Selected Resources

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The American Council on Education's Toolkit for Veteran Friendly Institutions: http://vetfriendlytoolkit.org/

Centers of Excellence for Veteran Student Success Program (CEVSS), supported by grants issued by the Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education: http://www2.ed.gov/programs/cevss/index.html; http://goo.gl/maps/7p4FS (interactive map of CEVSS programs)

Department of Veterans Affairs GI Bill Website: http://www.gibill.va.gov/

Department of Veterans Affairs Vet Center: http://www.vetcenter.va.gov/index.asp

Department of Veterans Affairs "eBenefits" (with information on career planning, the GI Bill, scholarships, and financial aid): https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits.portal/ebenefits.portal

Executive Order 13607, Establishing Principles of Excellence for Educational Institutions Serving Service Members, Veterans, Spouses, and other Family Members: http://ifap.ed.gov/dpcletters/GEN1210.html

GI Bill Toll Free Number - 1-888-GI Bill 1

Guide to US Department of Education Programs: http://www.ed.gov/programs/gtep/index.html

US Department of Education's Services and Resources for Veterans and Military Families: http://www.ed.gov/Veterans-and-military-families/information#benefits

US Department of Education's Student Aid for Military Families: http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/grants-scholarships/military

Student Veterans of America (SVA) Chapters: http://www.studentVeterans.org/

Department of Defense Troops to Teachers Program: http://www.dantes.doded.mil/Sub%20Pages/TTT/TTT Main.html

VetSuccess Interactive Map (linking Veterans with services for making the transition to civilian life): <a href="http://vetsuccess.gov/vetsuc

Department of Veterans Affairs link that provides listing of campuses with VSOC counselors and additional resources:

http://vetsuccess.gov/vetsuccess on campus

US Department of Education's Veterans Upward Bound Program: http://www2.ed.gov/programs/triovub/index.html

VA Career Counseling (VA Form 22-8873) http://www.vba.va.gov/pubs/forms/VBA-28-8832-ARE.pdf

VA Factors to Consider When Choosing a School: http://www.gibill.va.gov/documents/factsheets/Choosing a School.pdf

VA Regional Offices: http://www2.va.gov/directory/guide/division-flsh.asp?isFlash=1&dnum=3

VA School Decision Resources Principles of Excellence: http://www.gibill.va.gov/resources/education-resources/school-decision-resources.html

VA Tutorial Assistance Program: http://www.gibill.va.gov/resources/education-resources/programs/tutorial-assistance-program.html

Veterans Health Administration VA Campus Toolkit: http://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/studentVeteran/

The VOW (Veterans Opportunity to Work) to Hire Heroes Act of 2011, Title II of P.L. 112-56, November 21, 2011: http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/PLAW-112publ56/html/PLAW-112publ56.htm

White House Factsheet, July 23, 2012: http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2012/07/23/fact-sheet-president-obama-s-work-honor-our-military-families-and-vetera

Department of Defense Worldwide Education Symposium: Remarks by Under Secretary Martha Kanter at MGM Grand Hotel, Las Vegas, NV, Wednesday, July 25, 2012: http://www.ed.gov/edblogs/ous/files/2012/08/DOD-Worldwide-Sypmosium-Kanter-07252012.pdf

Yellow Ribbon Program: http://www.gibill.va.gov/benefits/post 911 gibill/yellow ribbon program.html

U.S. Department of Labor: http://www.mynextmove.org/vets/