



ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST PRE-REGISTER

Bay Area Rescue Mission

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Martinez VA Outpatient Clinic

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150 Muir Road, Martinez, CA

Wheelchair bound veteran 10 AM Pick Up **Must be pre-registered**

Pet Pick Up 8:30 AM

Oakland VA BHC

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525 21st, Oakland, CA

Pet Pick Up 8 AM

Wheelchair bound veteran 10 AM Pick Up **Must be pre-registered**

San Francisco VA – Downtown Clinic

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401 3rd St., San Francisco, CA

Pet Pick Up 8 AM

Handicap Pick UP

VAMC S.F. 4150 Clement St. S.F., CA

Wheelchair bound veteran 10 AM Pick Up **Must be pre-registered with**

Saul Alverado (415-221-4810 ext. 22999)

Saul.alverado@VA.gov

Make sure you check with your Pre-Registration Site for exact pick up times!

What items can I bring/not bring?

Please bring two sets of clothing (clothing will be handed out to you at East Bay Stand Down) just in case we do not have your size readily available. Please bring Identification if you have an I.D. (This will help you obtain certain services faster)

How will my medications be stored/handled?

Medications will be checked for Prescription and I.D. during the medical triage process at East Bay Stand Down. If you have Medication that needs to be refrigerated, East Bay Stand Down has refrigeration that will be secured and available for your medication storage needs.

What are the Rules/guidelines for stand down?

The East Bay Stand Down is a Four-day encampment, intended to assist homeless and/or at-risk Veterans and their family members.

If you use drugs (to include Medical Cannabis) or alcohol you will be asked to leave regardless of how you got to East Bay Stand Down! East Bay Stand Down is a drug and Alcohol free event... Please respect your fellow veterans struggle with sobriety.

You are expected to stay onsite during the entire event, including nights. There are no in-and-out privileges. Tents, cots and meals will be provided to you. You will not be allowed to come and sign up for services (such as Court or Legal), leave, and then return.

If you choose not to stay for the entire event, you must arrange for your own transportation home. If you leave early, you will not be allowed to take any gear obtained at Stand Down with you and will not be allowed to return for Court Services.

This is a 100% drug and alcohol-free event. All personal weapons and Drugs (to include POT), will be checked at the gate with Security and returned to you when you leave. East Bay Stand Down will not be responsible for theft or damage to Laptops, Tablets and other Electronic devices.

If I have a job interview and can't stay for the whole weekend, can I still come for the day?

No there are NO ins and outs

Are pets allowed, and what is their care and transportation plan?

PET STAND DOWN: While the Veterans are given a respite from the street, their pets will receive medical care, food, socializing and grooming. Pet care will be provided **off-site** during the Stand Down event. **Please advise participants that they will not have access to their pets once inside the Stand Down encampment!** Veterans must provide us with the number and type of animal (dog/cat) that will participate. Under "type" on the Eligibility Form please put (a) animal name, (b) species, (c) estimated weight, (d) and breed. All pets must be registered prior to Stand Down to reserve a space on the pet shuttles that will travel with each bus as needed. At check-in in Pleasanton all Veterans will briefly reunite with their pet and be asked about vaccinations and any medical conditions. **Please note that there are designated Pet Pick-Up sites**

What is the parking arrangement at Stand Down if I wish to transport myself?

There is a lot of Parking onsite, once inside the event you will not be able to have access to your car until the end of the four days.

You must be Pre-Registered Prior to the Event and starting your intake process by 1pm on Thursday September 13, 2018.

If I am a Wheelchair-Bound veteran, will I be able to get transportation to East Bay Stand Down?

Yes, you must obtain a bus pass during your pre-registration for East Bay Stand Down for one of these three pick-up sites. Must be pre-registered as a wheelchair bound veteran with Saul Alverado (415-221-4810 ext. 22999) Saul.alverado@VA.gov

Pick up day is September 13 and return is September 16th 2018

Martinez VA Outpatient Clinic

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Transportation for Wheelchair bound veterans is provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs if you have a Scooter you are asked to leave it where you Stay during the event.

What is the plan for CPAP machines?

If you have a CPAP/Bi PAP machine please alert the Stand Down Medical team during the Triage process. You will be assigned to the Medical Special needs tent.

Will I be able to charge my wheelchairs and cell phone that need charging during Stand down?

Electrical Charging stations will be available for charging Motorized Chair's.

Electrical phone charging stations spread throughout the encampment for your use.

Will showers be available?

Yes, Showers will be available for both Men and Women!

What is the plan for minor children who will be attending? Any special scheduled activities?

East Bay Stand Down welcomes Children and Dependents of Veterans. Children arts and craft activities are planned for Friday and Saturday of the event. Saturday night is Family Movie night, come out and enjoy a movie and Popcorn.

What is the plan for where minor children will stay who are attending Stand down with their Family Member?

East Bay Stand Down will be providing a separate living area for Dependents and children under the age of 14.

Who can I contact with questions that come up after I register (ie: "I just found out my kids will be with me that weekend, can I add them to my registration?" "Can I bring my girlfriend?")

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