

Service & Activities Fee Base Funding Request Form

Veterans Center

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2026-2029 Service & Activities Fee Base Funding Request Form

Program/Department Name

Veterans Center

Program Manager

Ruben Cardenas

Do you currently receive S&A Base Funding?

Yes

How does the program support the University's Vision and Mission?

<https://www.cwu.edu/about/mission-vision/>

The Veterans Center at CWU aligns with the University's Vision and Mission by fostering equity, belonging, and success for student veterans, service members, and their families. Below is how it supports the University's goals: Alignment with CWU's Vision: • Equity and Belonging: The Veterans Center builds a sense of community by focusing on the unique needs and experiences of veterans and their families. Through advocacy and exemplary services, it creates an inclusive environment where our students feel supported and valued. Alignment with CWU's Mission: • Culturally Sustaining Practices: By offering targeted programs, outreach, and awareness efforts, the Veterans Center ensures that the unique cultural and life experiences of veterans, service members, and their families are acknowledged and celebrated, supporting their educational success. • Expanding Access and Success: The Center provides resources and assistance, such as guidance on funding options and programming tailored to the military-connected community, helping to remove barriers to education and ensure their success. • High-Impact Practices: Through innovative support services and outreach efforts, the Veterans Center engages students in meaningful activities that contribute to their academic and personal growth. • Authentic Community Partnerships: The Center collaborates with local and national organizations to provide additional resources and opportunities, strengthening the connection between CWU and the broader veteran community. In essence, the Veterans Center embodies CWU's commitment to creating a learning community where every student can thrive by addressing the specific needs of veterans and their families. Through targeted support and innovative programming, it enhances the university's mission of equity, belonging, and sustainable success.

How does your request support current CWU students?

see attached word document.

What metrics or assessment do you have (or intend to have) to measure the success of your program?

see attached word document.

Is this program associated with enrollment in academic course or academic credit?

No

Identify your S&A funding category?

Support Costs for Student Activities & Programs

Did any organizational changes occur in your previous quadrennial in comparison to this quadrennial ask?

No

Current Annual Report*

Submit Base Funding Budget Form and Organizational Chart*

located: <https://www.cwu.edu/about/offices/services-activities/resources/index.php>

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Additional Documents (optional)*