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Fact Sheet

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Women Veterans Population

The total Veteran population in the United States, Puerto Rico, and Territories/Foreign, as of Sept. 30, 2017, was 19,998,799. The population of women Veterans numbered 1,882,848. States with the largest number of women Veterans were Texas, California, Florida, Virginia and Georgia. State-by-state totals are as follows:

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| Alabama | 39,317 | Montana | 8,512 |
| Alaska | 9,465 | Nebraska | 11,863 |
| Arizona | 46,399 | Nevada | 21,715 |
| Arkansas | 19,212 | New Hampshire | 8,541 |
| California | 143,211 | New Jersey | 25,550 |
| Colorado | 45,279 | New Mexico | 16,354 |
| Connecticut | 13,645 | New York | 58,855 |
| Delaware | 6,945 | North Carolina | 82,582 |
| District Of Columbia | 3,905 | North Dakota | 4,937 |
| Florida | 144,229 | Ohio | 61,697 |
| Georgia | 88,735 | Oklahoma | 29,100 |
| Hawaii | 11,906 | Oregon | 25,498 |
| Idaho | 10,611 | Pennsylvania | 60,021 |
| Illinois | 49,534 | Puerto Rico | 4,396 |
| Indiana | 31,169 | Rhode Island | 5,039 |
| Iowa | 15,140 | South Carolina | 42,965 |
| Kansas | 17,972 | South Dakota | 6,515 |
| Kentucky | 24,415 | Tennessee | 44,405 |
| Louisiana | 29,754 | Texas | 177,507 |
| Maine | 9,103 | Utah | 10,438 |
| Maryland | 51,974 | Vermont | 3,784 |
| Massachusetts | 22,391 | Virginia | 103,918 |
| Michigan | 43,095 | Washington | 56,867 |
| Minnesota | 23,789 | West Virginia | 10,218 |
| Mississippi | 20,385 | Wisconsin | 28,907 |
| Missouri | 35,883 | Wyoming | 4,672 |
| | | Territories/Foreign | 10,524 |

Total Women Veterans 1,882,848

Source: Office of Enterprise Integration, National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, VA Veteran Population Projection Model 2016, Table 6L at <http://www.va.gov/vetdata/>