Purpose:
The Veteran Advocate is intended to assist in meeting the needs of our community veterans. The Veteran Advocate will serve as a link between federal resources, county-based resources, non-profit organizations, and veteran’s service organizations. The Veteran Advocate will outreach veterans, and their families in need of support, and provide a face to face engagement with a “warm hand off” to various service organizations.

The office of the Veteran Advocate works with any veteran regardless of time of service, period of service, or type of discharge.

With so many veterans returning from service, and a lengthy backlog of services and care, it is essential for our community to provide resources for those that served our country.

Accept the challenges so that you can feel the exhilaration of victory.
- General George Patton Jr

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Veteran Advocate Services

Assistance with:
- Shelter and Housing
- Food
- Clothing
- Financial Assistance
- Medical
- Dental
- Mental Health Services
- Counseling Services
- Substance Abuse
- Treatment Programs
- Homeless Services
- Community Services
- Legal
- Education
- Senior Services
- Transportation

Non-Profit Organizations
- California Department of Veterans Affairs
- Veterans Health Administration
- Veterans Benefits Administration
- Screening for VA Pension and Compensation
- Obtaining Military Records
- DD-214 requests
- Social Security Administration
- Health Insurance

Biography

I was born in San Antonio, Texas and grew up as a dependent in a military family. I joined the Texas Army National Guard right out of High School in 1986 and worked as a 27E TOW Missile Repair Technician. In January of 1989 I went on Active Duty and was stationed in Furth Germany. While stationed in 2nd COSCOM Europe our unit was deployed to Saudi Arabia for the first Gulf War, Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm ’90-’91.

After completion of my service in 1993, I worked as a technician for many years, before finding this position. I thoroughly enjoy working with veterans while helping them find necessary and vital resources. Please feel free to contact me for assistance no matter what the need.

Thank you,
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