## **Contact Us**

Legal Services of Long Island

Veterans Rights Project

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### **SERVICES OFFERED**

- Landlord/Tenant Matters (tenant only)
- Housing Issues
- Social Security Disability
- Disability Rights Advocacy
- Welfare/Public Assistance
- Medicare/Medicaid Issues
- Veterans Benefits Advice
- Veterans Benefits Appeals
- VA Overpayment Advice
- Discharge Upgrades
- Child Support Initial Orders
- Child Support Modification (selective cases)
- Foreclosure Prevention
- Consumer Debt



# Veterans Rights Project

WHERE DIGNITY MEETS JUSTICE

# **Our Mission**

Legal Services of Long Island is committed to helping people in need assert and secure their rights under the law. We provide free legal services in thousands of civil cases each year, as well as legal support to community advocates to ensure that people with low incomes and disabilities have equal access to the civil justice system on Long Island.

### INTRODUCTION

The Veterans Rights Project values those who have served and works exclusively with vulnerable low income veterans. Early legal intervention is often the most effective way to resolve issues before it becomes complicated.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Eligibility is based on the federal poverty level. Most persons receiving need-based benefits such as veterans benefits, public assistance, SSI, Medicaid, or food stamps are eligible.



## What We Do

The Veterans Rights Project provides free legal services to vulnerable low income veterans in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. Legal Services of Long Island, or "Legal Services," is a non-profit, community based poverty law program that provides legal assistance in civil (non-criminal) matters to low income, disabled, and disadvantaged persons throughout Nassau and Suffolk Counties.

Our goal is to provide quality legal services in a manner that respects the individual's dignity and helps ensure that each person is afforded the full protection and benefits of the law. The staff is comprised of attorneys, paralegals, social workers, and support staff. Many staff members are outstanding experts in their field and have been recognized at a state and national level for the quality and critical importance of their work. The Veterans Rights Project staff attorneys participate in community outreach such as tabling at VA Stand Downs and Job Assistance Fairs and at Veterans legal advice clinics.

Contact our Nassau or Suffolk County offices for an appointment. Legal Services of Long Island never charges a fee.

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