

OUR VETERANS NEED US

- Veterans report problems accessing VA medical services and other necessary destinations.
- 18 percent of 19,978,000 veterans who had not used VA health care in the past year (about 3,596,000 veterans), said it was that “VA care is not convenient.”
- Rural areas offer special transportation challenges for transportation services serving veterans. 40 percent of veterans live in rural areas.
- Veterans who miss medical appointments exhibit higher rates of depression, poor healthcare access, and socialization problems.
- There is a huge and growing need for transporting aging and younger traumatic brain injured veterans.



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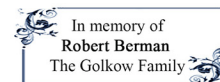
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Take the Wheel



A transportation service for
veterans by veterans
from the JFCS
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They have served their country. Now, we can serve them.

Take the Wheel, a service offered through the JFCS Veteran Support Program, offers transportation to veterans, from fellow veterans and local volunteers. Transportation provided helps veterans in need get to their doctor appointments, treatments, and more. Please find out how you can help a veteran, or can apply for this service yourself.



I WANT TO DRIVE A VETERAN...

To become a volunteer driver for a local veteran, an individual must:

- Have a valid drivers license, insurance & registration.
- Have a clean driving record.
- Be willing to complete application process.
- Be willing to drive to an area VA facility or qualifying wellness appointment.

I AM A VETERAN WHO NEEDS TRANSPORTATION...

To receive this transportation benefit, the veteran must:

- Complete an intake interview and assessment by a JFCS clinician.
- Must have proof of military service.
- Need transportation to an area VA facility or qualifying wellness appointment.

Drivers and recipients must meet eligibility requirements to qualify for participation in the program.