



SERVING VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES

Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs (MDVA) St. Paul Claims Office is dedicated to helping Veterans and their families navigate the complex Federal VA system.

The MDVA St. Paul Claims Division represents Veterans and their dependents who seek benefits from the Federal VA with regards to compensation, non-service connected pension, and vocational rehabilitation.

QUESTIONS?

(612) 970-5662 or 1-888-LinkVet (546-5838)



ST. PAUL CLAIMS DIVISION



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WHY FILE FOR BENEFITS?

The U.S. Government has set aside benefits to honor your service — you've earned them. Filing a claim for benefits can give you access to VA health care, financial assistance, rehabilitation, and much more.

HOW TO FILE FOR BENEFITS

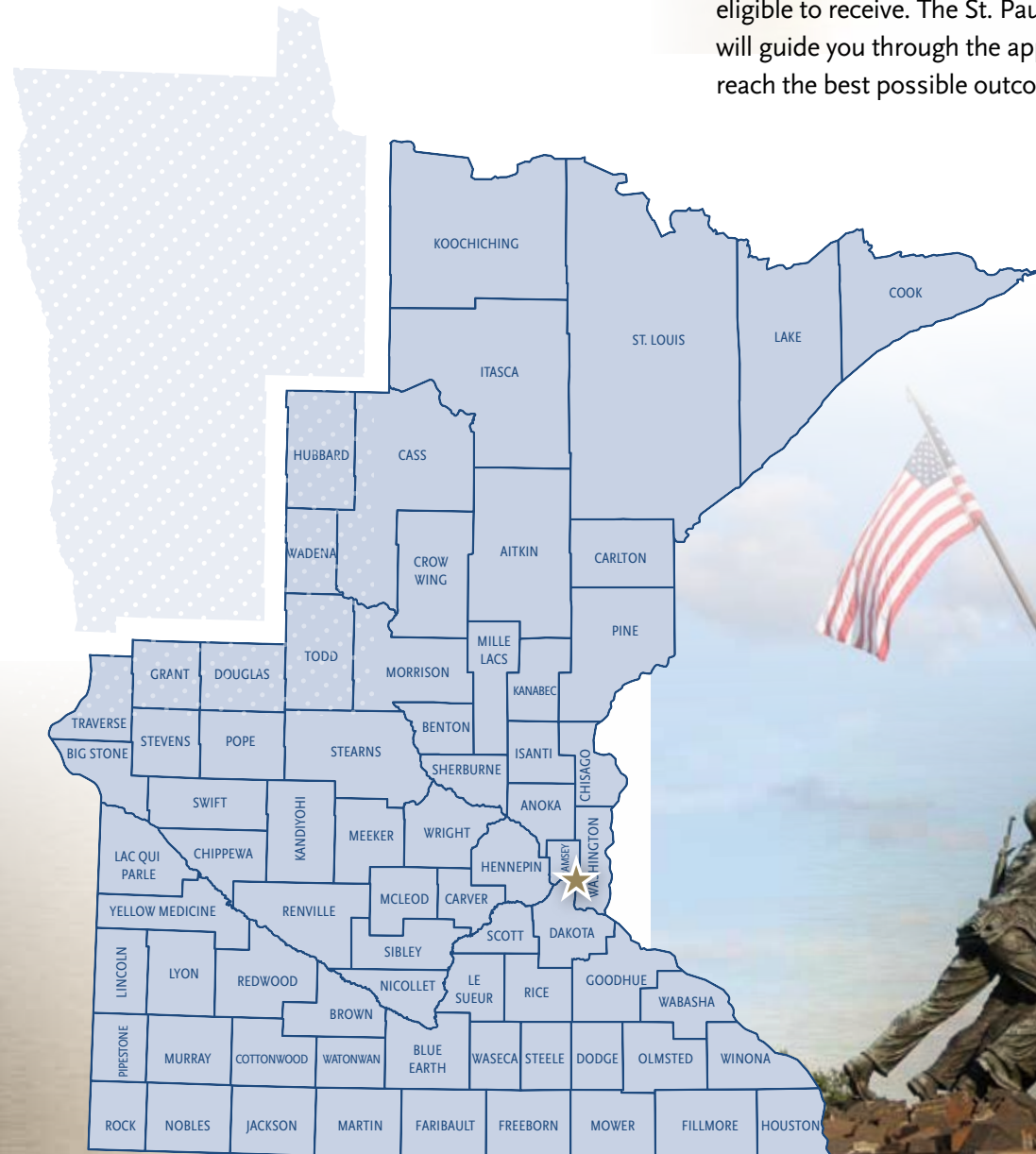
Start by contacting your County Veterans Service Officer (CVSO). To find your CVSO, visit macvso.org or call **1-888-LinkVet (546-5838)**.

When you're ready to file for benefits, your CVSO will walk you through the process, including the specific service-related materials and documentation you need to submit a claim.

DOCUMENTATION COULD INCLUDE:

- Discharge Papers
- Documentation of in-service occurrence of injury
- Medical documentation/current diagnosis
- Evidence of a connection between in-service occurrence and current diagnosis

MN COUNTIES SERVED BY THE ST. PAUL VA REGIONAL OFFICE AND THE VA MEDICAL CENTER



WHAT IF THE VA DENIES MY CLAIM OR APPLICATION?

We are here to help you get the benefits you are eligible to receive. The St. Paul Claims Office will guide you through the appeals process to reach the best possible outcome.

★ *St. Paul VA Regional Office
and VA Medical Center*