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VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization

Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 12/31/11):	3.38 M
Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 12/31/11):	330,749
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 12/31/11):	309,127
Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 12/31/11):	335,758
Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 11):	8.574 M¹
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 11):	6.166 M¹
Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 12/31/11):	487,355
Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 12/31/11):	290,042
Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 11):	923,836
Number of Life Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 12/31/11):	7.13 M
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Number of VA Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Trainees (FY 11):	60,294
Number of Active VA Home Loan Participants (as of 12/31/11):	1.60 M
Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 11):	116,794
Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 01/01/12):	1,421²

Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VBA Office of Performance Analysis & Integrity; ¹ VHA (10A5); ² DoD

Veterans Demographics

Projected U.S. Veterans Population:	22,234,000	{Female 1,854,000 8%}
Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans (as of 9/30/2011):		1,711,000
Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:		740
Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:		42.1%
Veteran Population by Race:	White 78.7%	Black 11.6%
	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.5%	Hispanic 6.0%
	American Indian/Alaska Natives 0.9%	Other 1.3%

About VA

Number of VA Employees in Pay Status:	317,106
Number of VA Hospitals:	152
Number of VA Community-Based Outpatient Clinics:	802
Number of VA Vet Centers:	293
Number of VBA Regional Offices:	56
Number of VA National Cemeteries:	131

	FY10 Appropriations (actual)¹	FY11 Appropriations (actual)¹	FY12 Appropriations (estimated)¹
VA:	\$127.0B⁴	\$125.5B⁴	\$127B
VHA:	\$47.9B²	\$51.5B²	\$54B²
VBA-GOE:	\$1.69B³	\$2.13B³	\$2.01B³
NCA:	\$250M	\$249.5M	\$251M
OIT:	\$3.31B	\$2.99B	\$3.10B

Produced by the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics
 Source: Veteran Population as of 09/30/11; VA Employ Pay Status Count 12/31/11; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 12/31/11; NCA as of 12/31/11; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY11 ; ¹ Includes MCCF; ² Medical Care w/ MCCF and medical research; ³ Discretionary Spending Only; ⁴ Includes funding from the Economic Recovery Act