

## Admission FAQ

Thank you for your interest in the Northern Nevada State Veterans Home. We are proud to serve those who have served our nation. Below are the answers to some of our most frequently asked questions.

Who is eligible for admission? Veterans who have been honorably discharged from active service; spouses and surviving spouses of eligible veterans; Gold Star parents.

What type of care do you provide? We are a licensed Skilled Nursing Facility and provide both short-term rehabilitation and long-term care.

**Short-Term Rehab** care typically follows a hospital stay and is often covered by Medicare benefits. We have a specialized Short-term rehab community that provides Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapy.

**Long-term** placement provides care for veterans who need assistance with the activities of daily living and wish to live with us for an extended period of time, or permanently. Staff will assist with showering, dressing, meals, and personal care.

**Memory Care** is also available in our dedicated memory care community. This is a secure community for those with dementia or Alzheimer's issues as well as a history of wandering without regard for safety. Veterans who have memory concerns or confusion with no wandering issues may be cared for in our long-term community.

What is the cost for long-term care? The VA subsidizes the cost of care for eligible Veterans, but not for spouses. We also accept Medicaid and have Medicaid Certified beds available for long term care.

Long-term care costs are as follows:

Private Pay Daily Rates	Total Cost / Day	30-Day Cost
Veteran	\$173.00	\$5,190
Service-Connected Veteran (70-100%)	Covered at 100% by VA	none
Spouse or Gold Star Parent	\$280.00	\$8,400

Cost includes: private room, skilled nursing care, meals, laundry, housekeeping in room and activities offered by the facility. Please note they do not include medications, physician charges, therapy services or specialized medical equipment or services. Those will be billed to insurance and copay charges will be the veteran's responsibility.

Are your rooms private? Yes, all 96 rooms are private with private bathroom and walk-in showers.

**Do you have an interest list? How do l get a veteran on the interest list?** Yes, long term care does have a interest list. To be placed on the list, just your DD214, or a VA demographic sheet must be submitted to our Admissions Director. Once submitted, the name will be placed on the interest list and you will be contacted.

If you have any further questions regarding eligibility, admission, or would like to schedule a personalized tour of the facility please feel free to contact the facility main line at 775-827-2955, ask for the admissions department.

