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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN PENNSYLVANIA



PA'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

703,580

Veterans in Pennsylvania



% VETERANS

6.9%

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

SERVICE ERA*



3.1% World War II



8.2% Korea



37.1% Vietnam



17.3% Gulf War I



16.1% Iraq & Afghanistan



25.1% 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

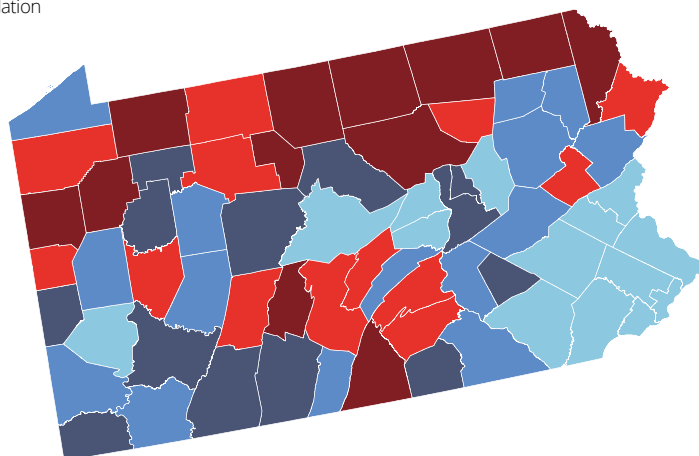
Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 4.3 - 6.8
- 6.9 - 8.1
- 8.2 - 8.6
- 8.7 - 9.3
- 9.4 - 11.8



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

Veterans Data Central
at www.veteransdata.info

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



4.6%

Unemployment rate for Pennsylvania's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Pennsylvania is 5.4%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



6.5%

of Pennsylvania's veterans live in poverty



\$62,802

Median household income of Pennsylvania veterans. The median income of all Pennsylvania households is \$66,758.



17.5%

of Pennsylvania's veterans have a service connected disability rating (123,428 Veterans).

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**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

457,820



Approximately 457,820, or 8.9 percent, of Pennsylvania's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

77.9%



Homeownership rate of Pennsylvania's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$180,000



The median value of Pennsylvania veterans' homes is \$180,000. The state's overall median home value is \$195,000.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

112,195



Approximately 112,195 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 23.8 percent of Pennsylvania veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

24,523



In 2021, 24,523 VA home loan guarantees were made in Pennsylvania to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 5.1 percent of Pennsylvania's home mortgage originations in 2021.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

778



HUD estimates that approximately 778 Pennsylvania 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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