

**T**he Seminole County's Veterans' Services Office provides assistance to veterans, dependents, and survivors in Seminole County.

Veterans Service Counselors are trained service officers who are certified by the Florida Department of Veterans Affairs and are also veterans themselves.

**The Veterans Services Office can assist with:**

- ★ Federal (VA) and State (FDVA) Benefit Claims
- ★ Survivor Benefit Claims
- ★ Healthcare Assistance
- ★ Education Benefits
- ★ Pension Assistance
- ★ Burial Allowances
- ★ Outreach Visits
- ★ Presentations to Veteran Service Organizations
- ★ and more!

Seminole County veterans can make an appointment with a Veterans Service Counselor or stop by during walk-in hours to go over eligible benefits and receive assistance. During an appointment, expect to spend about an hour with a Veterans Service Counselor in a private office setting. If possible, Counselors can help with filing claims or submitting forms in-office that day.

## STATE BENEFITS

The following benefits are available to Veterans from the Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs (FDVA)

**For 100% Permanent and Totally Disabled Veterans:**

- Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs Identification Card
- Exemption of Homestead Taxes
- Disabled Veteran Motor Vehicle License Plate
- Hunting and Fishing Licenses

**For All Other Veterans:**

- Veterans Preference for Employment and Reinstatement
- Deferment of Educational Registration Fees
- In-State College Tuition for Out-of-State Residents
- Military Styled License Plate
- Restaurant & Retail Discounts

For more information on FDVA benefits, visit [floridavets.org](http://floridavets.org)

## FEDERAL BENEFITS

The following benefits are available to Veterans from the U.S. Veterans Affairs Department (VA)

**For 100% Permanent and Totally Disabled Veterans:**

- CHAMPVA Dependents Health Insurance
- Life Insurance with Premium Waiver
- Chapter 35 Dependents Education Benefits

**For All Other Veterans:**

- Compensation
- Pension
- Educational Benefits
- Burial Benefits
- Surviving Spouse Benefits
- Helpless Child Benefits
- Drugs and Medicine
- Employment
- Housing Loans
- Medical Care
- Restaurant & Retail Discounts

For more information on VA benefits, visit [va.gov](http://va.gov)



## MISSION STATEMENT

To provide the **highest quality of service** to Seminole County veterans and their dependents by ensuring **full access to all available benefits** in recognition for service to their country.



To care for him  
who shall have  
born the battle,  
for his widow and  
his orphan...

Abraham  
Lincoln

### VETERANS' SERVICES OFFICE

520 W. Lake Mary Blvd, Suite 100  
Sanford, FL 32773

Located in the Reflections Plaza at  
Hidden Lakes, .5 mile West of US 17-92

#### Hours:

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday:

By appointment only.

Tuesday, Thursday: Walk-ins accepted  
between 8:30 - 11:00 a.m. or 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Email: [InfoVeterans@seminolecountyfl.gov](mailto:InfoVeterans@seminolecountyfl.gov)

Phone: (407) 665-2347

### WINTER SPRINGS SENIOR CENTER

400 N Edgemon Ave, Winter Springs, FL 32708  
(Walk-in services only)

#### Hours:

Available the 2nd and 4th Monday  
of the Month from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
(Except for Holidays)



FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT  
[SEMINOLECOUNTYFL.GOV/VETERANS](http://SEMINOLECOUNTYFL.GOV/VETERANS)

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