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Help us serve you better.

We want to hear about your experience as a Peer-to-Peer participant or a Peer-to-Peer provider. The survey should take you approximately 3 minutes to complete.

Please identify your role within the Veterans Experience Action Center. **Required**

- Peer-to-Peer participant [Logic: If Select, move to page 2 when selecting next]
- Peer-to-Peer provider [Logic: If Select, move to page 10 when selecting next]

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Which of the following best defines you as a participant of the Veterans Experience Action Center? Required

- Service Member
- Veteran
- Family
- Caregiver

How would you describe your gender? Required

- Male
- Female
- Non-Binary/Third Gender
- Prefer not to say

How would you describe your race? Select all that apply. Required

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White

Are you Hispanic or Latino? Required

- Yes
- No

What is your age group? Required

- < 30
- 30-39
- 40-49
- 50-59
- 60-69
- > 70

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Please provide your zip code. Enter 00000 if using an APO/FPO. **Required**

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Do you currently receive VA health care services? **Required**

- Recently enrolled
- Currently enrolled
- Never enrolled
- Previously enrolled

[Logic: If response option 1, 2, and 4 are selected, proceed to page 5. If response option 3 are selected, proceed to page 4.]

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Please indicate why you are not currently enrolled in VA health care. Select all that apply. **Required**

- I did not know I was eligible for VA health care.
- I do not know how to connect with VA.
- I do not know how to enroll with VA.
- I do not wish to apply for any VA benefits.
- I find the VA to be too complicated to navigate.
- I haven't had the time to look into VA health care.
- I receive health care through my employer.
- I was not found eligible for VA health care.

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Do you currently receive VA benefits such as compensation, pension, education, home loan, or pre-burial benefits? **Required**

- Yes
- No
- Previously received VA benefits

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Please indicate the reason why you are currently not receiving VA benefits. Select all that apply. **Required**

- I did not know I was eligible for VA benefits.
- I do not wish to apply for any VA benefits.
- I was not found eligible for VA benefits.
- I find the VA to be too complicated to navigate.
- I do not know how to connect with VA.
- I do not know how to enroll with VA.
- I've previously received VA benefits. (e.g. GI Bill, home loan, insurance)

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Is this your first time connecting to a Peer-to-Peer Center? **Required**

- Yes
 No

Please indicate when you served in the military. Select all that apply. **Required**

- World War II: 12/7/1941 - 12/31/1946
 Korean Conflict: 06/27/1950 - 01/31/1955
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 Gulf War 1 Era: 8/2/1990 - 10/6/2001
 Post 9/11 Era: 10/7/2001 - Present
 Other

What information and/or services did you receive from your participation with the Peer-to-Peer Provider? Select all that apply. **Required**

- Connection to VSO/CVSO
 Information about the Peer-to-Peer organization
 Services in the community (e.g. counseling, healthcare, financial, transportation)
 VA Benefits
 VA Health Care
 VA Mental Health

Did you experience any challenges connecting with the Peer-to-Peer Provider. **Required**

- Yes
 No

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Select a reason why it was challenging to connect with the Peer-to-Peer provider. **Required**

Select your response ▼

- Appointment not conducted at the time requested
- Did not receive resources and or information requested
- Did not respond to my email
- Did not return my call
- Issues making an appointment
- No face-to-face presence in my community
- No social media access
- Not accessible in my community
- Transportation not available
- Unable to navigate social media site
- Working hours are not accessible when I am available
- Other

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I was able to get my information and/or service support needs met through the Veterans Experience Action Center in a reasonable timeframe. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

The Veterans Experience Action Center provided a seamless introduction to VA services. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

I felt respected and valued during my engagement with the Veterans Experience Action Center. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

I felt reassured by the guidance provided as a participant with the Veterans Experience Action Center. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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The Veterans Experience Action Center provided information and next steps that were relevant and easy for me to understand. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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I felt my Peer-to-Peer provider listened to and considered my needs. Required

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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Please provide your zip code. Enter 00000 if using an APO/FPO. **Required**

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Are you assisting a participant who needs care for a medical or mental health concern? **Required**

- Yes
 No

Please indicate your relationship with the participant. **Required**

- Existing relationship
 New relationship

Please indicate when the participant served in the military. Select all that apply. **Required**

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 Other

Please select what information and/or services you provided the participant. Select all that apply. **Required**

- Connection to VSO/CVSO
 Information about the Peer-to-Peer organization
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Did VA provide you with the resources you needed to be successful? **Required**

- Yes
 No

What additional resources would be most helpful to you and/or to the participant you assisted? Please do not include any personally identifiable information, Social Security Number, Veteran ID, or medical information.

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Resources were available that allowed me to provide information and/or service support in a reasonable timeframe. **Required**

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

Resources were available that allowed me to provide a seamless introduction to VA services. **Required**

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

I felt respected and valued working with the Veterans Experience Action Center. **Required**

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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Resources and guidance were provided that allowed me to be helpful to the participant. **Required**

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I was provided resources that the participant found easy to understand. **Required**

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Please visit [VA.gov](https://va.gov) to explore benefits, resources, and information at VA. To get information on access to VA healthcare or a Peer-to-Peer network in your community, send an email to Vet-FriendlyCommunities@va.gov

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