

Veterans Memorial Cemetery of Western Colorado



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Determination of Eligibility (VMC Form 1)

Immediate Need

Complete all sections and VMC Form 2: Monument Application. Submit a copy of veteran's discharge* and a copy of death certificate to the Cemetery. Veterans must have been resident of Colorado upon entry on active duty. If not, veteran or eligible dependent must have been a Colorado resident upon death. **All forms and documents must be submitted at least 48 hours prior to the internment.**

Early Registration

Complete all sections. Submit a copy of veteran's discharge* to the Cemetery. If the veteran was **not** a resident of Colorado upon entry on active duty, submit proof of current Colorado residency, e.g., copy of driver's license, utility bill, etc.

**Discharge itself must be submitted, not the discharge certificate. Examples include: DD214, WD AGO 53-55, NAVPERS 553, NAVMC70-PD and others.*

Section 1 Contact Information

Date of Contact:

Contact's Name:

Relationship to Decedent/Veteran:

Veteran

Spouse

Next-of-Kin (NOK)

Other (funeral director, Power-of-Attorney, friend, etc.):

Contact's Telephone Number:

By my signature herein, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I am the legal next-of-kin and/or otherwise authorized to make internment arrangements for the decedent and/or veteran identified below:

Signature:

Decedent?		Yes		If Yes, Date of Death		No	
Name:				Date of Birth:			
Address:				Telephone Number:			
SSN:		Military Service Number:		VA Claim Number:			
Home City and State of Record at Time of Entry into Service:							
Discharge Form Number:				Character of Service:			
Marital Status:							
Married		Divorced		Widow(er)		Never Married	
Veteran		Retired		Other:		Aliases	
Branch of Service:							
Army		USMC		USAF		Merchant Marine	
Navy		USCG		USAAF		Other	
*If more than one branch of service, note in Section 6 Additional Information on reverse							
Highest Rank							
EOD (Date Entered on Active Duty)							
RAD (Date Release from Active Duty)							
War Periods		WWII		Vietnam		Other	
WWI		Korea		Gulf War			
Valor/Non-Valor Awards							

Section 3 Spouse Information

Decedent?	Yes	If Yes, Date of Death	No
Is the Spouse the Next of Kin?	Yes		No
Name		SSN	
Address:	Same as Veteran	Other	
Telephone		Date of Birth	

Section 4 Dependent Information

Decedent?	Yes	If Yes, Date of Death	No
Additional Dependents?	Yes	No	
Name		Date of Birth	SSN
Relationship		Address	
Name		Date of Birth	SSN
Relationship		Address	
Name		Date of Birth	SSN
Relationship		Address	

Section 5 Type of Interment Desired

Except under very limited circumstances, gravesites cannot be reserved. Please contact cemetery staff with any questions.

Veteran	Casket-Single Vault	Urn-In-Ground	To Be Determined at Time of Need
	Casket-Double Vault	Niche Urn-Wall	Niche MGP
Spouse	Casket-Single Vault	Urn-In-Ground	To Be Determined at Time of Need
	Casket-Double Vault	Niche Urn-Wall	Niche MGP
Dependent	Casket-Single Vault	Urn-In-Ground	To Be Determined at Time of Need
	Casket-Double Vault	Niche Urn-Wall	Niche MGP

Section 6: Additional Information

Cemetery Use Only

Colorado Resident	Yes	No	
Basis	EAD	Death	TBD at Time of Death
Type of Residency Document			
Based on the information provided, this veteran is		Eligible	Ineligible for interment
Signature of Cemetery Staff Member Making Determination of Eligibility			Date