

VA Pocket Card

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VA Pocket Cards, created by VA's National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, are a compilation of facts related to the number of Veterans receiving VA benefits and utilizing VA health care. Additionally, the pocket card provides Veteran demographics, including the current projection of Veteran population complete with percentages relating to race and ethnicity. The number of VA employees and the number of VA facilities are also provided. Finally, a three-year budget is provided for the entire VA and broken out by the three VA Administrations: the Veterans Health Administration, the Veterans Benefits Administration, and the National Cemetery Administration. Please refer to <http://www.va.gov/vetdata/pocketcard/index.asp> for updated versions each fiscal year.

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 VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization		
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 09/30/14):		3.95 M
Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 09/30/14):		439,461
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 09/30/14):		304,579
Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 09/30/14):		364,946
Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 13):		8.92 M ¹
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 13):		6.48 M ¹
Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 09/30/14):		722,044
Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 09/30/14):		326,688
Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 14):		1.09 M
Number of Life Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 09/30/14):		6.59 M
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Number of Veterans Receiving Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Benefits (FY 14):		99,839
Number of Active VA Home Loan Participants (as of 09/30/14):		2.14 M
Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 13):		118,799
Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 12/01/14):		1,652 ²
<small>Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VBA Office of Performance Analysis & Integrity; ¹VHA (10A5); ² DoD. Produced by the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics.</small>		
Veterans Demographics		
Projected U.S. Veterans Population:	21,999,000	{Female 2,020,000 9%}
Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans (as of 9/30/2014):		1,017,000
Estimated Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:		514
Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:		45.23%
Veteran Population by Race:	White 82.3%	Black 12.2%
	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.6%	Other 3.2%
	American Indian/Alaska Natives 0.8%	Hispanic 6.8%
About VA		
Number of VA Employees in Pay Status:		347,883
Number of Full Time VA Employees:		321,378
Number of VA Hospitals:		150
Number of VA Community-Based Outpatient Clinics:		819
Number of VA Vet Centers:		300
Number of VBA Regional Offices:		56
Number of VA National Cemeteries:		131
FY13 Appropriations (actual)¹	FY14 Appropriations (enacted)¹	FY15 Appropriations (requested)¹
VA: \$139B	VA: \$153.9B	VA: \$163.9B
VHA: \$56B ²	VHA: \$57.88B ²	VHA: \$59.66B ²
VBA-GOE: \$2.16B ³	VBA-GOE: \$2.47B ³	VBA-GOE: \$2.49B ³
NCA: \$260M	NCA: \$249M	NCA: \$257M
OIT: \$3.52B	OIT: \$3.70B	OIT: \$3.90B
<small>Source: Veteran Population as of 09/30/14; VA Employ Pay Status Count 09/30/14; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 03/31/14; NCA as of 09/30/14; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY13; ¹ Includes MCCF; ² Medical Care w/ MCCF and medical research; ³ Discretionary Spending Only.</small>		

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