

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

DEPARTMENT OF
REVENUE ADMINISTRATION



MUNICIPAL & PROPERTY DIVISION

VETERANS' QUALIFICATION INFORMATION

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NH Department of Revenue Administration
Veterans' Qualifying Service in War or Armed Conflicts
Pursuant to Chapter 72, Section 72:28

RSA 72:28 Standard and Optional Veterans' Tax Credit. –

V. Service in a qualifying war or armed conflict shall be as follows:

(a)	"World War I" between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918, extended to April 1, 1920 for service in Russia; provided that military or naval service on or after November 12, 1918 and before July 2, 1921, where there was prior service between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918 shall be considered as World War I service;
(b)	"World War II" between December 7, 1941 and December 31, 1946;
(c)	"Korean Conflict" between June 25, 1950 and January 31, 1955;
(d)	"Vietnam Conflict" between December 22, 1961 and May 7, 1975;
(e)	"Vietnam Conflict" between July 1, 1958 and December 22, 1961, if the resident earned the Vietnam service medal or the armed forces expeditionary medal;
(f)	"Persian Gulf War" between August 2, 1990 and the date thereafter prescribed by Presidential proclamation or by law; and
(g)	Any other war or armed conflict that has occurred since May 8, 1975, and in which the resident earned an armed forces expeditionary medal or theater of operations service medal.

To view the complete statute, visit: <http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rsa/html/V/72/72-28.htm>

NH Department of Revenue Administration
Forms and Documents Verifying a Veterans' Active Military Service
Pursuant to Chapter 21, Section 21:50

RSA 21:50 Veteran; Armed Forces; Active Duty; Service-Connected Injury, Illness, or Disability. –

I. (b) The following documents may be used to establish an individual's status as a veteran:

(1)	DD Form 214 from any branch of the armed forces.
(2)	DD Form 215 from any branch of the armed forces.
(3)	DD Form 217 from any branch of the armed forces.
(4)	DD Form 2 (Retired).
(5)	WD AGO Form 53-55 from the United States Army.
(6)	WD AGO Form 53-98 from the United States Army.
(7)	WD AGO Form 755 from the United States Army.
(8)	NAVPERS Form 553 from the United States Navy.
(9)	NAVPERS Form 554 from the United States Navy.
(10)	NAVPERS Form 660 from the United States Navy.
(11)	NAVPERS Form 661 from the United States Navy.
(12)	NAVMC Form 70-PD from the United States Marine Corps.
(13)	NAVMC Form 78-PD from the United States Marine Corps.
(14)	NAVCG Form 2510 from the United States Coast Guard.
(15)	NGB Form 22 from the National Guard.
(16)	GSA Form 6954 from the National Archives.
(17)	NA Form 13038 from the National Archives.
(18)	NA Form 13041 from the National Archives.
(19)	Verification of Service letter from the Department of Veterans Affairs.
(20)	Summary of Military Service Record from the New Hampshire Korean War Bonus application.
(21)	Notarized statement of service letter signed by the individual's commanding officer or administrative officer.
(22)	Completed DD FORM 4/2, October 2007 from the National Guard.
(23)	Completed DD FORM 1300, February 2011.
(24)	Other documents approved by the director, division of veterans services.

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NH Department of Revenue Administration
Veterans' Qualifying Awards and Medals for Wars or Conflicts After May 8, 1975
List provided by the NH State Veterans Council

Any of the following medals shall be considered a “theater of operations service medal” for the purposes of qualifying a veteran for the Veterans’ Tax Credit in RSA 72:28. Typically, the medal will appear on the discharge papers (such as the DD214), except for those who earned the medal, but were discharged prior to the award. There must be documentation to qualify.

Afghanistan Campaign Medal
Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
Iraq Campaign Medal
Kosovo Campaign Medal
Kuwait Liberation Medal
Marine Corps Expeditionary Medal
Navy Expeditionary Medal
Southwest Asia Service Medal

In addition, in the absence of evidence to the contrary, the award of the following decorations shall also be considered evidence of a veteran’s combat service and qualifications for the Veterans’ Tax Credit: Reference: **“V” Device**: “V” stands for Valor, and it is awarded to denote combat service.

If so specified, the medal must have the “V” Device to be valid.

Air Force Cross
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with “V” Device
Air Medal with “V” Device
Army Commendation Medal with “V” Device
Bronze Star Medal with “V” Device
Combat Action Ribbon
Combat Infantryman Badge
Combat Medical Badge
Combat Aircrew Insignia
Distinguished Flying Cross
Distinguished Service Cross
Joint Service Commendation Medal with “V” Device
Medal of Honor
Navy Commendation Medal with “V” Device
Navy Cross
Purple Heart
Silver Star