

**ELIGIBILITY APPLICATION**



**NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE VETERANS CEMETERY**

110 Daniel Webster Highway, Boscawen, NH 03303-2413  
 Phone: (603) 796-2026 Fax: (603) 796-6300 Email: info@nhsvc.com  
 PRE-CERTIFICATION  DECEASED (provide date of death)

Veteran \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT:** A COPY OF THE VETERANS HONORABLE DISCHARGE PAPERS **IS REQUIRED** AND MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION (i.e. DD-214 or other equivalent discharge document, showing 'honorable discharge')

**VETERAN'S NAME AND PERSONAL INFORMATION (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY)**

1. FIRST	2. MIDDLE	3. LAST	4. SUFFIX
5. MAILING ADDRESS (PO BOX or NUMBER, STREET, APT/UNIT)			6. PRIMARY TELEPHONE ( )
7. CITY	8. STATE	9. ZIP CODE	10. COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
11. VETERAN'S SOCIAL SECURITY #	12. VETERAN'S DATE OF BIRTH	13. EMAIL	
14. MARITAL STATUS <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED			

**VETERAN'S MILITARY SERVICE RECORD (As shown on required discharge form)**

15. SERVICE NUMBER (if applicable)	16. DATE ENTERED SERVICE	17. DATE SEPARATED / RETIRED
18. HIGHEST RANK HELD	19. BRANCH(ES) OF SERVICE	20. MILITARY AWARDS (See reverse for guidance)
21. SERVED DURING (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY – See note on reverse) <input type="checkbox"/> NONE <input type="checkbox"/> WWI <input type="checkbox"/> WWII <input type="checkbox"/> KOREA <input type="checkbox"/> VIETNAM <input type="checkbox"/> PERSIAN GULF <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		

**NON-VETERAN SPOUSE INFORMATION (if last name is not the same please submit copy of marriage certificate)  
 IF SPOUSE IS ALSO A VETERAN, PLEASE COMPLETE A SEPARATE APPLICATION**

22. FIRST NAME	23. MIDDLE	24. LAST NAME
25. SPOUSE'S SOCIAL SECURITY #	26. SPOUSE'S DATE OF BIRTH	27. EMAIL

**CONTACT –optional (Such as Next of Kin or Power of Attorney )**

28. FIRST	29. MIDDLE	30. LAST
31. RELATIONSHIP TO VETERAN	32. PRIMARY TELEPHONE ( )	33. EMAIL
34. ADDRESS (NUMBER, STREET, APT/UNIT, CITY, STATE ZIP CODE)		

35. PLEASE CHECK WHERE YOU WANT CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY MAILED  VETERAN  CONTACT

**CERTIFICATION:** I certify to the best of my knowledge, that all the information entered on this application as well as the supporting documentation are true and correct. I also certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the veteran has never committed a Capital Crime or was never convicted of a sexual crime for which he or she was sentenced to a minimum of life imprisonment.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*(Do not write below this line, for completion by cemetery personnel only)*

Approved  Denied Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

See reverse for help in completing this form

**NOTE: For immediate needs related to interment, please contact the office for assistance.**

-Completing the Application-

**Pre-certification** allows the Veteran to establish in advance, his/her eligibility for interment at the New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery in Boscawen, New Hampshire. There is no cost for pre-certification and it does not obligate the Veteran to be interred at the cemetery. Pre-certification is intended to simplify and assist the Veteran's next-of-kin at the time of death. Please note that this application is not a reservation of a specific gravesite.

There is no cost to the Veteran for interment. There is a nominal fee for the eligible spouse or dependents at the time of interment. Associated funeral expenses and preparation are incurred by the Veteran's next-of-kin at the time of death.

Please complete the application as instructed below:

- Complete the "Veteran's Name and Personal Information" and "Veteran's Military Service Record" sections of the form. Please note that the "Service Record" information listed on this application is not in lieu of providing the Veterans Cemetery with a copy of Form DD-214 or other equivalent discharge document. Failure to provide the required service record document will delay processing of the application. Also, please provide all separate discharge forms for all periods of active duty. Forms must show Honorable Discharge to be eligible.
- **Block 20** - Please list any of the following Military Awards obtained and provide documentation: Medal of Honor (MOH), Distinguished Service Cross (DSC), Navy Cross (NC), Air Force Cross (AFC), Silver Star (SS), Purple Heart (PH), and POW. Only these would be officially recognized under the standard lines on the headstone marker. All other medals may be recognized in the personal inscription lines on the headstone marker.
- **Block 21** – War periods may be added to the grave marker if you served on active duty during a war period. Please note you did not have to serve "in country" to receive credit for a war period. You merely have had to be on active military duty during the following dates:  
WWI – 1917 to 1919                      WWII – 12/7/1941 to 12/31/1946                      Korea – 6/27/1950 to 1/31/1955  
Vietnam – 2/28/1961 to 5/7/1975                      Persian Gulf – 8/2/1990 to Present  
Please note that war periods for Grenada, Lebanon, Panama, Somalia, Kosovo, Philippines, Afghanistan, or Iraq is valid only if served "in country".
- **Blocks 22 through 26** - Complete the "Spousal Information" if the eligible veteran's spouse wishes to be interred in the Veterans Cemetery. Please note that if the spouse is also a veteran, a separate application must be submitted by the spouse.
- **Blocks 27 through 33** – Optional Contact Information, complete with additional contact information, if it is felt that a person other than the Veteran should be designated as the point of contact, check box in 33.
- In certain circumstances, dependent children may also be eligible for interment. Please contact the Veterans Cemetery office for more information regarding dependent children and/or dependent application.
- The person completing the application should sign and date the form. It is recognized that in certain cases the Veteran may require assistance and not be the individual completing the application.
- Following approval, a Certificate of Eligibility will be mailed within 30 days. If you do not receive your certificate in this time frame, please contact our office for follow-up.

For questions or further information, please call (603) 796-2026. Mail or fax completed application to:

**New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery**

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Boscawen, NH 03303

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