



## **NOW ASSISTING VETERANS THROUGH THE HUD-VASH PROGRAM!**

**What is the HUD-VASH Program?** A Department of Housing And Urban Development and VA Supported Housing Program provides permanent housing and ongoing case management treatment services for **Homeless Veterans or Veterans on the verge of Homelessness** who require these supports to live independently.

**Type of Subsidy under HUD-VASH?** HUD-VASH is very similar to the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program, aside from a few differences in eligibility. Once issued a Voucher, Veterans search for a rental unit, once approved by a Landlord and the Appleton Housing Authority, Veterans would enter into a Rental Lease agreement with the Landlord and pay approximately 30% of their monthly income toward rent and utilities.

**Can a VASH Voucher be portable to another PHA?** Like a Housing Choice Voucher, VASH Vouchers may be ported to another Public Housing Authority allowing Veterans to live in communities where VA case management services can be provided. The Appleton area does have a HUD-VASH Coordinator supported by the Veterans Affairs Medical Clinic that will provide supportive services to Veterans utilizing HUD-VASH in the Appleton, Outagamie County Area.

**Who Is Eligible?** The HUD- VASH Program is targeting Homeless Veterans or Veterans on the verge of Homelessness (meaning eviction is imminent). This program is designed to support our most vulnerable Veterans with or without families, woman Veterans, recently returning Veterans and Veterans with disabilities.

**How can a Veteran apply?** A Veteran must first qualify through the Veterans Affairs Medical Clinic and be referred to the Housing Authority by the VA for the HUD VASH Voucher.

**A Veteran may contact: Pat Evers, HUD VASH Coordinator**

5000 W National Avenue.

Milwaukee, WI 53295

(414) 384-2000 ext. 46847 or (920) 366-2453

**Or, a Veteran may go directly to: Appleton VA Clinic**

10 Tri-Park Way

Appleton, WI 54914 (Office Hours: Mon-Fri, 8:00am-4:30pm)

(920) 831-0070 or Toll Free (877) 831-0033

**Appleton Housing Authority HUD-VASH Contact: Kim Esselman, Section 8 Manager**

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