

# VETERANS TRAINING SUPPORT CENTER

## WHO WE ARE:

The Veterans Training Support Center is a program in the Counseling & Wellness Division at your Washington State Department of Veterans Affairs. This program is dedicated to raising awareness and understanding of issues specific to Veterans, such as Posttraumatic Stress, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Moral Injury. We encourage all employers and organization leaders in public, private, or higher education settings to establish practices that will empower Veterans in their pursuit of personal, academic, and career goals.

Our mission is to ensure individuals and organizations who are committed to Serving Those Who Served are equipped with the latest research, knowledge, and resources.

VTSC seeks faculty who are subject matter experts to provide workshops either in classroom or virtual settings. Please email [VTSC@dva.wa.gov](mailto:VTSC@dva.wa.gov) with your resume and area of expertise if you are interested in joining us.

## CONTACT US:

For a list of workshop opportunities, please visit [www.dva.wa.gov/vtsc](http://www.dva.wa.gov/vtsc)

To ask about a customized workshop based on your needs, please email [VTSC@dva.wa.gov](mailto:VTSC@dva.wa.gov) or call **800.562.2308**.



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## THE HISTORY OF VTSC

The VTSC provides Veteran-related workshops for organizations to better serve Veterans and their family members.

Workshops are tailored to those who work with Veterans and cover topics such as Veterans cultural engagement, PTSD, trauma informed care, suicide prevention and traumatic brain injury. Thousands of Veterans and family members have experienced transformation and have benefited by information shared at these workshops.

## TRAINING PROVIDED:

VTSC faculty are nationally-recognized subject matter experts and professionals in their fields. VTSC contracts with these specialists to provide you with tools and treatments to better serve your Veteran clients, improve your practice, or support and retain Veteran students and employees.

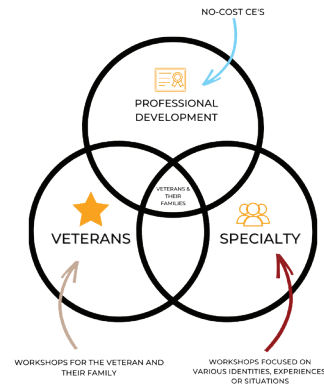
The Veterans Training Support Center offers this expertise at no-cost.

VTSC staff and faculty are committed to hosting workshops that are based in equity and inclusion, and follow the American Psychological Association guidelines for continuing education. Through the workshops and other resources, service providers are able to take the knowledge gained and immediately incorporate it in their practices.

## VTSC TRAININGS:

The VTSC Offers workshops in 3 categories:

1. Professional Development: Provides no-cost continuing education credits
2. Veterans and their families: Focused on supporting the Veteran in their transition and their second mission
3. Specialty Workshops: Focused on identities, experiences, or situations.



## EXAMPLES OF WORKSHOPS OFFERED BY VTSC:

- Veterans Cultural Engagement
- Understanding PTSD
- Prolonged Exposure
- Introduction to Veterans Benefits
- Military Sexual Trauma: Treatment Options Based on Context
- Couples-Based PTSD Treatment



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