

The Caring Place..... for those touched by cancer

3711 E. Sunset, LV, NV 89120

The Caring Place was created to empower individuals, children and families on their journey with cancer, in order to enhance their quality of life. Our programs are not a replacement for medical treatment, but instead a way to enhance your life while you undergo treatment. The Caring Place is an oasis, away from medical facilities, for healing the mind, body and soul of those directly or indirectly "touched by cancer." A community-based nonprofit organization, we offer support, education and information free of charge as a complement to medical treatment for cancer patients, their families, friends and caregivers. All classes are free and reservations are required. Schedules/classes can change. Please Call: 702-871-7333.

Activities Include:

- Healing Yoga
- Exercise Training
- Vision Board

The Caring Place is always looking for other volunteers to provide services or programs, or volunteering of any kind. Contact them 871-7333

Support Groups:

- Multiple Myeloma Group
- Cancer Support Group
- Breast Cancer Group
- CHAMPS Men Group
- WECARE Women's Group

Special Events:

Look Good, Feel Better

Individual Sessions:

- Reiki, Healing Touch
- Craniosacral Therapy
- Reflexology
- Energy Balancing
- Massage

New address:

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Las Vegas, NV 89120**

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You can find it at www.socialsecurity.gov/woundedwarriors.

The Wounded Warriors website answers many commonly asked questions, and shares other useful information about disability benefits, including how veterans can receive expedited processing of disability claims. Benefits available through Social Security are different than those from the Department of Veterans Affairs and require a separate application.

The expedited process is used for military service members who become disabled while on active military service on or after October 1, 2001, regardless of where the disability occurs.

Even active duty military who continue to receive pay while in a hospital or on medical leave should consider applying for disability benefits if they're unable to work due to a disabling condition. Active duty status and receipt of military pay doesn't necessarily prevent payment of Social Security disability benefits. Although a person can't receive Social Security disability benefits while engaging in substantial work for pay or profit, receipt of military payments should never stop someone from applying for disability benefits from Social Security.

Social Security honors veterans and active duty members of the military every day by giving them the respect they deserve. Let these heroes know they can count on us when they need to take advantage of their earned benefits. Our webpages are easy to share on social media and by email with your friends and family.

Seasonal work while getting social security

Many people pick up side jobs when the holiday shopping season comes around. It's a good way for you to make some extra income during the busy season or ease back into working if you have been out of the labor force

for a while. We're here to help you navigate working seasonally if you get Social Security.

You can get Social Security retirement or survivors benefits and work at the same time. But if you're younger than full retirement age and earn more than certain amounts, your benefits will be reduced, although not dollar for dollar. Your benefits may increase when you reach full retirement age. You can read more about working while retired at www.socialsecurity.gov/planners/retire/whileworking.html.

If you receive Social Security disability benefits or Supplemental Security Income (SSI), special rules also make it possible for people to work and still receive monthly payments. If you want to try working again, seasonal work may help you ease back into the workforce. Read Working While Disabled at www.socialsecurity.gov/pubs/EN-05-10095.pdf or visit our Ticket to Work website at <https://choosework.ssa.gov> for more information.

We also have an easy-to-share video introducing people to Ticket to Work at choosework.ssa.gov/library/meet-ben-an-introduction-to-ticket-to-work.

Keep in mind that you must report all earnings, including your seasonal earnings, to Social Security. Your earnings also count toward your future benefits. You earn Social Security credits when you work in a job and pay Social Security taxes. We use your total yearly earnings to figure your Social Security credits. You can learn more at www.socialsecurity.gov/pubs/EN-05-10072.pdf.

Having a job can bring positive change to your life in a number of ways, providing independence, fulfillment, and community involvement. Social Security is here to help. Please share this information with friends and family.



The Caring Place and the Nevada Childhood Cancer Foundation have partnered together in our community.

These great organizations have combined their services to help both children & adults who have been touched by cancer.

**Contact them directly to get more information.
NCCF at 702.735.8434**