

Veteran Friendly College Evaluation Check List

College: _____

Date: _____

Screening Criteria	Rate 1-10 (10 highest)	Your Comments
Location		
Size		
Availability of Housing		
Local Community Assessment:		
• Recreational opportunities		
• Public transportation		
• Airport/Rail access		
• Off-campus housing		
• Shopping		
• Social opportunities		
• Banking		
Proximity to Veterans Healthcare Facility		
On-Campus Community:		
• Veteran friendly environment		
• Number of veterans enrolled		
• Male/Female ratio		
• Social opportunities and facilities		
• Basic services (Post Office, restaurant, shopping, etc)		
Curriculum:		
• Selection of Majors		
• Specialized veterans curriculum and programs		
• Post Graduate Offerings		
Cost vs. Availability of GI Benefits		
Extracurricular Activities and Facilities		
Registration and Benefit Processing:		
• Adequate credit for in-service skill-sets		
• Customized advising and registration for veterans		
• Reflection of veterans status in record keeping		
• Change in military status flexibility		
• Benefit processing support		
• Veteran Liaison/advocate contact		

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Dedicated Veteran Support Resources and Facilities:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A dedicated veteran’s resource center 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Availability of dedicated one-point-of-contact facilitation support, information-sharing and advocacy. 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dedicated veterans clubroom/hangout 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialized veterans transition support 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Availability of veteran mentors (comrades-in-arms) 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On campus counseling specialized in veterans issues 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Veterans Club 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership in the employment of veterans 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career and job search support, advising and mentoring 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handicapped facilities 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On-campus VA healthcare/counseling 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VA approved on campus healthcare and counseling services 		
Financial Issues:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benefit start up flexibility 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expanding financial resources for veterans 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholarships for veterans 		
Orientation:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On campus veteran orientation guidance 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community familiarization guidance 		
Specialized Resources:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On campus employment 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internship/work-study opportunities 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutoring 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disability services 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialized academic success programs 		
Other Issues Important to You:		