



Veterans Transition Franchise Initiative

Serving Those Who Have Served America



Launched 10 years ago by the **International Franchise Association (IFA)**, the **Veterans Transition Franchise Initiative**, known as VetFran, was inspired by the late Don Dwyer, founder of The Dwyer Group. The Gulf War was underway and more than 100 members of the association stepped forward to express their patriotic gratitude by providing financial incentives that aided veterans in acquiring the franchise of their choice.

Again, our nation faces serious challenges and again, our veterans are returning from the front lines.



The association's board of directors re-invigorated the program in 2002 and charged a VetFran Task Force, chaired by Dina Dwyer-Owens, CFE, president and CEO of The Dwyer Group, to invite IFA members to join the roster of companies committed to thanking veterans once again for their dedication to our country.

Eligibility

All veterans of the U.S. Armed Services who were honorably discharged, are eligible for the VetFran program.

Supporting the Cause

To date, more than 200 companies have joined the effort and IFA has garnered the cooperation of the U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs, the U.S. Small Business Administration and the Veterans Corporation.

The participating IFA member companies listed within have agreed to help qualified veterans acquire franchise businesses by providing financial incentives not otherwise available to other franchise investors. You will get the "best deal" as a veteran.

Get the Details

For additional details about a VetFran participating company, and their "best deal" offer, visit the International Franchise Association's Web site www.franchise.org. Once there, click "VetFran Program" then "Franchisee Information." There you will find information about how the program is structured as well as an updated list of participating companies.

Each company name is hot-linked to allow you to obtain information and make direct contact. When you contact one of these companies, please check the box indicating that you are a veteran who qualifies for VetFran. To qualify, you must meet the franchise company's requirements in addition to being an honorably discharged veteran.



The International Franchise Association

The International Franchise Association (IFA) is the world's oldest and largest organization representing the community of franchising. Its members are franchisees, franchisors and suppliers.

The Destiny Group is a strategic partner with the International Franchise Association in the VetFran program. This partnership was created to take advantage of the outreach capabilities of The Destiny Group to promote VetFran to former military personnel.



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VetFran Program Participants

IFA is dedicated to helping “serve those who have served America” by committing to give back to our veterans, for their dedication to this country and helping to preserve our way of life. Franchise systems that have signed on include:

Veterans Franchise Initiative Web site Launched

IFA has launched a Web page dedicated to the VetFran program to enlist the participation of its members who can provide financial incentives to help veterans become franchised small-business owners. To view the page, visit www.franchise.org. There you'll find a growing list of IFA-member companies that have signed up to participate in the initiative.



@WORK Franchise, Inc.
 @WORK HelpingHands Services
 @Work Medical Services
 @WORK Personnel Services, Inc.
 1-800 Water Damage
 1-800-DRYCARPET
 1-800-DryClean, LLC
 1-800-GOT-JUNK?
 4Refuel Canada, LTD
 AAMCO Transmissions, Inc.
 ACTION International
 Advanced Maintenance
 AIM Mail Centers
 Aire Serv Heating & Air Conditioning
 All American Specialty Restaurants, Inc.
 Allegra Print & Imaging
 Alta Mere Window Tinting and Auto Alarms
 American Leak Detection, Inc.
 American Poolplayers Association
 American Ramp Systems
 AmeriSpec, Inc.
 Andy OnCall Franchising
 Armstrong McCall, LP
 ATL International, Inc.
 Bark Busters
 Baskin-Robbins Incorporated
 Batteries Plus
 Big O Tires, Inc.
 Brightscape Investment Centers, Inc.
 Budget Blinds, Inc.
 Camp Bow Wow
 Candy Bouquet International, Inc.

Captain D's Seafood
 Cardsmart Retail Corporation
 Cartridge World
 Case Handyman Services, LLC
 CGI International, Inc.
 Checkers Drive-In Restaurants, Inc.
 Child I.D. Franchise Corporation
 Children's Orchard, Inc.
 Cinnabon International Inc.
 Cleaning Authority, The
 CM IT Solutions
 Coffee Beanery, Ltd, The
 College Nannies & Tutors Development, Inc.
 Color Glo International
 ComForcare Senior Services, Inc.
 Comfort Keepers
 Computer Renaissance
 ComputerTots/Computer Explorers
 Concerto Networks, Inc.
 Cookies by Design, Inc.
 Coverall Cleaning Concepts
 Creative Colors International, Inc.
 Crestcom International Ltd.
 Critter Control, Inc.
 Cruise Holidays
 CruiseOne
 Daily Grind Unwind
 Doodycalls
 Dream Dinners, Inc.
 DreamMaker Bath & Kitchen by Worldwide
 Dunkin' Donuts, Inc.
 Dunn Bros Coffee
 Duraclean International Inc.

Edible Arrangements International, Inc.
 EnergyCraft Systems, Inc.
 Entrepreneur's Source, The
 EntryPoint
 Expense Reduction Analysts
 Expense Reduction Consulting
 Expetec Corporation
 Express Personnel Services
 ExxonMobil Corporation
 Fantastic Sams
 Fastframe USA, Inc.
 Figaro's Italian Pizza, Inc.
 Filta Group, Inc.
 Flicko's Video Workshop
 FOCUS Brands, Inc.
 Foot Solutions, Inc.
 Friendly Computers
 Furniture Medic, Inc.
 Geeks On Call America
 Glass Doctor
 Gold's Gym International
 Gotcha Covered Blinds
 Grins 2 Go
 Grout Doctor Global Franchise Corp.
 Growth Coach, the
 Gymboree Play & Music
 Handyman Connection
 Handyman Matters, Inc.
 Happy & Healthy Products, Inc.
 Happy Tails Dog Spa
 HMA Franchise Systems, Inc.
 HobbyTown USA
 Home Helpers
 Home Instead Senior Care
 HomeTask Handyman Service, Inc.
 HomeVestors of America, Inc.

Homewatch International, Inc.
 HoneyBaked Ham Company and Cafe
 i9 Sports
 Inspect-It 1st Property Inspection
 Instant Tax Service
 INTERIORS by Decorating Den
 Island Ink-Jet Systems Inc.
 Jet-Black International
 Juice It Up Franchise Corp.
 KidzArt
 Kitchen Tune-Up
 Kwik Kopy Business Centers
 Labor Finders International, Inc.
 Lawn Doctor, Inc.
 Learning Express, Inc.
 Lemon Tree Family Hair Salon
 Lentz USA Service Center, Inc.
 Liberty Tax Service
 Link Staffing Services
 Maggie Moo's International
 Maid Brigade, Inc.
 MaidPro, Inc.
 Marble Slab Creamery, Inc.
 Marco's Pizza
 Matco Tools
 Maui Wowi Franchising, Inc.
 Meineke Car Care Centers
 Merlin 200,000 Mile Shops
 Merry Maids, Inc.
 Midas International Corporation
 Mile High Karate, LLC
 Milex Tune-Up and Brakes
 Molly Maid, Inc.
 Money Mailer, LLC

MonitorClosely.com
 Moving Solutions Franchise, LLC
 Mr. Appliance
 Mr. Electric
 Mr. Handyman
 Mr. Rooter Plumbing
 Mr. Transmission
 MTO Cleaning Service
 Multistate Transmissions
 National Internet Corporation
 Nationwide Floor & Window Coverings
 Navis Logistics Network
 Netspace
 New York NY Fresh Deli
 Omni-Kleen Ltd.
 Online Outpost Licensing Corp.
 OpenWorks
 Our Town
 Out2.com
 Outdoor Lighting Perspectives
 OXXO Care Cleaners
 Painting Pros, The
 Pak Mail
 Papa Gino's, Inc. / D'Angelo Sandwich Shops
 Parcel Plus
 Pauls Professional Window Washing, Inc.
 Pet Butler
 Philly Franchising Company, The
 Pillar to Post, Inc.
 Pita Pit, Inc.
 Planet Beach Franchising Corporation
 Positive Changes Hypnosis
 Postal Connections
 PostalAnnex+, Inc.
 PostNet International Franchise Corporation
 Precision Tune Auto Care
 Proshred Franchising Corp.
 Purified Water To Go
 PuroSystems, Inc.
 Rainbow International
 Restoration and Cleaning
 Ritter's Frozen Custard
 Rolly Pollies International, Inc.
 Salad Creations of America

Sarah Adult Day Services
 SealMaster Franchise Group
 Sears Carpet & Air Duct Cleaning, Inc.
 Sell4Free Real Estate Systems, Inc.
 ServiceMaster Company, The
 Siegel Capital, LLC
 Signs Now
 Snelling Staffing Services
 Sparkle International, Inc.
 Spherion Corporation
 Spicy Pickle Franchising, LLC
 Sport Clips, Inc.
 Spring-Green Lawn Care Corp.
 Sunbelt Business Advisors
 Synergy HomeCare
 Talent Tree, Inc.
 TeamLogic IT
 Togo's Eatery - MTC Management, Inc.
 Total Car Franchising Corporation
 Travel Lines Express Franchise Group
 TruePresence, LLC
 TruFoods
 TSS Photography
 TurboHaul
 Two Men And A Truck International, Inc.
 UPS Store, The
 Valpak Direct Marketing
 Vanguard Cleaning Systems, Inc.
 Virginia Barbeque Franchise Company
 Vocelli Pizza
 We're Rolling Pretzel Company
 West Sanitation Services, Inc.
 WIN Home Inspection
 WineStyles, Inc.
 Winfree Systems, LLC
 Wing Zone Franchise Corporation
 Wireless Zone
 Woody's Chicago Style
 ZOUP! Systems
 * Selected states available.
 ** Non-Franchise