MILITARY VETERAN RESOURCES

RESEARCH GUIDE

OVERVIEW

This research guide provides a list of Law Library resources and internet links to assist Veterans and/or their families with information regarding veterans' health/disability benefits, Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, veterans' court for criminal cases, and veteran-focused community resources.

RESOURCES IN THE VOLUSIA COUNTY LAW LIBRARY

Listed below are some resources available at the Daytona Beach and DeLand branches:

- Veterans Benefits Manual, Lexis
- <u>Legal Guide For Military Families: Everything You Need to Know About Family Law, Estate Planning and the Service Members Civil Relief Act, American Bar Association</u>
- The Military Divorce Handbook: A Practical Guide to Representing Military Personnel and Their Families, Mark. E Sullivan, ABA Publishing
- The Veteran's PTSD Handbook: How to File and Collect on Claims for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, John D. Roche, Potomac Books
- Federal Procedure, Lawyers Ed., Veterans and Veterans' Affairs, Volume 33, Chapter 79
- Westlaw legal research databases (Federal statutes and case law)

ONLINE RESOURCES

Click on the links below for online information:

- VA Healthcare Benefits & VA Disability Benefits –Eligibility and application information
- 7th Judicial Circuit Veterans Court Veterans in the criminal justice system information
- <u>Veterans Resource Guide for The FL Court System</u> –Substance Abuse & Mental Health guide
- Florida Homeless Veterans Information Housing support services for homeless veterans
- <u>Heroes' Mile Veterans Recovery Center</u> Mental health services for military veterans
- <u>Veterans Community Project</u> –Non-profit organization to assist homeless veterans
- Wounded Warrior Project Injured Veterans who served on or after September 11, 2001
- Veterans' Advocates Information regarding appeals for denied disability claims
- Disabled American Veterans –Non-profit charity providing lifelong support for veterans

NOTICE: This research guide is based on information gathered from the resources cited above. For more information on this or other legal topics visit the nearest branch of the Volusia County Law Library.

IF YOU ARE ACTING AS YOUR OWN ATTORNEY YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR EVERYTHING THAT INVOLVES YOUR CASE. Remember: Check with the Clerk of the Court for filing fees/court costs.