

**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS
VETERAN STATUS/VETERAN'S EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE FORM**

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A veteran is defined as an individual who served in the army, navy, air force, marine corps, or coast guard of the United States or in an auxiliary service of one of those branches.

ARE YOU A VETERAN? **Yes** **No**

You may be entitled to a veteran's employment preference as established in the Veteran's Employment Preference Act (Chapter 657, Government Code) if:

- As a veteran you were honorably discharged and
 - you served in the armed forces for 90 consecutive days during a national emergency (from 1933 to present), OR
 - you served less than 90 consecutive days and were discharged due to a service-connected disability;
 - You are an individual classified as a surviving spouse of a veteran killed while on active duty and who has not remarried;
- OR
- You are an orphan of a veteran who was killed while on active duty.

I DO NOT QUALIFY FOR VETERAN'S EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE (**Sign at Bottom of Page**)

An individual who qualifies for a veteran's employment preference is entitled to a preference in employment in this state over other applicants for the same position who do not have a greater qualification. If you qualify for Veteran's Employment Preference, complete the applicable information requested below:

VETERAN

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| Date of Enlistment: ____/____/____ Date of Discharge ____/____/____ (It is only necessary to provide information for one qualifying period) | FOR HUMAN RESOURCES USE ONLY Qualify <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No V |
| Indicate the branch in which you served: <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Army <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Air Force <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Coast Guard <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Navy <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Marines <input type="checkbox"/> Auxiliary Services | |
| If you served in the auxiliary services, provide name: _____ Were you honorably discharged? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ¹ <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| Optional: If you have served less than 90 consecutive days, are you a veteran who was discharged with a service-connected disability | |

Please submit a copy of the service discharge form (DD214) or other separation documentation ¹

ORPHAN

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| Was one of your parents a veteran who was killed while on active duty and who has not remarried? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ² <input type="checkbox"/> No | Qualify <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No O |
| Veteran's Name: _____ Veteran's SSN: _____ | |

Submit a copy of your birth certificate and DD1300 or death certificate of veteran. ²

SURVIVING SPOUSE

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| Are you a spouse of a veteran who was killed on active duty and who has not remarried? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ³ <input type="checkbox"/> No | Qualify <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No W |
| Veteran's Name: _____ Veteran's SSN: _____ | |

Submit a copy of marriage certificate and DD1300 or death certificate of veteran. ³

DISCLOSURE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: Disclosure of your Social Security number is voluntary. It will be used to verify your status as a veteran and entitlement to a veteran preference.

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| Name (please print): _____ | Social Security Number: _____ |
| Signature: _____ | Date: _____ |

