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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN NORTH CAROLINA



NC'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

637,790

Veterans in North Carolina



% VETERANS

8.0%

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

SERVICE ERA*



1.6% World War II



5.5% Korea



33.7% Vietnam



25.4% Gulf War I



24.4% Iraq & Afghanistan



21.6% 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.



LOCATION



GEOGRAPHY

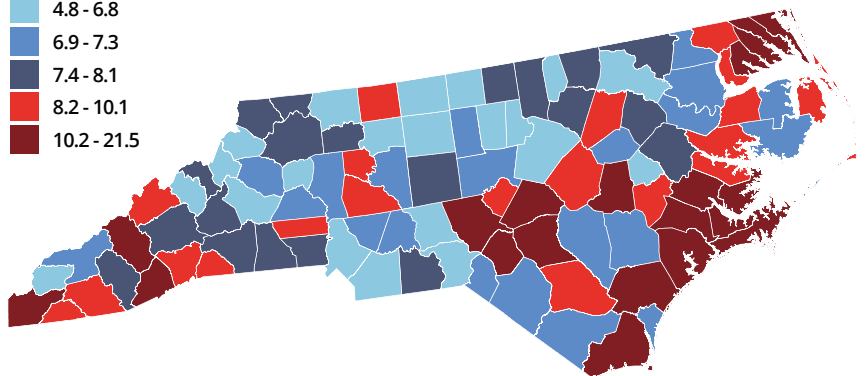
Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 4.8 - 6.8
- 6.9 - 7.3
- 7.4 - 8.1
- 8.2 - 10.1
- 10.2 - 21.5



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

Veterans Data Central
at www.veteransdata.info

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



3.9%

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



7.2%

of North Carolina's veterans live in poverty



\$67,421

Median household income of North Carolina veterans. The median income of all North Carolina households is \$59,347.



28.7%

of North Carolina's veterans have a service connected disability rating (183,033 Veterans).

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**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

405,285



Approximately 405,285, or 10.0 percent, of North Carolina's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

77.9%



Homeownership rate of North Carolina's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$200,000



The median value of North Carolina veterans' homes is \$200,000. The state's overall median home value is \$195,000.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

95,984



Approximately 95,984 North Carolina 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 22.9 percent of North Carolina veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

61,832



In 2021, 61,832 VA home loan guarantees were made in North Carolina to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 11.8 percent of North Carolina's home mortgage originations in 2021.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

687



HUD estimates that approximately 687 North Carolina veterans are homeless.

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