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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN PENNSYLVANIA



PA'S VETERANS



% VETERANS

906,384

Veterans in Pennsylvania

9.1%

of Pennsylvania's adult population are veterans of the U.S. military

SERVICE ERA*



10.2% World War II



12.5% Korea



34.5% Vietnam



12.6% Gulf War I



9.0% Iraq & Afghanistan



26.6% Between Conflicts

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2010-2014 American Community Survey
* Totals may exceed 100%. Some veterans served in multiple eras.



LOCATION



GEOGRAPHY

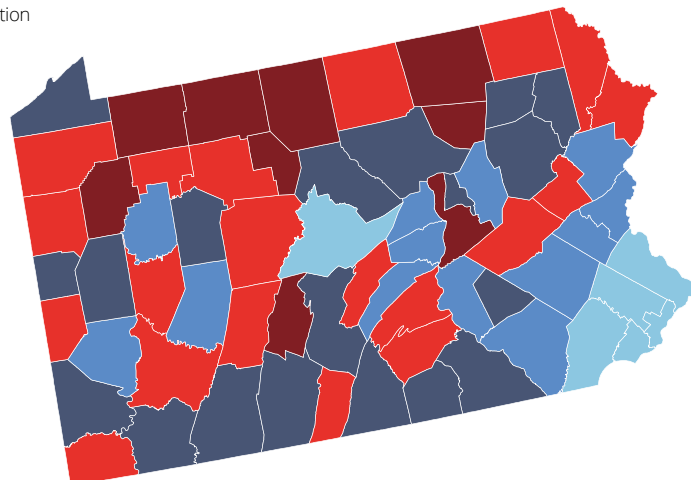
Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 5.8 - 8.0
- 8.1 - 9.6
- 9.7 - 10.9
- 11.0 - 11.9
- 12.0 - 14.3



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

Veterans Data Central
at www.veteransdata.info

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



8.1%

Unemployment rate for Pennsylvania's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Pennsylvania is 8.4%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



6.3%

OF PENNSYLVANIA'S VETERANS LIVE IN POVERTY



\$52,175

Median household income of Pennsylvania veterans. The median income of all Pennsylvania households is \$52,633.



12.2%

of Pennsylvania's veterans have a service connected disability rating (110,882 Veterans).

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2010-2014 American Community Survey



**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

623,319



Approximately 623,319, or 12.6 percent, of Pennsylvania's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

79.8%



Homeownership rate of Pennsylvania's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$150,000



The median value of Pennsylvania veterans' homes is \$150,000. The state's overall median home value is \$159,000.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

159,619



Approximately 159,619 Pennsylvania veterans live in homes with one or more major problems of quality, crowding, or cost. Housing affordability is the greatest housing problem among veterans. Roughly 25.2 percent of Pennsylvania veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

10,575



In 2014, 10,575 VA home loan guarantees were made in Pennsylvania to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 4.8 percent of Pennsylvania's home mortgage originations in 2014.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

1,375



HUD estimates that approximately 1,375 Pennsylvania veterans are homeless.

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2010-2014 American Community Survey (ACS), 2013 Home Mortgage Disclosure Act (HMDA) Data, and 2015 HUD Point in Time Homeless Estimates (PIT)

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