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# SUPPORTING VETERANS IN MICHIGAN



MI'S  
VETERANS



VETERAN  
POPULATION

516,924

Veterans in Michigan



%  
VETERANS

6.6%

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

## SERVICE ERA\*



2.7% World War II



7.1% Korea



37.8% Vietnam



17.5% Gulf War I



15.1% Iraq & Afghanistan



25.5% 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



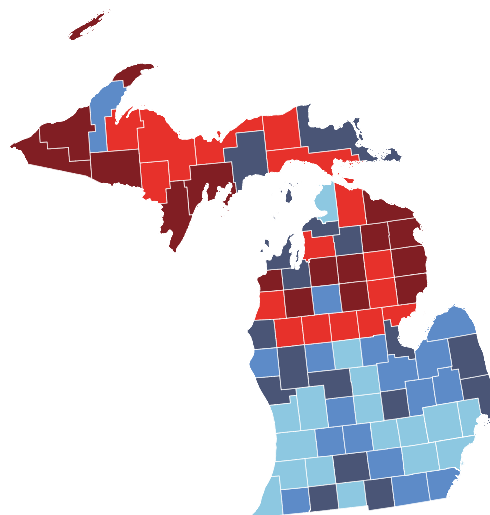
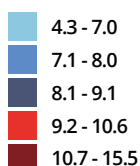
GEOGRAPHY

## Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

### Counties

Percent Veteran Population



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**



**4.6%**

Unemployment rate for Michigan's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Michigan is 6.1%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



**7.2%**

of Michigan's veterans live in poverty



**\$60,961**

Median household income of Michigan veterans. The median income of all Michigan households is \$62,040.



**20.8%**

of Michigan's veterans have a service connected disability rating (107,576 Veterans).

Source: Housing Assistance Council tabulations of the 2017-2021 American Community Survey (ACS PUMs used for certain estimates)



**HOUSING  
&  
HOMES**

**VETERAN  
OCCUPIED  
HOMES**

**336,109**



Approximately 336,109, or 8.5 percent, of Michigan's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-  
OWNERSHIP**

**81.8%**



Homeownership rate of Michigan's veterans

**HOME  
VALUE**

**\$160,000**



The median value of Michigan veterans' homes is \$160,000. The state's overall median home value is \$170,000.

**HOUSING  
PROBLEMS**

**75,115**



Approximately 75,115 Michigan 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 21.6 percent of Michigan veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA  
MORTGAGE  
LOANS**

**20,952**



In 2021, 20,952 VA home loan guarantees were made in Michigan to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 4.7 percent of Michigan's home mortgage originations in 2021.

**HOME-  
LESSNESS**

**498**



HUD estimates that approximately 498 Michigan 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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