

BRAINFUSE JOBNow & VETNow

ONLINE RESOURCE FOR CAREER AND
VETERAN SERVICES FROM THE STATE LIBRARY

Brainfuse is the new online resource provider for career services, test prep, and software tutorials for Iowa public and academic libraries and IowaWorks Centers.

The State Library of Iowa facilitates the Brainfuse contract from an existing appropriation to Iowa Workforce Development. This appropriation allows these valuable and in-demand resources to be available to all Iowans at their public and academic libraries or IowaWorks Centers.

If libraries were responsible for purchasing these resources on their own, they would collectively pay twice the contracted amount. The \$2,000 minimum per library would make the cost prohibitive for most libraries in Iowa.

These online resources are one way the State Library strives to fulfill its mission to expand information access to Iowans.



All Iowans have access to JobNow and VetNow through their local public or academic library website, or at IowaWorks Centers.

Free online expert help for job seekers, veterans, and their families



JOBNow FEATURES

Live Interview Coaching: Brush up on interview techniques or get live online interview practice from trained job coaches with 24/7 access to interview tips and career resources.

Resume Lab: Submit your resume any time through the JobNow Resume Lab and a job coach will send it back within 24 hours with detailed feedback and suggestions for improvement. Access resume templates, or browse resources for producing better resumes.

Career Resources: Enjoy 24/7 access to a carefully-selected library of job resources. In addition, Brainfuse job coaches help strategically target jobs best suited to your interests and qualifications.

Adult Learning Center: Access foundational, career-enhancing skills to job seekers. In addition, test preparation and a unique academic skills center featuring live, online tutors are available.

VETNow FEATURES

Live Online Navigators: VetNow Navigators are trained to help veterans and families connect with valuable benefits and resources and can answer questions related to benefits eligibility, refer patrons to applicable community resources, and assist patrons with locating accredited claims agents.

Job Tools: Designed to help with all stages of the job hunting process, the VetNow Job Tools feature career coaching, expert resume assistance, live interview preparation, and more.

College Skills: Users build academic skills and prepare for college with VetNow's array of tools, including interaction with live tutors in a wide range of college level subjects, live skills tutoring and an extensive library of lessons, video tutorials, and practice tests, and more.



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