



**THE SALVATION ARMY**  
**VETERANS  
OUTREACH  
CENTER**  
**PEORIA, ILLINOIS**

The Veterans Outreach Center, located at 416 NE Jefferson in downtown Peoria, opened in 2011 by a Peoria Veteran and long-time Salvation Army volunteer, Bob Johnson, in honor of his deceased stepson, Kyle Harrell, who was a Marine Veteran.

**While much has been done to combat homelessness amongst veterans, there are still an estimated 8% of veterans battling homelessness in Illinois.**

 **In 2019, The Salvation Army assisted 521 Veterans.**

The need is there in our community. We are proud to be able to offer a hand up to these brave men and women in their time of need.

At the Veterans Outreach Center, we offer Supportive Services for Veteran Families, which provides assistance to Homeless Veterans and those who are at risk of being homeless.



Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) operates out of 8 different locations throughout the Central Illinois area, in conjunction with The Salvation Army.

**SSVF Staff provide case management and referrals to other VA Services, as well as referrals to Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services.**

Many Veterans who come into the Veterans Outreach Center are seeking not only services, but also encouragement and support, as well as assistance using the computers located in the lobby.

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