



MDVA Veteran Cemetery Program

Pre-application For Interment

Instructions

- 1) **Fully complete and sign** this form.
- 2) Provide a **copy** of your DD214 or equivalent discharge document that includes **DATE OF ENTRY & SEPARATION, BRANCH OF SERVICE, SERVICE NUMBER, HOME OF RECORD AT TIME OF ENTRY, and CHARACTER OF SERVICE.**
- 3) Provide documentation of proof of Maryland residency, which can include:
 - a Maryland address in the Home of Record at Time of Entry field on your discharge document **or**
 - one of the following, indicating your current legal residence in Maryland dated within six months
 - utility bill, hospital bill, tax records, copy of valid Maryland driver's license
- 4) Mail or email your completed and signed form, copy of discharge documentation, and Maryland residency documentation to your cemetery of choice.
- 5) Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing.

Note: Submitting an incomplete form or omitting any supporting documentation will lead to delay or denial of your pre-application. Please notify the cemetery in writing if any information changes after you receive notification of MDVA's acceptance of your pre-application. Additional documentation may be required prior to establishing initial and/or final eligibility for (but not limited to) spouses, dependent children, veteran name changes post-discharge, and veterans who live outside of Maryland at the time of death.

Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery

11301 Crain Highway
Cheltenham, MD 20623
Phone: 1-301-372-6398
Fax: 1-301-782-7310

cheltenham.vc@maryland.gov

Garrison Forest Veterans Cemetery

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD 21117
Phone: 1-410-363-6090
Fax: 1-410-363-1533

garrisonforest.vc@maryland.gov

Crownsville Veterans Cemetery

1122 Sunrise Beach Road
Crownsville, MD 21032
Phone: 1-410-987-6320
Fax: 1-410-987-3920

crownsville.vc@maryland.gov

Rocky Gap Veterans Cemetery

14205 Pleasant Valley Road North East
Flintstone, MD 21530
Phone: 1-301-777-2185
Fax : 1-301-777-2402

rockygap.vc@maryland.gov

Eastern Shore Veterans Cemetery

6827 East New Market Ellwood Road
Hurlock, MD 21643
Phone: 1-410-943-3420
Fax: 1-410-943-3680

easternshore.vc@maryland.gov

General Information

MDVA Cemetery & Memorial Programs
1-410-923-6981

veterans.maryland.gov/cemetery-and-memorial-program



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Full Name of Veteran _____ Social Security # _____

Veteran's Daytime Telephone _____ Veteran's Date of Birth _____

Veteran's Email Address _____ Veteran's Place of Birth _____

Veteran's Current Home Address (Incl City, State, & Zip Code) _____

Veteran's Marital Status (choose one) Married Divorced Never Married

If Married, Full Name of Spouse _____

Spouse's Daytime Telephone _____

Spouse's Current Home Address (Incl City, State & Zip Code) _____

Full Name of Next of Kin _____

Next of Kin's Daytime Telephone _____

Next of Kin's Current Home Address (Incl City, State & Zip Code) _____

****Please Read and Sign Below****

I hereby apply for a pre-determination of my eligibility for interment in a Maryland State Veterans Cemetery. I understand that acceptance of this application by MDVA does not constitute a final determination that I, or any of my family members, are eligible for interment in a Maryland State Veterans Cemetery or guarantee the reservation of a specific gravesite. **I understand that the MDVA reserves the right to make a final determination at the time of death regarding whether I meet the legally required eligibility criteria for burial in a Maryland State Veterans Cemetery and agree to update my information, in writing, as necessary.**

Signature of Veteran _____ Date _____

Would you like to receive the Department's bi-weekly email newsletter? Yes No