



## AMVETS AUXILIARY OFFICIAL UNIFORM GUIDE AND MORE

### ARTICLE IX. OFFICIAL UNIFORMS

**SECTION 1:** AMVETS National Ladies Auxiliary recognizes the official uniform as an A-line forest green dress, an A-line forest green skirt, or tailored forest green slacks. Dress to have a jewel neckline. White or gold jewel neckline blouse may be worn with either the skirt or slacks. The dress and skirt should be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee and no longer than 4 inches below the knee. White blazer with large Auxiliary patch on left breast. Black shoes with a **closed heel and toe**, heel should not be higher than 2 inches. Black handbag, white gloves, and official Ladies Auxiliary hat. Pearl earrings and single strand pearl necklace, or Auxiliary necklace and earrings will be acceptable. White shoes/purse may be worn from April until Labor Day.

You can also purchase hat accessories, protective hat bag, white gloves and more on the Quartermaster web site.



Local

District

State

National

### OFFICIAL HAT

Auxiliary hats are obtained on order forms provided by AMVETS National Quartermaster and members are asked to observe all information therein. If a member is wearing their Official hat, it is appropriate to wear the hat representing the highest office held throughout the course of their auxiliary membership.

#### Hat colors:

- Members & Local Officers: Forest green with gold braid and gold letters
- District Officers: White crown with green band and gold letters
- Department Officers: White with green braid and green letters
- National Officers: White with gold braid and gold letters

#### The following specifications have been established for Auxiliary hat:

- Members and Local Officers' hats: Left side - Emblem and Name of Department. Front right-side Auxiliary number (no lettering) and Office one-inch below the braid The year ½-inch below the office.
- District Officers' hats: Left side Emblem and District Front Department Right side Office 1-inch below the braid The year ½-inch below the office
- For Department Officers' hats: Left side Emblem and name of Department Right side Office 1-inch below the braid The year ½-inch below the office
- For National Officers' hats: Left side - Emblem (no lettering) Right side - Office 1-inch below the braid The year ½-inch below the office

**The following specifications apply to lettering:**

There can be no abbreviations except for "PRO", "VAVS" and "NEC" Only the office may be used. For example: "President" – *not* "Department President" or "Local President."

If a member chooses to include their life membership status on their official hat, it should be embroidered on the left side of the hat above the name of the Department. Also, If a member chooses to include their name on their official hat, it should be embroidered on the right side of the hat above the office held.

The only pins to be worn on the official hat will be those that are earned, i.e., hospital pin, blood donor pin.

**AS OF FALL 2019**

***\*Suggestions on purchases: White Jackets and white blouse (Dress T's) are usually sold in stores and on-line catalogs during the Spring and Summer months. Green Pants are a fall and winter color. Always check with the sale page on catalogs. There are various shades of green. Use your discretion but try to get as close to the color as possible. Names of color vary - Forest Night, Hunter, Midnight Pine, etc.***

**Uniform Pants: Mailed and On-Line Catalog**

**Old Pueblo Traders: 1 800 362 8410**

Koret Contor Pants - Item # P02917 Color: Forest Night; Petites 6p-20p; Misses 8-20 Women's 16W-26-W. Contoured stretch fabric with comfort waistband Prices: \$29.99 - \$39.99

**Blair Fall 2019 : 1-800 458-2000**

Alfred Dunner Classic Pants Elastic Waist with slant pockets U6G-B12261 Color: Mallard #0839 Petites 6p-18p ; Misses 8 - 20; Women's 16W - 24 W Prices: \$34.99 to 41.99

**Haband Fall 2019: 1 - 800- 742-2263**

No Iron Poplin Pants - Stretch waistband, pockets soft woven polyester - Item #A2G7 Color: Evergreen #(CF) Misses 8A-20A; Petite 8p-20P; Women 20-WA to 26-WA; and Women Petite 20WP to 26-WP Prices: \$12.99 (Buy two \$9.99 each) or \$16.99 (Buy two \$13.99 each) (NOTE: Great item for ladies who wear a women size who need petites!)

Worsterwarm Wool without the itch or costly dry-cleaning pull on elastic waist never binds or bunches; Item #A1BAX Misses: 8A-20-A; Color: Alpine #(PY) Petite: 8p - 20 p; Women's 20-WA - 26WA; Women Petite 20-WP - 26 W Prices: \$14.99 to 18.99

Alfred Dunner Sophisticated Comfort Class Pants Pull on wait two pockets Item #A363B Color: Hunter #(BD) Misses 8A - 20A; Petite 6P- 18P; Women: 16WA - 24WA; Women's petite; 16 WP - 24WP; Prices: \$25.99 to \$31.99

## Uniform Jackets Mailed or On-Line Catalogs

**Blair Fall 2019: 1-800- 458-2000**

Elisabeth Williams Fully Lined Blazer Item #U6G-604424 color: Winter White #0393; Sizes: Misses, S, M, L \$26.99 or 2 for \$22.99 ea. Petites: PS, PM, PL; \$26.99 or 2 for \$22.99 ea.; Women's XL, 2XL, 3XL \$33.99 or 2 for \$29.99 ea; WMS Petite: PXL, P2XL \$33.99 or 2 for \$29.99 ea.

**Old Pueblo Traders: 1-800-362-8410**

Millennium Stretch Blazer by Emaline Item #P01449 Misses 8-16 only Color White \$54.99

**NOTE: Macy's, JC Penney's; Kohls, Dillard's etc., are good sources to find new white jackets; don't forget to check local thrift stores.**

### **What NOT to Wear!**

#### **Pants:**



Leggings



Palazzo Pants



Sweats



Skinny Jeans/Denim

#### **Jackets:**

ONTINVA



Double Breasted,



Wrap



Poplin style



Embellished

#### **Blouse:**



Collar/Buttons



Lace



Pheasant



Ruffle/Bows