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## Crow Agency by Appointment Only

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The key to any benefit from the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is the discharge papers or DD 214. If you still have your original, please record it at your local courthouse and let your family know.

There are certain instances, where the VA needs to have information on your current dependents (spouse, children, etc.) and your past dependents, such as your ex-wife or husband. There may be a need for current marriage licenses, divorce decrees, birth certificates for veterans and divorce decrees for any past marriages of your spouse.

The VA rules and regulations change all the time. Be sure to check with resources such as the Mobile Vet Center Van, Montana Veterans Affairs, American Legion, Disabled American Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars, the VA website: <u>www.va.gov</u>, or talk to friends who use the VA. For more information call: (406) 248-8579 or send an email to: lberge@mt.gov