Protect Yourself From COVID-19

Access VA Care From Home

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs is committed to providing high-quality care while keeping Veterans safe from COVID-19. Here are some ways to prevent COVID-19 exposure or transmission by accessing VA care from home:

**Video or Telephone Appointments**
Rather than going to a VA facility, you can receive care at home with a video or phone appointment. To set up a VA Video Connect or phone appointment, send your provider a secure message on My HealthVet. To learn more about VA Video Connect, visit [mobile.va.gov/app/va-video-connect](mobile.va.gov/app/va-video-connect).

**Prescription Refills**
Request prescription refills and order and ship medications to your home using My HealthVet or the Rx Refill mobile app. Download the app at [mobile.va.gov/app/rx-refill](mobile.va.gov/app/rx-refill).

**Text Message Reminders**
Annie’s Coronavirus Precautions protocol sends you automated text messages with information about COVID-19, helps you monitor for symptoms, and can assist you if you need to contact your VA facility for care. Enroll at [mobile.va.gov/annie](mobile.va.gov/annie).

**Secure Messaging**
With My HealthVet, VA’s online patient portal, you can send online secure messages to your VA health care team to ask them nonurgent health questions. Register at [myhealth.va.gov](myhealth.va.gov).

**Home Telehealth**
For Veterans recommended for home isolation or quarantine, your provider may use remote monitoring devices to assess your condition while you’re at home. Learn more about home telehealth at [telehealth.va.gov/type/home](telehealth.va.gov/type/home).

If you’re experiencing a fever, a cough, or shortness of breath, contact your VA facility as soon as possible.

Find contact information for your VA facility at [va.gov/find-locations](va.gov/find-locations).

For the most up-to-date information on COVID-19, please visit:

[cdc.gov/coronavirus](cdc.gov/coronavirus)  |  [va.gov/coronavirus](va.gov/coronavirus)