



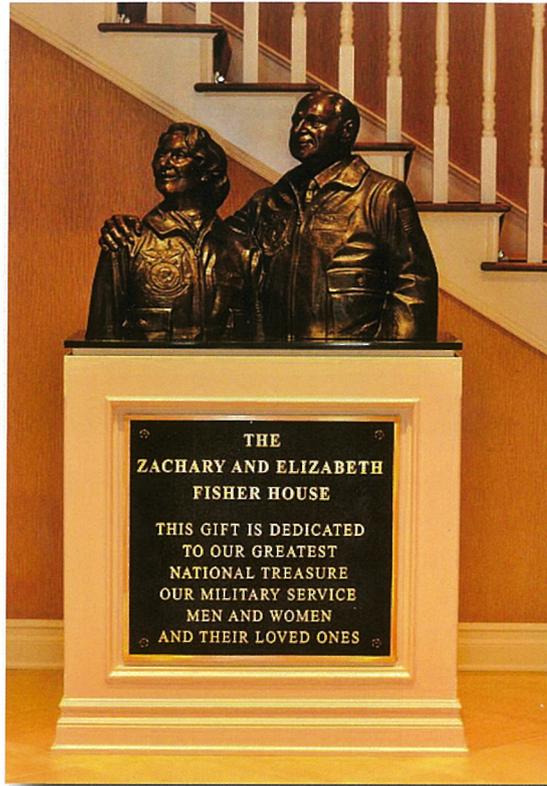
Chief Kenton Stacy, U.S. Navy, was presented the Bronze Star for his actions during his meritorious service while deployed in Syria. Kenton's wife and Fisher House Houston guest, Lindsey, was at his side for the presentation ceremony at TIRR Memorial Herman rehabilitation hospital in Houston, Texas. (June, 2018)

Since its inception, the program has saved military and Veterans' families an estimated \$360 million in out of pocket living expenses and transportation. The Fisher House Foundation, Inc. builds the Homes that are then given to the U.S. Government as gifts. The Foundation also assists in the coordination of private support (such as Fisher House Friends of Houston) and encourages public support in their capital fundraising program.

Founder Zachary Fisher's vision continues to grow and the program that he began more than 25 years ago recognizes the special sacrifices made by our men and women in uniform, and the hardships on their families.

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*As always, a family's love is good medicine.*



This brochure was underwritten by FISHER HOUSE FRIENDS OF HOUSTON a 501(c)3 not for profit charity. Our mission is to raise funds and donations that augment goods and services for visiting military families during their stay at the Fisher Houses of Houston.

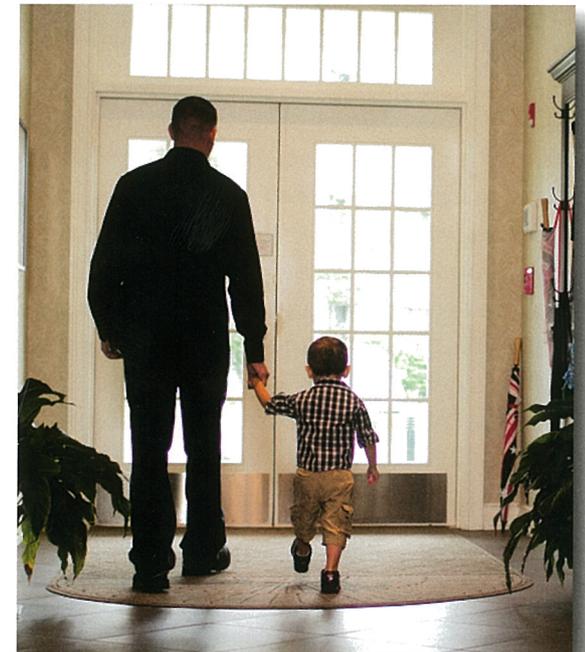
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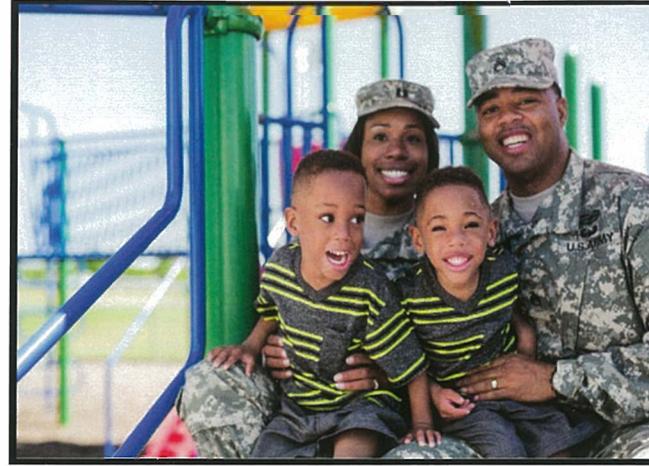
## Basic Criteria for Fisher House Lodging Consideration



### HOUSTON FISHER HOUSES

The Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center (MEDVAMC) in Houston is the only VA Center to have three Fisher Houses, serving the growing needs of Veterans and military personnel throughout the city's vast medical complexes. There is no cost to an eligible family to stay at Fisher House.

Each of our Fisher Houses features 20 private bedrooms and baths. Communal areas include a modern kitchen, spacious dining room, living room/library, playroom and laundry facilities. Transportation is provided to shuttle guests from the Houses to the MEDVAMC. Other amenities include business centers, Wi-Fi, cable TV and linen services. Whenever possible, we also offer donated lunches and dinners for our guests. Exteriors include patios, picnic/barbecue areas and manicured landscapes. Average stays are 9 to 14 days. To date, we have accommodated over 15,000 families at a savings of more than \$12,240,000 in lodging expenses.



- Lodging is for families of honorably discharged Veterans (V) and active duty military (AD)
- Guests must live more than 50 miles from the MEDVAMC
- Maximum of 3 adults per room
- Only one room per V or AD
- Service animals are allowed, only to person staying in Fisher House (comfort animals are not allowed)
- Not all contingencies are noted here; for additional guidance or clarification, please contact our Fisher Houses at the numbers below:

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*The above photo shows United Airlines employees who built a BBQ grill for the Fisher Houses, then delivered and installed it. They are pictured with Frank Kelley, Fisher Houses Manager. Many thanks to these dedicated Veterans and employees of United Airlines Welding Department.*

### ABOUT FISHER HOUSE FOUNDATION, INC

Fisher House Foundation is a network of comfort homes where military and Veterans' families can stay at no cost while a loved one is receiving treatment. These homes are located at major military and VA centers nationwide and in Europe.

