

Our Mission

Community Veteran Justice Project identifies and provides military and veterans with one-on-one community support for alternative sentencing and success.

More than an intervention, a solution!

Military, Reservists, National Guard & Veterans (regardless of discharge status):



IF YOU'VE BEEN ARRESTED

Contact Us

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888-871-CVJP (2857)
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STEP 2:

Fill out Statute Intake Form:
<https://bit.ly/3lo1lkn>
or
Fill out General Intake Form:
<https://bit.ly/3Pt4s8o>

STEP 3:

CVJP will provide you with one-on-one support.

STEP 4:

CVJP will help connect you with the resources & services you need in a comprehensive and holistic way at
NO COST TO YOU!



Are you a service member facing criminal charges?

CVJP is here to serve you at no cost!

Penal Codes

CA law includes several statutes that can aid current and former service members (regardless of discharge status, service era, or combat history and including National Guard and Reservists) in receiving alternative sentencing:

Penal Code Section 1170.9 Alternative Sentencing

Allows for treatment instead of incarceration. Options include reducing felonies to misdemeanors, dismissing of fees and fines and sealing of records.

Penal Code Section 1170.91 PTSD

Allows for conditions such as PTSD to be used for mitigation in sentencing

Penal Code Section 1001.80 Misdemeanor Pre-Plea Military Diversion

Allows some veterans and service members to do treatment programs instead of incarceration. If successfully completed, cases will be dismissed.

Penal Code 858 Court Notification

Mandates the court to notify veterans about all veteran statutes.

For Help:

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CVJP will support use of military statutes

The court will appoint an attorney to represent you at your first court appearance. This is the only low-cost representation available for criminal cases.

The U.S. Supreme Court stated that our country has “a long tradition of according leniency to veterans in recognition of their service, especially for those who fought on the front lines...”

[See Porter v. McCollum, 558 U.S. 30, 130 S.Ct. 447, 455-56 (2009)]

Disclaimer: You must consult with your criminal defense attorney for all legal advice on your criminal case. This brochure cannot be relied on as legal advice, and is intended to provide information only

If VA Eligible contact:

VA Vet Justice Outreach (VJO) Jail Outreach Worker (JOW)

VJOs and JOWs can visit veterans in jail. They can verify veteran status, benefits, get records, arrange treatment, and provide other services. Attorneys and family members can also contact them for assistance with veteran cases.

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