

Use the drop down arrow to further refine your veteran's status:

Active Reserve – Select if you are currently a member of an active reserve component

Active Wartime/Campaign Badge – Select if you have an active wartime or campaign badge

Armed Forces Service Medal – Select if you are a veteran who, while serving on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service, participated in a United States military operation for which an Armed Forces service medal was awarded pursuant to Executive Order 12985 (61 FR 1209).

Inactive Reserve – Select if you are currently a member of the inactive reserve

No Military Service – Select if you have no military service

Retired Military – Select if you have retired from one of the military components

Service Medal And Active Wartime Campaign Badge – Select if you have been awarded a service medal or active wartime campaign badge

Veteran – Select if you are an individual who served in the military for not less than 90 consecutive days during a national emergency declared in accordance with federal law or was discharged from military service for an established service-connected disability, AND was honorably discharged from military service and is competent.

Veteran VA Ineligible – Select if you are a veteran by definition, but not eligible for VA benefits. I.E Served less than two years in the active military and not disabled.

Veteran of Vietnam Era – Select if you are a veteran, any part of whose active U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service was during the period February 28, 1961 to May 7, 1975 in the Republic of Vietnam or August 5, 1964 to May 7, 1975 elsewhere who: (i) served on active duty for a period of more than 180 days, and was discharged or released with other than a dishonorable discharge; or (ii) was discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability if any part of such was duty performed between the dates cited.

Vietnam and Other Protected Veteran – Select if you are by definition a Vietnam veteran or a veteran who served on active duty in the U. S. military, ground, naval or air service during a war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign has been authorized. A complete list of campaigns can be viewed at <http://www.da.ks.gov/ps/documents/veteransdecorations.pdf>

Military Discharge Date – Click on calendar and select date of discharge

Veteran Status - There are four categories of veterans. Select the category that best suits you:

Disabled Veteran – A veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military and is entitled to disability compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retired pay would be entitled to disability compensation) under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, or was discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

Special Disabled Veteran – (i) A veteran entitled to compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retired pay would be entitled to compensation) under the laws administered by the Department of Veterans' Affairs for disability who is rated at 30 percent or more or who is rated at 10 or 20 percent in the case of a veteran who has been determined under Section 3106 of Title 38, U.S.C. to have a serious employment handicap or (ii) A person who was discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

Surviving Spouse of Veteran – Select if you are the spouse of a veteran who was killed while on active duty and the veteran served in the military for not less than 90 consecutive days during a national emergency, have not remarried, and are competent.

Orphan of Veteran – Select if you are the child of a veteran who was killed while on active duty who served in the military for not less than 90 consecutive days during a national emergency and are competent