

Candidates eligible for Individual Placement and Support program are Veterans receiving treatment from mental health programs, such as:

- Mental Health Intensive Case Management (MHICM)
- Psychosocial Rehabilitation and Recovery Center (PRRC)
- Veterans with Serious Mental Illness (SMI)

Eligibility is based on a serious mental illness including the following diagnoses:

- Unspecified dementia
- Organic amnesic syndrome, not induced by alcohol and other psychoactive substances
- Delirium, not induced by alcohol and other psychoactive substances
- Organic delusional [schizophrenia-like] disorder
- Other specified mental disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction and to physical disease
- Unspecified organic or symptomatic mental disorder
- Other schizophrenia
- Delusional disorder
- Acute polymorphic psychotic disorder without symptoms of schizophrenia
- Acute polymorphic psychotic disorder with symptoms of schizophrenia
- Acute schizophrenia-like psychotic disorder
- Other acute predominantly delusional psychotic disorders
- Acute and transient psychotic disorder, unspecified
- Schizoaffective disorder, manic type
- Schizoaffective disorder, depressive type

- Schizoaffective disorder, mixed type
- Schizoaffective disorder, unspecified
- Other nonorganic psychotic disorders
- Unspecified nonorganic psychosis
- Bipolar affective disorder
- Severe depressive episode with psychotic symptoms
- Recurrent depressive disorder, current episode severe without psychotic symptoms
- Recurrent depressive disorder, current episode severe with psychotic symptoms
- Unspecified mood [affective] disorder
- Dissociative [conversion] disorders
- Severe mental and behavioral disorders associated with the puerperium, not elsewhere classified
- Paranoid personality disorder
- Childhood autism
- Atypical autism

Or those who need the intensive supports of IPS because of:

- Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI),
- Spinal Cord Injury (SCI), or
- Post-traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD).