

When someone dies

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Te Hokinga ā Wairua End of Life Service provides tailored information about what to do—and services that might be available to you—following the death of a loved one.

Te Hokinga ā Wairua End of Life Service (<https://endoflife.services.govt.nz/find-out>) [↗](#)

Support we can provide

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If you or they served before 1 April 1974 or in Viet Nam

Qualifying Service explained (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/eligibility/qualifying-service/>)

You may be able to get:

Funeral Expenses (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/funeral-expenses/>)

Plaques and Headstone Funding (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/plaque-and-headstone-funding/>)

Burial in a Services Cemetery (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/burial-in-a-service-cemetery/>)

Surviving Spouse or Partner Pension (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/surviving-spouse-or-partner-pension/>)

Children's Pension (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/childrens-pension/>)

Children's Bursary (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/childrens-bursary/>)

Dependant's Pension (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/dependants-pension/>)

Get in touch with us, and we'll be able to discuss your situation. We can help you apply for support and give you any information you may need.

Contact us (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/contact-us/>)

If you or they served after 31 March 1974 on Qualifying Operational Service

Qualifying Operational Service explained (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/qualifying-service/qualifying-operational>)

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Survivor's Grant (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/survivors-grant/>)

Weekly Compensation for Families (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/weekly-compensation-for-families/>)

Vocational Rehabilitation (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/vocational-rehabilitation/>)

Child Care support (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/child-care-payments/>)

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