

## When someone dies

We may be able to provide support when someone who had Qualifying Service dies.



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>)

[Qualifying Operational Service Explained \(https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/qualifying-service/qualifying-operational-service/\)](https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/qualifying-service/qualifying-operational-service/)

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[Survivor's Grant \(https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/survivors-grant/\)](https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/survivors-grant/)

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

[Vocational Rehabilitation \(https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/vocational-rehabilitation/\)](https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/vocational-rehabilitation/)

[Child Care support \(https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/child-care-payments/\)](https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/child-care-payments/)

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