



Veteran and Family
Wellbeing Agency



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Program

Veteran Employment Advisory Committee meeting – 28 July 2026

The Veteran Employment Advisory Committee (the Committee) met online on Tuesday 28 July 2026.

The Committee received an update on the commencement of the Veteran and Family Wellbeing Agency (VFWA) and its role in supporting improved wellbeing, service coordination and transition outcomes for veterans and families. Members discussed opportunities to strengthen collaboration across government and community organisations to improve support pathways for veterans and their families.

The Committee considered updates from two working groups established in March 2026 to examine pathways into trade occupations, and regional and rural employment opportunities.

Members discussed potential practical measures that could improve employment outcomes for veterans. This included consideration of transition support, employer engagement, workforce participation challenges and opportunities to better recognise and utilise the skills and experience gained through military service.

The Committee also considered the proposed approach to reassessing organisations participating in the Veteran Employment Commitment at the end of their initial three-year term. Members supported maintaining program integrity while seeking to minimise the administrative burden for participating organisations.