



Orting Veterans Village Eligibility

Eligibility criteria for residency at the village are:

- A single adult 18 or older, who is currently homeless in Pierce County.
- Has veteran status and has not received a bad conduct discharge.
- No sex offender status.
- Income at or below 50% of the area median income.
- In addition, the Pierce County Housing Authority's criteria for Section 8 voucher applicants apply (no manufacturing meth conviction, violent crime within the past 12 months).
- Must pass a urine analysis test (UA). The Orting Veterans Village provides Recovery Housing and a clean and sober living environment. It is also on the Washington Department of Veteran Affairs Soldier's Home Campus, which is a drug-free campus.
- Quixote Communities has a goal of providing at least 40% of its housing for female or gender non-conforming residents. However, if there are not sufficient qualified applicants to satisfy this goal, housing will be provided to the next qualified male applicant.
- Quixote Communities prioritizes homeless veterans living in Orting.
- Quixote Communities reserves the right to refuse admittance to anyone who's physical and/or mental disabilities are beyond the ability of village staff capacity.

About the Orting Veterans Village:

The nonprofit Quixote Communities owns and manages the Orting Veterans Village. It is located in Orting on the Washington Department of Veterans Affairs' Soldiers Home Campus. The village has 35 fully furnished tiny homes. The tiny homes are permanent housing and have electricity and plumbing (shower, toilet, sink). The kitchen and laundry facilities are shared in the large community center. The village is best for folks who are wanting to live in a community setting. There are staff to help and support residents with their goals and needs. Orting is a quiet and serene rural town with a population of 8,000. There is no public transportation, however there is a village van. For more information, please check out our website at: www.quixotecomunities.org.