

Care House Transitional Housing Program

The Care House Transitional housing Program provides services for homeless veterans with mental health and substance abuse problems. Operated with support from NJ-VA medical center, this program provides veterans with all the services required to attain and maintain self-sufficiency in the community. A total of 11 male veterans can be served at one time.

The main goals are to help each veteran achieve greater self-determination, improved residential stability, and increased income and/or job skills. These goals are achieved through individual treatment plans that are developed by the case manager with the input of each individual client. Individuals who may qualify for this program must have a DD214 that states they have earned an honorable discharge. The time a veteran may participate in the transitional housing program cannot exceed 24 months.

Admissions Criteria

- Must be an eligible homeless veteran over the age of 18
- · Must be drug and alcohol free for 60 days
- Must be willing to follow and abide by all program rules and treatment planning

SERVICES AVAILABLE

- Health Care Assessment
- Wellness Education
- Veterans Benefits Counseling through ongoing communication with VA Liaison
- Referrals to local GED Programs
- Referrals to Vocational Assessment and Training
- Sobriety Maintenance through AA, NA, etc., and individual and group counseling
- Referrals for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
- Psychosocial Assessment
- Case Management
- Meals
- Transportation
- Social & Recreational Opportunities
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Weekly Groups



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