

* **Special Disabled:** A veteran who has a disability that entitles them to Veterans' Administration disability compensation or was discharged or released from active military duty because of a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty.

* **Vietnam Era:** A veteran who was on active duty for at least 180 days and was honorably discharged if any part of the active duty occurred in the Republic of Vietnam between Feb. 28, 1961 and May 7, 1975; or served on active duty in the armed forces during the period August 5, 1964 and May 7, 1975.

* **Other Protected Veteran:** A veteran who served on active duty during a war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge has been authorized.

* **Newly Separated Veteran:** A veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service and was discharged or released from active duty within the past 12 months.

* **Surviving Spouse:** Widow/Widower of war veteran or disable veteran, provided widow/widower remains unmarried.
