

The poster features a central text area with a list of VA programs. It is framed by decorative elements: a top-left corner with a '1' in a circle, a top-right corner with a portrait of George Washington, a bottom-left corner with a pyramid and the word 'NINTH', and a bottom-right corner with a portrait of Abraham Lincoln. The text 'Financial Distress? Struggling with Copays?' is arched across the top, and 'Loss of Job? Decreased Income?' is arched across the bottom. The Department of Veterans Affairs seal is centered at the bottom.

Financial Distress? Struggling with Copays?

VA has programs that can help you with your copay requirements!

- **Hardship**—If your income has recently changed, you may qualify for VA medical care without copays.
- **Repayment Plan**—You can establish a plan to spread your current health care debt over a specified period of time.
- **Compromise**—You can request a one-time monetary settlement eliminating your current health care debt.
- **Waiver**—You can request that your current copay debt be waived. If eligible for Beneficiary Travel you might also be able to eliminate the mileage reimbursement deductible.

For additional information and qualifications for these specific programs, contact your local VA Medical Center Enrollment Coordinator. You may also contact VA's health benefits service center toll-free at 1-877-222 VETS (8387) or visit our website at www.va.gov/healtheligibility

Loss of Job? Decreased Income?




Figure 1 – Financial Distress Poster