

## **Veteran Peer Specialist, Virginia Veteran and Family Support**

Available 24/7

No

Documents Required

Call for details

Family

No

Intake Contact Email

james.thur@dvs.virginia.gov

Intake Process

Call or walk in. Adults ages 18 to 65 may walk in for a same day eligibility screening. Adults over age 65, children and youth, and people with development disability are served by calling Entry and Referral.

Intake Contact Telephone

(703) 383-8500

Provider Refer

Yes

Report Problems

Call the Agency

Self Refer

Yes

Fairfax Falls Church Community Services Board

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/csb>

Main

(703) 383-8500

Phone Emergency

(703) 573-5679

TTY/TTD

711

8221 Willow Oaks Corporate Drive

22031 VA

United States

Monday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Tuesday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Wednesday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Thursday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

Additional Availability Comments

Emergency Services are available 24 hours a day, seven days per week.

Fee Structure

Sliding Scale Fee

Payment Method(s)

Cash only

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Cash or Check

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Credit / Debit

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Private Pay

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Private Insurance

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Medicaid

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Medicare

Languages Spoken

English

At the Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board, the Veteran Peer Specialist is a person with a mental health or co-occurring condition, actively engaged in his/her own recovery, who has been trained and certified to help others with these conditions, identify and achieve specific life and recovery goals.

Peer Specialists serve as role models by sharing their personal recovery stories, showing that recovery from mental illness is possible. They teach goal setting, problem solving, symptom management skills and a variety of recovery tools. They empower by helping others identify their strengths, supports, resources and skills.

They advocate by working to eliminate the stigma of mental illness and act as community liaisons by identifying social supports in the community and encouraging the expansion of local community resources.

Service Area(s)

Fairfax City

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Fairfax County

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Falls Church City