



WOMEN VETERANS PROGRAM

**SUPPORTING, CONNECTING, AND ADVOCATING FOR
WISCONSIN WOMEN VETERANS**



Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs (WDVA)

The Women Veterans Program addresses the needs of women veterans and creates a supportive community for them in Wisconsin. The WDVA provides connection to programs specific to women veterans, advocates for issues facing this population, and recognizes the significant contributions of women veterans in Wisconsin.

Woman Veteran of The Year Award

Each year the Wisconsin Woman Veteran of the Year Award recognizes a woman veteran who has compiled a record of exemplary service as a military service member, veteran, and outstanding member of the community. The Woman Veteran of the Year nominations are open each fall, and the award is presented in November. Visit the *Women Veterans Program* page at **WisVetsWomen.com** to learn more or to find the nomination form.



Women Veterans Quarterly Impact Award

The Wisconsin Woman Veteran Quarterly Impact Award is awarded to honor a woman veteran who has greatly influenced and impacted her community. Through challenges big and small, these women have effected change and have helped move Wisconsin women veterans forward. Visit **WisVetsWomen.com** to learn more.

Women Veterans Retreat

Annually, the WDVA hosts a Women Veterans Retreat to provide women veterans an opportunity to create connections and build relationships with their fellow veterans. This is a free event for veterans, their friends, and families.

Did You Know?
10% of Wisconsin Veterans are Women



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Local Involvement

Through collaboration and partnership, the WDVA's Women Veterans Program and local organizations help improve the lives of Wisconsin women veterans. This program is designed to be a resource not only to veterans, but to local organizations that support women veterans. If you are hosting an event and would like the Women Veterans Program to attend, email us at **womenvets@dva.wisconsin.gov**.

Sign up for the Women Veterans Newsletter and follow us on social media at **WisVetsWomen.com**.