

About FDVA

Watching over and advocating for Florida's more than 1.5 million veterans are the men and women of the Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs. The cabinet agency is responsible for assisting, without charge, Florida's veterans, their families and survivors in improving their health and economic well-being through quality benefit information, advocacy and education.

FDVA's two primary program areas include Benefits and Assistance with staff conducting outreach throughout the state to help veterans connect with their earned benefits and services. Its second primary program is operating the Homes Program running six skilled nursing facilities and one assisted living facility.



"Our goal is to help our residents reach and maintain their highest functioning levels by promoting self-confidence and independence. We do this through enrichment programs that engage their creativity and encourage expression through dance, crafts and other social activities."

Larry Militello

Home Administrator

Alexander "Sandy" Nininger State Veterans' Nursing Home

Alexander "Sandy" Nininger State Veterans' Nursing Home Pembroke Pines, Florida



Our Locations



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Honoring those who served U.S.

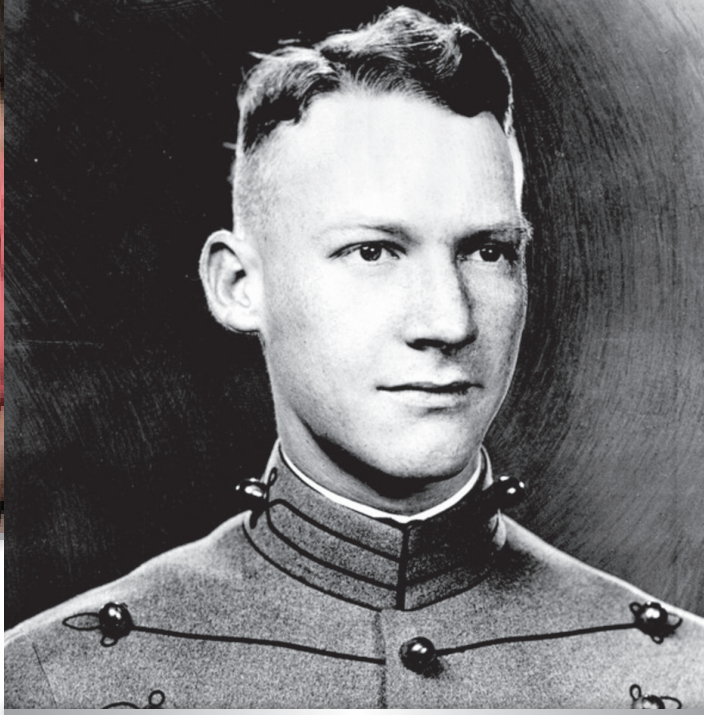


Who We Are

The Alexander “Sandy” Nining State Veterans’ Nursing Home in Pembroke Pines is a 120-bed facility staffed with skilled nurses who are trained to accommodate all residents, including specialized care for residents with Alzheimer’s disease and other dementias.

Rated a five-star nursing home by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the home provides a nurturing and secure environment and offers support to veterans who require long-term care due to chronic health conditions or injuries. Services include medication management, various therapies and meal preparation.

The facility heightens each patient’s stay by providing a number of entertainment and recreational options. Activities include board game competitions, scheduled excursions and community events, making Nining a friendly environment for spending time with other residents, family and friends.



World War II Medal of Honor Recipient Alexander “Sandy” Nining

The Alexander “Sandy” Nining State Veterans’ Nursing Home is named in recognition of Second Lieutenant Alexander “Sandy” Nining, who charged through Japanese lines to lead an assault on enemy positions during Japan’s invasion of the Philippines. He was killed in the assault, and became the first American soldier in World War II awarded the Medal of Honor for his valiant efforts.

Admission

Basic admission requirements include an honorable discharge from the Armed Forces, Florida residency at the time of application and a medical review and certification of need of skilled nursing care as determined by a physician. For additional information call (954) 985-4824.

What We Offer

- 120 beds, with both private and semi-private rooms
- Semi-private screened porches
- Cable television in every room
- Daily housekeeping and laundry services
- Restaurant-style dining
- U.S. Postal Service box and daily delivery
- Extensive in-house library
- Complete in-house pharmacy service
- Barber and beautician services
- Daily activities and field trips
- Small in-house banking service available



Supporting the Home

Your purchase of the Florida Salutes Veterans or one of the approved Army, Navy, Air Force or Coast Guard license plates helps people who need it most, when they need it most.

The \$15 surcharge is placed into a trust fund for the operation and maintenance of State Veterans’ Homes in Florida. A portion of the Marine Corps and Support Our Troops license plates also support the State Veterans’ Homes program.



Job Vacancy Announcements

To view a current listing of staff vacancies at the nursing home, log onto People First at peoplefirst.myflorida.com and apply online! A State of Florida application is required.