



VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization

Updated 4/28/17

Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 3/31/17):	4.44 M
Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 3/31/17):	569,673
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 3/31/17):	281,501
Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 3/31/17):	387,790
Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 16):	9.05 M ¹
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 16):	6.26 M ¹
Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 3/31/17):	918,591
Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 3/31/17):	343,255
Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 16):	1.00 M
Number of Life Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 3/31/17):	6.15 M
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Number of Veterans Receiving Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Benefits (FY 16):	90,253
Number of Active VA Home Loan Participants (as of 3/31/17):	2.75 M
Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 16):	127,211
Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 4/01/17):	1,713 ²

Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VBA Office of Performance Analysis & Integrity; ¹ VHA OABI and VSSC (10E2A); ² DoD. Produced by the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics.
<http://www.va.gov/vetdata/pocketcard/index.asp>

Veterans Demographics

Projected U.S. Veterans Population:	21,368,000	{Female 2,051,000 10%}
Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans:		696,000
Estimated Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:		416
Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:		46.08%
Veteran Population by Race:	White 81.7%	Black 12.6%
	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.6%	Other 3.3%
	American Indian/Alaska Natives 0.8%	Hispanic 7.1%

About VA

Number of VA Employees in Pay Status:	378,573
Number of Full Time VA Employees:	350,131
Number of VA Hospitals:	145
Number of VA Outpatient Sites:	1,235 ¹
Number of VA Vet Centers:	300
Number of VBA Regional Offices:	56
Number of VA National Cemeteries:	135

FY15 Appropriations (actual) ²		FY16 Appropriations (actual) ²		FY17 Appropriations (enacted) ²	
VA:	\$163.97B	VA:	\$166.92B	VA:	\$180.49B
VHA:	\$59.96B ³	VHA:	\$64.78B ³	VHA:	\$68.66B ³
VBA-GOE:	\$2.53B ⁴	VBA-GOE:	\$2.70B ⁴	VBA-GOE:	\$2.84B ⁴
NCA:	\$257M	NCA:	\$271M	NCA:	\$286M
OIT:	\$3.90B	OIT:	\$4.06B	OIT:	\$4.27B

Source: Veteran Population (VP2014) as of 09/30/16; VA Employ Pay Status Count 12/31/16; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 3/31/17¹ (Does not include temporarily deactivated sites); NCA as of 9/30/16; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY16; ² Includes MCCF; ³ Medical Care w/ MCCF and medical research; ⁴ Discretionary Spending Only.