-veterans)  | Services for women veterans and their families, helps with housing, jobs and transportation. | 512-297-2990  |
| Texas Center Point Veterans Services Logo | [Texas Center Point Veterans Services](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-center-point-veterans-services)  | Counseling (for individuals, families, and groups), job training, and financial assistance. | 512-297-2990  |

**Food**

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| Capital Area Food Bank Logo | [Capital Area Food Bank](https://www.texvet.org/resources/capital-area-food-bank)  | Austin Area Food Bank. | 877-541-7905  |
|  | [Meals for Vets](https://www.texvet.org/resources/meals-vets)  | Provides food for veterans under 60, that have served honorably, and have demonstrated need- across Texas. | (800) 676-1389  |
| Meals on Wheels Central Texas Logo | [Meals on Wheels Central Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/meals-wheels-central-texas)  | Food delivery for the home bound. House repairs for low income individuals, pet food too. | 512-476-6325  |
| Operation Homefront Logo | [Operation Homefront of Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/operation-homefront-texas)  | Emergency funds for OEF/OIF military families and families of veterans, needs must be directly due to post 9/11/ service. Energency funds, food, home repair, critical baby items, home appliances, auto repair, furniture, local moves | 210-659-7756  |

Transitioning to Civilian Life

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| Goodwill  Logo | [Goodwill Industries of Central Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/goodwill-industries-central-texas)  | Job rehabilitation and placement, Operation Good Jobs program for veterans. Help for Heroes and Families provides rent assistance, job training, emergency child care and emergency car repair. |  |
| Operation Homefront Logo | [Operation Homefront of Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/operation-homefront-texas)  | Emergency funds for OEF/OIF military families and families of veterans, needs must be directly due to post 9/11/ service. Energency funds, food, home repair, critical baby items, home appliances, auto repair, furniture, local moves | 210-659-7756  |
| Center Point logo | [Stability and Self-sufficiency for Women Veterans](https://www.texvet.org/resources/stability-and-self-sufficiency-women-veterans)  | Services for women veterans and their families, helps with housing, jobs and transportation. | 512-297-2990  |
| Texas Rural Water Foundation Logo | [Texas Rural Water Foundation - Veteran Employment Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-rural-water-foundation-veteran-employment-program)  | Recruiting veterans to work in the water and wastewater utility industry. | (512) 472-8591  |
| TVC Logo | [TVC - VA Claims Representatives](https://www.texvet.org/resources/tvc-va-claims-representatives)  | VA disability claims workers embedded in the VA locations across the state | 800-252-8387  |
| Texas Workforce Commission  Logo | [TVLP - Texas Veterans Leadership Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/tvlp-texas-veterans-leadership-program)  | Individual job search from veterans for veterans and resume help for IAV | 888-838-8391  |

**Mental Health**

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| American Red Cross  Logo | [American Red Cross of Central and South Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/american-red-cross-central-and-south-texas)  | Emergency Aid for active duty Military through Military Aide Societies such as AER. Referral to community partners to assist Veterans and Family Members with needs. | 512-928-4271  |
| Austin Club house logo | [Austin Clubhouse](https://www.texvet.org/resources/austin-clubhouse)  | 'Club house' to support living with mental illness, back to school/work programs & support groups. | 512-925-5877  |
| Capital Area Counseling Logo | [Capital Area Counseling](https://www.texvet.org/resources/capital-area-counseling)  | Low-cost, no session limit therapy for all members of the pubilc | (512) 302-1000 x100  |
| Catholic Charities Logo | [Catholic Charities Central Texas Veteran Services Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/catholic-charities-central-texas-veteran-services-program)  | Short Term Financial Assistance, Mentoring, Counseling Services (family therapy, couples therapy, individual therapy, play therapy and group therapy), Employment/Education Support, Transportation Vouchers, Housing Stabilization, Referrals, and Peer Support Groups. | 979-822-9340  |
| Grace After Fire Logo | [Grace After Fire - Table Talk: Color Me Camo](https://www.texvet.org/resources/grace-after-fire-table-talk-color-me-camo)  | Free peer support groups for female veterans in Houston, San Antonio, and San Marcos | 1-888-737-3112  |
| Logo of heroes night out | [Heroes Night Out](https://www.texvet.org/resources/heroes-night-out)  | Meeting place for veterans and their families- hosting peer counseling, caregiver support groups, aide and referral to other help as needed | 512-986-7660  |
| Hill Country Logo | [Hill Country MHDD](https://www.texvet.org/resources/hill-country-mhdd)  |  Provides Peer groups, Counseling, Medications, and Coping Skills for Veterans, and all who qualify financially. | (512) 392-7155  |
| UT Health San Antonio | [Military Caregiver Telehealth Initiative UTHSA](https://www.texvet.org/resources/military-caregiver-telehealth-initiative-uthsa)  | For Caregivers: Up to 12 no-cost weekly counseling sessions online (secure), must be TX resident. | 210-450-8673  |
| MVPN Logo | [MVPN - Hill Country](https://www.texvet.org/resources/mvpn-hill-country)  | Connects veterans and military families to small peer support groups staffed by veteran volunteers and other community resources.  | 512-392-7155  |
| Samaritan Center: Logo | [Samaritan Center: HOPE for HEROES](https://www.texvet.org/resources/samaritan-center-hope-heroes)  | Reduced-rate counseling for veterans and their families. | 512-451-7337 Office Number  |
| San Marcos Treatment Center Logo | [San Marcos Treatment Center](https://www.texvet.org/resources/san-marcos-treatment-center)  | For Profit in-patient treatment for children and adolescents | 800-251-0059  |
| San Vicente Family Health Center Logo | [Seton Behavioral Health Care - Veteran Restore Intensive Outpatient Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/seton-behavioral-health-care-veteran-restore-intensive-outpatient-program)  | Free counseling and supportive therapy to veterand regardless of insurance. | (512) 324-2039  |
| Center Point logo | [Stability and Self-sufficiency for Women Veterans](https://www.texvet.org/resources/stability-and-self-sufficiency-women-veterans)  | Services for women veterans and their families, helps with housing, jobs and transportation. | 512-297-2990  |
| Endeavors Logo | [Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic at Endeavors San Antonio](https://www.texvet.org/resources/steven-cohen-military-family-clinic-endeavors-san-antonio)  | Mental health counseling services for veterans and their families regardless of role, discharge status, or ability to pay. Services in English and Spanish | (210) 399-4838  |
| Texas Center Point Veterans Services Logo | [Texas Center Point Veterans Services](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-center-point-veterans-services)  | Counseling (for individuals, families, and groups), job training, and financial assistance. | 512-297-2990  |
| Texas State University Logo | [Texas State University - Veteran Alliance](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-state-university-veteran-alliance)  | Veteran Organization for Public University in San Marcos, TX | 512-245-6090  |
| VA Emblem | [VA - Central Texas Veterans Health Care System](https://www.texvet.org/resources/va-central-texas-veterans-health-care-system)  | Central Texas VA system | In Temple: 254-778-4811  |
| Veteran Spouse Network Logo | [Veteran Spouse Network](https://www.texvet.org/resources/veteran-spouse-network)  | The Veteran Spouse Network faclitates a statewide network for veteran spouses as they build a community of support. |  |
| Baylor Scott & White logo | [Warriors Research Institute](https://www.texvet.org/resources/warriors-research-institute)  | Provides confidential, one-on-one, mental health treatment via live video calls to Veterans and their family members at no cost. | 254-716-6208  |
| YWCA Logo | [YWCA Greater Austin - Women Vets Counseling](https://www.texvet.org/resources/ywca-greater-austin-women-vets-counseling)  | Free WoVeN peer groups for women vets, Free one-on-one counseling for Women Vets with trauma-informed counselors. Youth, and caregiver counseling also available. | 512-326-1222  |

**Youth, Family, & Caregivers**

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| AGE of Central Texas logo | [AGE of Central Texas](https://www.texvet.org/resources/age-central-texas)  | AGE of Central Texas tackles the challenges of aging with expert solutions. No military requirement.  | 512-451-4611  |
| Capital Area Counseling Logo | [Capital Area Counseling](https://www.texvet.org/resources/capital-area-counseling)  | Low-cost, no session limit therapy for all members of the pubilc | (512) 302-1000 x100  |
| Communities in Schools Logo | [Communities in Schools of Greater Central Texas, Inc.](https://www.texvet.org/resources/communities-schools-greater-central-texas-inc)  | Supports students in schools, provides school supplies, parent nights, and connection to community services. | 254-554-2132  |
| Endeavors Logo | [Endeavors, Inc. - Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF)](https://www.texvet.org/resources/endeavors-inc-supportive-services-veteran-families-ssvf)  | Housing, case management, and homeless services for veterans across Texas. As of 2018-04-23, emergency financial aid is only for VASH clients. | 210-431-6466 ext. 117  |
| Logo of heroes night out | [Heroes Night Out](https://www.texvet.org/resources/heroes-night-out)  | Meeting place for veterans and their families- hosting peer counseling, caregiver support groups, aide and referral to other help as needed | 512-986-7660  |
| UT Health San Antonio | [Military Caregiver Telehealth Initiative UTHSA](https://www.texvet.org/resources/military-caregiver-telehealth-initiative-uthsa)  | For Caregivers: Up to 12 no-cost weekly counseling sessions online (secure), must be TX resident. | 210-450-8673  |
| R.O.C.K Logo | [R.O.C.K. Horses for Heroes](https://www.texvet.org/resources/rock-horses-heroes)  | Physical therapy and emotional healing through working with horses, special programs for: all veterans, women veterans, and children of active military. | 512-930-7625 x311  |
| San Marcos Treatment Center Logo | [San Marcos Treatment Center](https://www.texvet.org/resources/san-marcos-treatment-center)  | For Profit in-patient treatment for children and adolescents | 800-251-0059  |
| Scheib Mental Health Logo | [Scheib Mental Health Center](https://www.texvet.org/resources/scheib-mental-health-center)  | Mental health services for Hays County and San Marcos- aimed at those without insurance and on Medicaid | 512-392-7151  |
| STARRY Logo | [STARRY Counseling - Round Rock](https://www.texvet.org/resources/starry-counseling-round-rock)  | Child and family counseling, domestic violence and abuse prevention, emergency shelter for children. | 512-388-8290  |
| Endeavors Logo | [Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic at Endeavors San Antonio](https://www.texvet.org/resources/steven-cohen-military-family-clinic-endeavors-san-antonio)  | Mental health counseling services for veterans and their families regardless of role, discharge status, or ability to pay. Services in English and Spanish | (210) 399-4838  |
| Texas Center Point Veterans Services Logo | [Texas Center Point Veterans Services](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-center-point-veterans-services)  | Counseling (for individuals, families, and groups), job training, and financial assistance. | 512-297-2990  |
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**Find a Job**

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| Goodwill  Logo | [Goodwill - Education & Job Training](https://www.texvet.org/resources/goodwill-education-job-training)  | Education, Job training and placement, workforce and advancement training. | (512) 637-7131  |
| Logo of heroes night out | [Heroes Night Out](https://www.texvet.org/resources/heroes-night-out)  | Meeting place for veterans and their families- hosting peer counseling, caregiver support groups, aide and referral to other help as needed | 512-986-7660  |
| Texas Rural Water Foundation Logo | [Texas Rural Water Foundation - Veteran Employment Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-rural-water-foundation-veteran-employment-program)  | Recruiting veterans to work in the water and wastewater utility industry. | (512) 472-8591  |
| Texas Workforce Commission  Logo | [TVLP - Texas Veterans Leadership Program](https://www.texvet.org/resources/tvlp-texas-veterans-leadership-program)  | Individual job search from veterans for veterans and resume help for IAV | 888-838-8391  |

**Start a Business**

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| BIGAUSTIN Logo | [BIGAUSTIN](https://www.texvet.org/resources/bigaustin)  | BiGAUSTIN is Central Texas’ single-source solution for entrepreneurial education, tailored business counseling and flexible loans. | 512-928-8010  |
| Goodwill  Logo | [Goodwill - Education & Job Training](https://www.texvet.org/resources/goodwill-education-job-training)  | Education, Job training and placement, workforce and advancement training. | (512) 637-7131  |
| PeopleFund Logo | [PeopleFund Community Entrepreneur Workshops](https://www.texvet.org/resources/peoplefund-community-entrepreneur-workshops)  | Educational workshops for entrepreneurs of small businesses or nonprofit organizations. | 888-222-0017 ext. 102  |
| Veterans Business Outreach Centers | [Veterans Business Outreach Centers](https://www.texvet.org/resources/veterans-business-outreach-centers)  | Business training offioce just for veterans! Free, and through the Small Business Administration + UTRGV | 956-665-8931  |

Transportation

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| Hays County Logo | [Hays County - Transport To Audie Murphy](https://www.texvet.org/resources/hays-county-transport-audie-murphy)  | Provides Transport to Audie Murphy Tues-Thurs | 512-392-8387  |

**Social Opportunities**

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| American Legion Logo | [American Legion - Post 144](https://www.texvet.org/resources/american-legion-post-144)  | Serves: Veterans, Provides: Camaraderie. San Marcos | 512-353-8494  |
| Fleet Reserve Association Logo | [Fleet Reserve Association - 201- Austin](https://www.texvet.org/resources/fleet-reserve-association-201-austin)  | Non-profit, represents Marine, Navy, and Coast Guard Reserve & Fleet Reserve at congress. |  |
| Navy League Logo | [Greater Austin Council of the Navy League](https://www.texvet.org/resources/greater-austin-council-navy-league)  | Veteran Association that supports Navy ROTC and JROTC, supports Sea Services | 512-593-1422  |
| Logo of heroes night out | [Heroes Night Out](https://www.texvet.org/resources/heroes-night-out)  | Meeting place for veterans and their families- hosting peer counseling, caregiver support groups, aide and referral to other help as needed | 512-986-7660  |
| OP Veteran Logo. The letters OP breaking out of a triangle | [OP Veteran](https://www.texvet.org/resources/op-veteran)  | Austin area veteran group, holds annual 'Vet Fest' veteran resource fair and social gatherings. | (512) 965-3255  |
| Project Healing Waters Logo | [Project Healing Waters Fly Fishing, Inc. - San Marcos](https://www.texvet.org/resources/project-healing-waters-fly-fishing-inc-san-marcos)  | Fly fishing for disabled veterans and wounded warriors. | 866-251-7252  |
| San Vicente Family Health Center Logo | [The Mission Continues](https://www.texvet.org/resources/mission-continues)  | OEF/OIF Veterans awarded fellowships help rebuild their communities. In Houston, Dallas, Austin & San Antonio. | 210-528-0534  |
| VFW Logo | [VFW - Post 12058 Kyle/Buda Post](https://www.texvet.org/resources/vfw-post-12058-kylebuda-post)  | Serves veterans of foreign wars, providing camaraderie and help | 512-938-3290  |
| VFW Logo | [VFW - Post 3413](https://www.texvet.org/resources/vfw-post-3413)  | Serves veterans of foreign wars, providing camaraderie and help | 512-665-1244  |
| VFW Logo | [VFW - Post 8800 Startzville](https://www.texvet.org/resources/vfw-post-8800-startzville)  | Serves veterans of foreign wars, providing camaraderie and help | 830-899-7774  |
| VVA Logo | [VVA - Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 923](https://www.texvet.org/resources/vva-vietnam-veterans-america-chapter-923)  | Association of Vietnam and other era wars/conflicts/operations who meet for camaraderie and to help their community. | 512-353-0945  |

**Legal**

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| Texas RioGrande Legal logo. | [Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, Inc.](https://www.texvet.org/resources/texas-riogrande-legal-aid-inc)  | Civil (non-criminal) legal assistance, civil rights help, for veterans income range: under $35k (for one person) to $71k (family of 4) | 956.447.4800  |
| Veterans Court Logo | [Veterans Court - Hays County](https://www.texvet.org/resources/veterans-court-hays-county)  | Serves Veterans, Provides Alternative Court for Veterans | 512-878-6677  |

Homelessness

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| Endeavors Logo | [Endeavors, Inc. - Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF)](https://www.texvet.org/resources/endeavors-inc-supportive-services-veteran-families-ssvf)  | Housing, case management, and homeless services for veterans across Texas. As of 2018-04-23, emergency financial aid is only for VASH clients. | 210-431-6466 ext. 117  |
| GreenPath  Logo | [GreenPath Financial Wellness](https://www.texvet.org/resources/greenpath-financial-wellness)  | For vets and their families, free credit counseling, debt counseling, personalized budget counseling, home pre-purchase counseling, reverse mortgage counseling, and bankruptcy counseling and education. Home foreclosure prevention.Also provides debt consolidation plans, which are not free.   | (800) 550-1961  |
|  | [Southside Community Center](https://www.texvet.org/resources/southside-community-center)  | Help for homelessness, emergency payments, senior help, home repairs | 512-392-6694  |
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