

21 REASONS TO HIRE A VET

Military experience gives veterans training and work experience valued by employers. The following is a list of some of their unique qualities:

1. **Leadership Training:** Disciplined to be responsible for activities, resources and people.
2. **Teamwork:** Able to work in a diverse and dynamic group of people.
3. **Team Leaders:** Skills to analyze any given project and execute it with precision.
4. **Work under Pressure and Deadlines:** Effectively do the job, do it right the first time and do it timely.
5. **Give and Follow Directions:** Accountable for their actions and for the actions of those in their charge.
6. **Drug Free:** Those with an honorable discharge are certified drug free.
7. **Security Clearance:** Many achieve some level of security clearance which demonstrates trustworthiness.
8. **Systematic Planning and Organization:** The ability to participate, direct or establish systematic planning.
9. **Emphasis on Safety:** Understand the considerable cost in lives, property and objectives when safety is ignored.
10. **Records and Personnel Administration:** Keep accurate records and complete paperwork.
11. **Conform to Rules and Structure:** Follow rules every day in their work environment.
12. **Flexibility and Adaptability:** Able to analyze and change to meet objectives.
13. **Self-Direction:** Take directions and follow through without constant supervision.
14. **Education:** At least a G.E.D. and many have college credits or degrees.
15. **Initiative:** Ability to take initiative in a variety of settings.
16. **Strong Work Habits:** The training they complete instills pride, enthusiasm and perseverance in their work.
17. **Commitment to Excellence:** Continually strive to surpass standards of quality for themselves and their units.
18. **Global Outlook:** Service throughout the world broadens their outlook regarding customs, economies, languages and cultures.
19. **Client and Service-Oriented:** Their jobs are to facilitate, explain and expedite their patrons' and clients' needs, wants and actions.
20. **Concerned about Community:** A vested interest in their community and family environment.
21. **Specialized Training:** Advanced training and specialization in various fields.



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