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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN MARYLAND



MD'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

352,738

Veterans in Maryland



% VETERANS

7.4%

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

SERVICE ERA*



2.0% World War II



5.6% Korea



30.2% Vietnam



28.1% Gulf War I



27.5% Iraq & Afghanistan



21.7% 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.



LOCATION



GEOGRAPHY

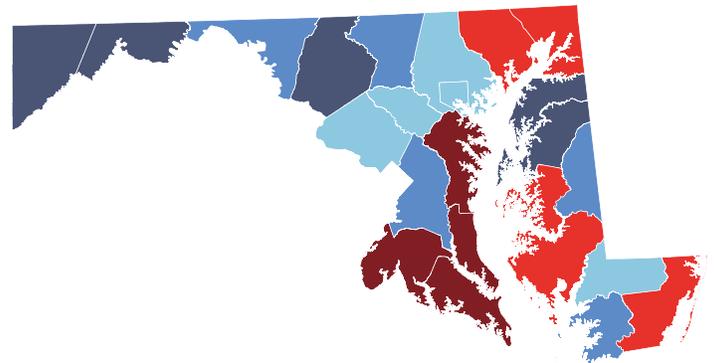
Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 4.6 - 7.0
- 7.1 - 7.8
- 7.9 - 8.6
- 8.7 - 10.4
- 10.5 - 13.7



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

Veterans Data Central
at www.veteransdata.info

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



3.1%

Unemployment rate for Maryland's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Maryland is 5.3%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



5.0%

of Maryland's veterans live in poverty



\$103,580

Median household income of Maryland veterans. The median income of all Maryland households is \$90,030.



23.8%

of Maryland's veterans have a service connected disability rating (83,978 Veterans).

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**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

221,203



Approximately 221,203, or 9.6 percent, of Maryland's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

79.0%



Homeownership rate of Maryland's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$325,000



The median value of Maryland veterans' homes is \$325,000. The state's overall median home value is \$325,000.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

53,263



Approximately 53,263 Maryland 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 23.5 percent of Maryland veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

36,151



In 2021, 36,151 VA home loan guarantees were made in Maryland to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 11.2 percent of Maryland's home mortgage originations in 2021.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

303



HUD estimates that approximately 303 Maryland veterans are homeless.

Source: Housing Assistance Council tabulations of the 2017-2021 American Community Survey (ACS PUMs used for certain estimates), 2021 Home Mortgage Disclosure Act (HMDA) Data, 2022 HUD Point in Time Homeless Estimate (PIT)

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