

## Fulton, Montgomery & Schoharie Counties



# New York State Department of Labor Local Veterans' Employment Monthly Newsletter



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### Veterans Administration

#### Health care

VA operates the nation's largest integrated health care system, with more than 1,700 hospitals, clinics, community living centers, domiciliaries, readjustment counseling centers, and other facilities.

#### Benefits

VA administers a variety of benefits and services that provide financial and other forms of assistance to Servicemembers, Veterans, their dependents and survivors.

#### Burials and Memorials

VA operates 135 national cemeteries in the U.S. and Puerto Rico. Burial and memorial benefits are available for eligible service members, Veterans, and family members.

Please visit:

<https://www.va.gov/>

## Need a job? Look no further!

### Mini Job Fair

September 19, 2018  
10:00am – 12:00pm

**FMS Workforce Career Center  
2620 Riverfront Center  
Amsterdam, NY 12010**

Meet and speak with businesses from the following sectors:  
Healthcare, Retail, Temporary Employment Agency, and  
Warehousing

**To Attend:** No appointment necessary. Dress for success. Bring plenty of resumes.

### Amsterdam Workshop

#### How to go about: Finding, Getting & Keeping a Job

Customers will learn how to put together a resume and the different types of resumes that are best suited for them. Will learn the importance of cover letters & thank you notes. Customers will learn about their transferable skills to add to each specific job that they are applying for. Interview expectations, how to be prepared, review of common questions, and how to best answer them, and to practice their answers! Be prepared. If offered a job, what is next? Accepting, what are the expectations to keeping a job? How to maintain a good employment status.

**Every Wednesday and Friday 1:00—2:00**

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### Experience Counts

Governor Cuomo's "Experience Counts" program grants veterans credit toward state licenses for military experience. For example, Commercial Driver's License (CDL) fees can be waived for military members with recent experience driving trucks and heavy equipment during their service. The program also recognizes certain military training as credit towards licensure for veterans to become armed and unarmed security guards.

Please contact any of our offices below

## Offices in Amsterdam, Gloversville & Cobleskill

### **Amsterdam:**

2620 Riverfront Center  
Amsterdam, NY 12010  
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Hours 8:30-4:30, Monday  
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### **Gloversville:**

43-47 North Main Street  
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Phone: (518) 842-3676  
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Hours 8:30-4:30, Tuesday  
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### **Cobleskill:**

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