



## **2024 HIRE Vets Medallion Award Criteria**

REQUIREMENTS	LARGE EMPLOYER AWARDS (500+ Employees)		MEDIUM EMPLOYER AWARDS (51-499 Employees)		SMALL EMPLOYER AWARDS (1-50 Employees)	
	Platinum	Gold	Platinum	Gold	Platinum	Gold
Retention (Vets hired during CY 2022)	Not less than 85% of Vets hired retained for 12 months	Not less than 75% of Vets hired retained for 12 months	Not less than 85% of Vets hired retained for 12 months AND	Not less than 75% of Vets hired retained for 12 months AND	Not less than 85% of Vets hired retained for 12 months AND	Not less than 75% of Vets hired retained for 12 months AND
Veteran Employee Percentage (Vets employed on 31 Dec. of CY 2023)	N/A	N/A	At least 10% of employees are Vets	At least 7% of employees are Vets	At least 10% of employees are Vets	At least 7% of employees are Vets
Veteran Organization or Resource Group	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023		Satisfy 2 of 5	N/A
Leadership Program	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023	Must be established and exist by 31 Dec. 2023	Satisfy 1 of 2		N/A
Dedicated HR Professional (large) or HR Veterans' Initiative (medium/small)	Must be targeted to veteran employees	N/A		N/A		N/A
Pay Differential Program	Must be provided	N/A	Satisfy 1 of 3	N/A		N/A
Tuition Assistance Program	Must be available	N/A		N/A		N/A
Labor Law Violations	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120	Must not have any of the violations identified in 20 CFR § 1011.120
Application Fee	\$495.00	\$495.00	\$190.00	\$190.00	\$90.00	\$90.00

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The above is a brief overview of the criteria needed to qualify to receive a HIRE Vets Medallion Award. For a detailed explanation, please visit HIREVets.gov and view the Final Rule for the program.

