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## **Fortinet Veterans Program**

Transitioning the military community to careers in cybersecurity



As part of Fortinet's Education Outreach program, the Veterans' program helps facilitate the transition of military service members, veterans, and military spouses into the cybersecurity industry. Military veterans are by nature problem-solvers who understand the importance of maintaining a strong defense posture and following the chain of command when dealing with an active threat. These skills are essential to roles in cybersecurity and can be leveraged to begin a second career.

In some cases, individuals exiting the military might not have the required technical experience to enter into the industry. In these cases, the Fortinet Veterans program offers the required training and certifications these individuals need in order to be recognized for cyber positions. Fortinet has worked with over 3000+ veterans and military spouses to bridge this gap and assist in making a career transition outside of the military.

## **Veteran Program Benefits**

The Fortinet Veterans program has been updated to provide additional benefits to veterans and their spouses. This includes introducing a progressive pathway to Fortinet Certified Professional certification, providing access to Fortinet's new Networking Fundamentals course, and working more closely with partners who offer career development services for veterans.

Benefits include:

- Free online, self-paced cybersecurity training.
- Free hands-on, online labs to apply learning and gain knowledge.
- Free exam vouchers to gain industry recognized Fortinet Certified Professional certifications, as proof of cybersecurity knowledge and skills.\*
- Access to Fortinet Veteran program partner organizations which offer additional benefits:
  - IT training and certification
  - Career development services
  - Resume writing and interviewing skills development services
  - Access to veteran organization job boards

To take full advantage of additional career development services, and to best facilitate exam vouchers and lab access, it is recommended to enroll with one of our veteran organization partners. See list below.

\*Free exam vouchers and labs apply to active and ex-military transitioning into the cybersecurity industry, as well as military spouses.



For more information: www.fortinet.com/training/veterans-program