

Welcome to the Montana Vet Program!



Participation requirements:

Veterans that meet one of the following parameters will be considered for MVP activities:

1. A disability rating of 10% or more awarded by the Department of Veteran Affairs.
2. A minimum of one deployment in a combat zone (e.g. Iraq, Afghanistan, or Vietnam).
3. Veteran Affairs Service Officer's discretionary decision.

Processing Procedures:

The following procedures will be required to assist us in assessing each veteran for acceptance into an MVP event.

1. Complete enclosed packet: Eagle Mount Application Form, MVP Supplemental Form, and Medical Release Form.
2. Mail all forms to: **MVP Applicant, P.O. Box 2866, Great Falls, MT 59403**. Please be sure to have your return address on envelope and include the following forms:
 - a. Completed MVP application packet.
 - b. A copy of your DD-214
 - c. A copy of your Disability Compensation Award Attachment (VA Form 21-8764) OR a Civil Service Preference Letter.
3. Once the veteran's packet and supplement forms are received, the sealed packet will be given directly to a Veteran Service Officer (VSO) at the Great Falls Department of Veterans Affairs' office.
4. The VSO will open packet, remove and keep veteran's DD-214. VSO will screen all documents for participant requirements and submit a letter of approval or disapproval into the veteran's application packet envelope and return to MVP. **At no time will MVP staff be privy to an applicant's DD-214.**
5. An MVP veteran staffer will read through each applicant's packet and conduct a phone interview with the veteran applying for MVP events. Once all phone interviews have been conducted, all veteran applications will be submitted to a committee. The committee will meet and read through each applicant's packet. The committee will then determine the most appropriate and safest activities for each individual veteran (not all activities are appropriate for all veterans).

Questions? Contact us at mtvetprogram@gmail.com or leave a message at 454-1449.



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Supplemental Page to Participation Application – use back side if needed to answer any question.

SUPPLEMENTAL PARTICIPATION INFORMATION	
Name:	
Branch of Service:	Describe your military occupation specialty:
Deployments (i.e., OIF March 2004 – March 2005):	
If comfortable, tell us about any significant events during your deployment(s):	
How did you hear about the Montana Vet Program?	
What is the most physically and/or mentally challenging thing you have done?	
How active are you?	
Why do you want to be a part of MVP (3-5 sentences)?	
What trips are you interested in? <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking <input type="checkbox"/> Canoeing <input type="checkbox"/> Rafting <input type="checkbox"/> Horseback Riding <input type="checkbox"/> Pack Trips <input type="checkbox"/> Camping	
Do you have any outdoor or wilderness experience? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N If YES, please explain:	
Is there anything you feel that would limit your experience with us? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N If YES, explain:	
Do you have any concerns with participating in group settings, overnight trips and/or wilderness experiences? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N If YES, explain:	
Signature:	Date:

Eagle Mount Great Falls is a non-profit organization. We provide therapeutic and recreational activities for children, adults and veterans with physical, developmental, mental and/or behavior challenges, striving to improve the quality of life for them and their families.

