

MEMBERSHIP QUESTIONS

Are DD-214s kept on file at the VVA National Office?

VVA's National Membership Department will not maintain original or copies of DD-214's. The DD-214 is destroyed within thirty (30) days of receipt. DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL.

If a VVA new member card is not delivered within a reasonable amount of time (after mailing), who should be contacted and what information is needed to resolve the problem?

The VVA database is managed by the VVA Membership Dept. Know the individual's name, date submitted, and type of payment, and contact the Membership Department at 1-800-882-1316 or 301-585-4000 or e-mail: membership@vva.org

MORE RESOURCES

- Check to see if there is a chapter in your area: <http://www.vva.org/chapters.html>
- Copies of military records: www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records/mil
- VVA Benefits: www.vba.gov/VBA (800) 827-1000
- Department of Veteran Affairs: www.va.gov
- Veterans Health Council: www.veteranshealth.org



VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA — STILL PROUDLY SERVING

Founded in 1978, Vietnam Veterans of America is the only national Vietnam veterans organization congressionally chartered and exclusively dedicated to Vietnam-era veterans and their families.

VVA's goals are to promote and support the full range of issues important to Vietnam veterans, to create a new identity for this generation of veterans, and to change public perception of Vietnam veterans.

VVA is organized as a not-for-profit corporation and is tax-exempt under Section 501(c) (19) of the Internal Revenue Service Code.

VVA is a non-profit service organization. Programs and services are funded by member dues and public donations.

For more information on Vietnam Veterans of America, visit www.vva.org.

Families, friends, supporters, and veterans of other eras can join the Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America. For more information visit www.avva.org.



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**For more information about VVA
in your local area, please contact:**

*“Never again
shall one generation
of veterans abandon
another.”*



Membership Eligibility Dates

In Country
February 28, 1961 – May 7, 1975

All Other Duty Locations
August 5, 1964 – May 7, 1975



VVA:

- Advocates on issues important to all veterans.
- Seeks full access to quality health care for veterans.
- Identifies the full range of disabling injuries and illnesses incurred during military service.
- Holds government agencies accountable for following laws mandating veterans health care.
- Creates a positive public perception of Vietnam veterans.
- Seeks the fullest possible accounting of America's POW/MIAs.
- Supports the next generation of America's war veterans.
- Serves our communities.

Membership includes a subscription to our award-winning newspaper, The VVA Veteran.



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