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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN PENNSYLVANIA



PA'S
VETERANS



656,112

Veterans in Pennsylvania



6.4%

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

SERVICE ERA*



1.9% World War II



6.8% Korea



36.3% Vietnam



18.6% Gulf War I



18.7% Iraq & Afghanistan



24.9% 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



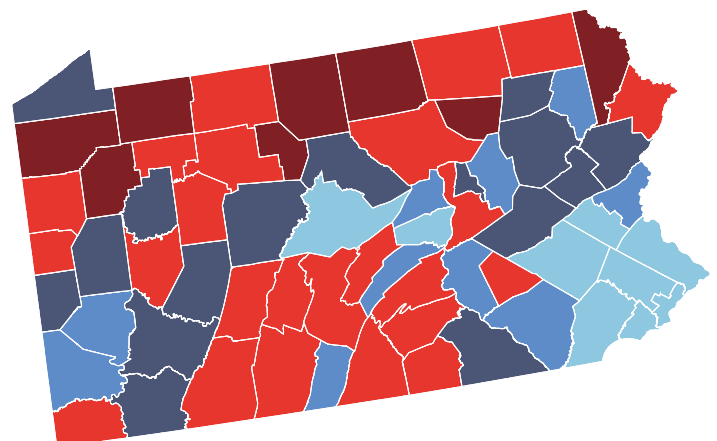
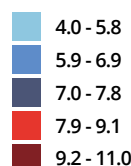
GEOGRAPHY

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



3.9%

Unemployment rate for Pennsylvania's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Pennsylvania is 5.2%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



6.8%

of Pennsylvania's veterans live in poverty



\$69,023

Median household income of Pennsylvania veterans. The median income of all Pennsylvania households is \$75,985.



19.6%

of Pennsylvania's veterans have a service connected disability rating (128,879 Veterans).

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HOUSING & HOMES

VETERAN OCCUPIED HOMES

422,633



Approximately 422,633, or 8.1 percent, of Pennsylvania's homes are occupied by veterans.

HOME- OWNERSHIP

77.6%



Homeownership rate of Pennsylvania's veterans

HOME VALUE

\$200,000



The median value of Pennsylvania veterans' homes is \$200,000. The state's overall median home value is \$210,000.

HOUSING PROBLEMS

105,540



Approximately 105,540 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 24.2 percent of Pennsylvania veterans pay too much for their housing.

VA MORTGAGE LOANS

7,372



In 2023, 7,372 VA home loan guarantees were made in Pennsylvania to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 4.6 percent of Pennsylvania's home mortgage originations in 2023.

HOME- LESSNESS

719



HUD estimates that approximately 719 Pennsylvania veterans are homeless.

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