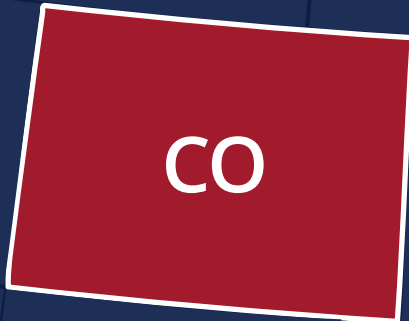




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# SUPPORTING VETERANS IN COLORADO



CO'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

## 365,440

Veterans in Colorado



% VETERANS

## 8.3%

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

### SERVICE ERA\*



1.5% World War II



5.4% Korea



32.7% Vietnam



26.9% Gulf War I



28.6% Iraq & Afghanistan



18.6% Between Conflicts

Source: Housing Assistance Council tabulations of the 2017-2021 American Community Survey (ACS PUMs used for certain estimates)  
\* Totals may exceed 100%. Some veterans served in multiple eras.



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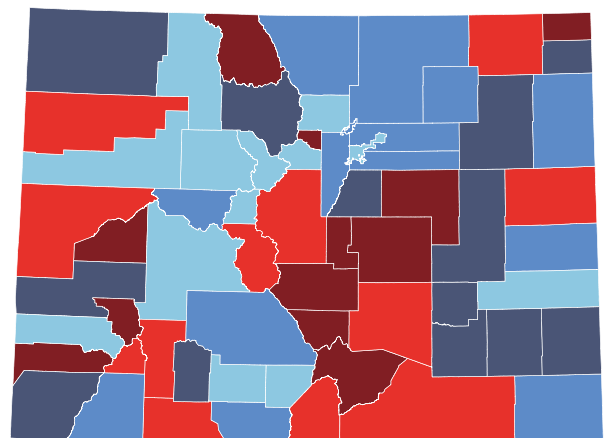
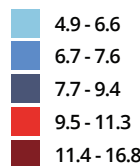
GEOGRAPHY

## Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

### Counties

Percent Veteran Population



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

**Veterans Data Central**  
at [www.veteransdata.info](http://www.veteransdata.info)

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**ECONOMIC  
WELL BEING**



**4.1%**

Unemployment rate for Colorado's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Colorado is 4.5%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



**6.1%**

of Colorado's veterans live in poverty



**\$81,568**

Median household income of Colorado veterans. The median income of all Colorado households is \$79,100.



**27.7%**

of Colorado's veterans have a service connected disability rating (101,233 Veterans).

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**HOUSING  
&  
HOMES**

**VETERAN  
OCCUPIED  
HOMES**

**227,262**



Approximately 227,262, or 10.2 percent, of Colorado's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-  
OWNERSHIP**

**76.6%**



Homeownership rate of Colorado's veterans

**HOME  
VALUE**

**\$370,000**



The median value of Colorado veterans' homes is 370,000. The state's overall median home value is \$400,000.

**HOUSING  
PROBLEMS**

**65,201**



Approximately 65,201 Colorado 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 28.0 percent of Colorado veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA  
MORTGAGE  
LOANS**

**43,206**



In 2021, 43,206 VA home loan guarantees were made in Colorado to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 10.2 percent of Colorado's home mortgage originations in 2021.

**HOME-  
LESSNESS**

**738**



HUD estimates that approximately 738 Colorado veterans are homeless.

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