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## **VyStar Partners with US Army to Support Employment Opportunities Through PaYS Program**

**Jacksonville, Florida** — VyStar Credit Union has signed a partnership agreement to participate in the United States Army's Partnership for Your Success (PaYS) Program, which provides employment opportunities to soldiers as they transition into civilian life. Representatives from VyStar and the U.S. Army held a ceremony to celebrate their partnership on Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the credit union's headquarters in downtown Jacksonville.

"We are proud to partner with the Army to create meaningful career opportunities for the brave men and women who have served our country," said VyStar President/CEO Brian Wolfburg. "These individuals are proven leaders and uphold the values that are important to our credit union. Becoming a PaYS partner aligns with our commitment to supporting our troops and amplifies those efforts."

The PaYS Program establishes a strategic partnership between the U.S. Army and a cross section of corporations, companies and public sector agencies. As a PaYS partner, VyStar is agreeing to guarantee an interview and possible employment to soldiers and veterans. This enables VyStar to live out its purpose to Do Good and honor its heritage as a credit union founded at Naval Air Station Jacksonville.

VyStar offers all employees a robust benefits package, which includes paid time off, medical/dental insurance and 401(k) with company match. Other benefits include parental/family care leave, child adoption assistance, student loan payoff stipends, upfront tuition assistance and paid time off for volunteering. For its military employees, VyStar offers participation in a military-focused employee resource group, flexible benefits including military leave, and much more.

Due in part to these benefits, VyStar was recently recognized as a 2023 Military Friendly<sup>®</sup> Employer and Military Friendly<sup>®</sup> Spouse Employer by VIQTORY. Earlier this year, VyStar was also named a Best Place to Work by the Jacksonville Business Journal.

In addition to employee benefits, VyStar also has programs built for military members. That includes the [Military Heroes Mortgage Program](#) and military-themed debit cards. VyStar also works with numerous nonprofit organizations that support military members. In 2021, VyStar donated over \$800,000 to military initiatives. Learn more about VyStar's [military support](#).

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*VyStar Credit Union is the second-largest credit union headquartered in Florida and now serves over 840,000 members with assets of over \$13 billion. VyStar is the largest mortgage lender in Northeast Florida and a major employer in the region with over 2,000 employees. VyStar membership is open to everyone who lives or works in the 49 contiguous counties of Central to North Florida, 26 Georgia counties, and past and present military members and their families all over the world. For more information, visit [vystarcu.org](http://vystarcu.org), and follow us on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#).*

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