

# Military Discrimination

## Don't Ignore It- Report it!

Discrimination against current and former members of the U.S. military is illegal.

The law protects active-duty military, reservists, and veterans. Discrimination based on military discharge status is also prohibited.

### Examples of Military Status Discrimination:


- Rejecting an employment application from a veteran because the employer fears the applicant may have Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and may pose liability and security concerns.
- Denying service at a restaurant, bar or other public place to a veteran or active-duty personnel because of the owner's objection to the customer's military involvement.
- Rejecting a rental application from a veteran because the landlord assumes the applicant may have PTSD and may pose a risk to others.
- Refusing to accept rent payments from a veteran who is seeking to pay the rent with their GI Bill housing allowance.

*If you believe you have been a victim of military status discrimination, don't ignore it, report it to the CCHR.*



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