

# Financial Hardship

## Loss of Job or Reduced Income?



### VA's Medical Care Hardship program may help you qualify for VA Health Care enrollment

If your income has recently changed, you may qualify for enrollment even if it was denied previously based on your household income. Or, perhaps you have put off applying for enrollment because you think your income is too high. Now may be the time to provide updated financial information or apply for enrollment.

Personal circumstances such as loss of employment, sudden decrease in income, or increases of out-of-pocket family health care expenses factor into VA's hardship determination.

If your current and projected household income puts you below the VA National Income Threshold or Geographic Means Test Threshold for your area, you may qualify for enrollment and cost-free VA medical care.

For additional information and qualifications for this program, contact your local VA Medical Center Enrollment Coordinator at:

**1-877-222 VETS (8387)**