

Updated March 2013	Vietnam Veterans	Vietnam Veterans Surviving Spouse	Vietnam veteran Surviving Spouse (Legal Dependent)
	W.S. 19-14-106		
Education Benefit	<p>Free tuition and fees. (Reimbursable by State via Wyoming Community College Commission effective with Spring semester 2007)</p> <p>Credit courses.</p>	<p>Free tuition, matriculation and other fees. (Reimbursable by State via Wyoming Community College Commission effective with Spring semester 2007)</p> <p>Any courses of instruction helping surviving spouse to engage in any useful trade, occupation or profession.</p>	<p>Free tuition, matriculation and other fees. (Reimbursable by State via Wyoming Community College Commission effective with Spring semester 2007)</p> <p>10 semesters at a Wyoming community college or UW.</p>
Eligibility Window	No time limit to begin use of benefit	No benefit 8 academic years after first receipt of benefit.	Under age 22 when veteran parent or legal dependent was born.
Eligibility	<p>Active military between Aug. 5, 1964 and May 7, 1975.</p> <p>Received Vietnam service medal.</p> <p>Other than dishonorable discharge.</p> <p>Resident of Wyoming for not less than 1 year before entering military service.</p>	<p>Surviving spouse or a Vietnam veteran.</p> <p>The veteran was a resident of Wyoming in service or of active service with the military forces of the United States.</p> <p>The veteran's death was service connected.</p> <p>The veteran is listed officially in military records of the United States as having been killed in war or missing in action as a result of active state service or active service with the military forces of the United States.</p>	<p>Surviving child (legal dependent) of a veteran.</p>
Continuing Eligibility	Not receiving aid	thereafter died of an injury or disease incurred while in active state service or active service with such military forces, having remained at the time of death.	Maintain 2.0 GPA after end of each subsequent Spring semester.
Eligible Institutions	University of Wyoming	Any state institution in elementary, secondary, postsecondary colleges, state vocational training	useful trade, occupation or profession.

Education Assistance
Wyoming Statute 19-14-1

Vietnam Veteran

Complete Sections 1 and 2

Vietnam Veteran

Vietnam Veteran Surviving Spouse

All applicants complete Section 2

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Name: _____ Social Security # _____
Last First MI

Address:

Number _____ Street _____

Telephone:

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Vietnam Veteran Application

- YES NO I received the Vietnam service medal
 YES NO I received a discharge that was Other Than Dishonorable
 YES NO I have been a resident of Wyoming for one year or more
 YES NO I will be receiving VA educational benefits while receiving free tuition under this law

Provide DD Form 214 (discharge)



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Note: DD Form 214 will identify dates of service, type of discharge, and award of Armed Forces Expeditionary medal or appropriate campaign medal.

Note: For residency, "Home of Record" means the place where you resided at the time of application. You must provide one of the following documents: DD Form 214, DD Form 1412, or a Wyoming voter registration card.

Sign and date application on the bottom of the next page.

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3 Vietnam Veteran Surviving Spouse Application

- YES NO I am a surviving spouse of a veteran.
- YES NO The veteran was a resident of Wyoming at the time of entering into active state service or active service with the military forces of the United States.
- YES NO The veteran's death was service-connected.
- YES NO The veteran is listed officially in the military records of the United States as being a prisoner of war or missing in action as a result of active service with the military forces of the United States. Official POW and MIA lists via Defense Prisoner of War/Missing Personnel Office (<http://www.dtic.mil/dpmo/>)
- YES NO The veteran was honorably discharged from the military forces of the United States and thereafter died of an injury or disease incurred while in active state service or active service with such military forces, being a resident of Wyoming at the time of death.

Provide the following documentation:

- Veteran's DD Form 214 (discharge document) or DD Form 215 (Correction to 214)
Marriage certificate
Death certificate of veteran
VA correspondence indicating veteran's death was service-connected

4 Vietnam Veteran Surviving Child Application

- YES NO I am a surviving child of a Vietnam veteran.
- YES NO The veteran was a resident of Wyoming at the time of entering into active state service or active service with the military forces of the United States.
- YES NO The veteran's death was service-connected.
- YES NO The veteran is listed officially in the military records of the United States as being a prisoner of war or missing in action as a result of active service with the military forces of the United States. Official POW and MIA lists via Defense Prisoner of War/Missing Personnel Office (<http://www.dtic.mil/dpmo/>)
- YES NO The veteran was honorably discharged from the military forces of the United States and thereafter died of an injury or disease incurred while in active state service or active service with such military forces, being a resident of Wyoming at the time of death.

Provide the following documentation:

- Veteran's DD Form 214 (discharge document) or DD Form 215 (Correction to 214)
Birth certificate of veteran
Death certificate of veteran
VA correspondence indicating veteran's death was service-connected

My signature on this application certifies that the information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Sig _____