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Unmet Care Needs Fund

What is MVA's Unmet Care Needs Fund?

To help meet the needs of King County veterans who are no longer provided critical gender-affirming care by VA providers, anonymous donors have partnered with MVA to provide subsidies for transgender veterans in need of hormone replacement therapy (HRT).

How does it work?

The fund is open to residents of King County, WA who utilize or are eligible to utilize VA healthcare and are denied access to HRT due to federal mandates against the provision of gender-affirming care. Funding is limited to $500/year per veteran. This fund is a stabilization program while veterans find a longer-term solution with MVA's support.

WANT TO HELP?

Donate to the Unmet Care Needs Fund and help us expand our offerings.

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Fund Type
Critical Care Needs Fund
Amount
$500 Annually
Covered Care
Hormone Replacement Therapy

PHASE 1: Crisis Intervention

Veterans can reach out to Minority Vets to apply the program.

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Fund Type
Financial Assistance Fund and KCVP
Amount
$2,500 Annually
Covered Care
Hormone Replacement Therapy, Prosthetics, Voice Training

PHASE 2: Stabilization

Veterans will work with case managers to find a path to stabilization in care with support from Minority Vets and KCVP.

Fund Type
Washington State Medicare/Apple Care/Insurance
Amount
Based on Coverage
Covered Care
Hair Removal, Gender-Affirming Voice Surgery, Facial Feminization*

PHASE 3: Sustainable Support

Case Managers will connect Veterans to the state Medicaid options and private insurance.

*Coverage and available care will be dependent on multiple factors.

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