



VETERANS CHOICE PROGRAM

The Veterans Choice Program (VCP) is a benefit that allows eligible Veterans to receive health care from a community provider rather than waiting for a VA appointment or traveling to a VA facility.

How to know if you may be eligible

- ✓ Have you been told by your local VA medical facility that you need to wait **more than 30 days** for an appointment?
- ✓ Is your residence **more than 40 miles** from the closest VA medical facility with a full-time primary care physician?
- ✓ Do you need to travel by air, boat or ferry to the closest VA medical facility?
- ✓ Do you face an unusual or excessive burden in traveling to the closest VA medical facility based on geographic challenges, environmental factors, or a medical condition?

How to get started

- 01 Gather information about any other health insurance coverage you have (e.g. employer, union-based health plans)
- 02 Call the VCP Call Center at 866-606-8198 to confirm your eligibility and schedule an appointment

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