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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN ALASKA



AK'S VETERANS



VETERAN
POPULATION

58,910

Veterans in Alaska



%
VETERANS

11.0%

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

SERVICE ERA*



0.5% World War II



2.3% Korea



28.8% Vietnam



31.5% Gulf War I



38.0% Iraq & Afghanistan



17.0% Between Conflicts

Source: Housing Assistance Council tabulations of the 2019-2023 American Community Survey (ACS PUMs used for certain estimates)
* Totals may exceed 100%. Some veterans served in multiple eras.



LOCATION



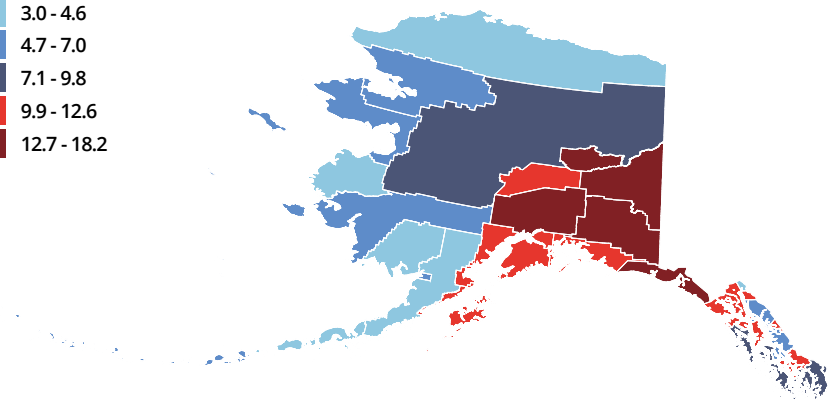
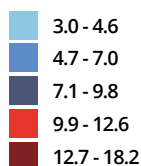
GEOGRAPHY

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

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



4.3%

Unemployment rate for Alaska's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Alaska is 5.7%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



5.6%

of Alaska's veterans live in poverty



\$98,060

Median household income of Alaska veterans. The median income of all Alaska households is \$93,400.



35.1%

of Alaska's veterans have a service connected disability rating (20,661 Veterans).

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**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

35,861



Approximately 35,861, or 13.4 percent, of Alaska's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

81.2%



Homeownership rate of Alaska's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$300,000



The median value of Alaska veterans' homes is \$300,000. The state's overall median home value is \$300,000.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

11,197



Approximately 11,197 Alaska 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 26.5 percent of Alaska veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

2,207



In 2023, 2,207 VA home loan guarantees were made in Alaska to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 26.2 percent of Alaska's home mortgage originations in 2023.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

106



HUD estimates that approximately 106 Alaska veterans are homeless.

Source: Housing Assistance Council tabulations of the 2019-2023 American Community Survey (ACS PUMs used for certain estimates), 2023 Home Mortgage Disclosure Act (HMDA) Data, 2024 HUD Point in Time Homeless Estimate (PIT)

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