

Updated 5/13/16



VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization

Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 3/31/16):	4.26 M
Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 3/31/16):	515,999
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 3/31/16):	292,297
Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 3/31/16):	377,120
Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 15):	8.97 M¹
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 15):	6.74 M¹
Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 3/31/16):	846,777
Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 3/31/16):	334,141
Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 15):	1.02 M
Number of Life Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 3/31/16):	6.25 M
Face Amount of Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 3/31/16):	1.23 T
Number of Veterans Receiving Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Benefits (FY 15):	92,345
Number of Active VA Home Loan Participants (as of 3/31/16):	2.50 M
Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 15):	123,552
Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 4/01/16):	1,693²

Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VBA Office of Performance Analysis & Integrity; ¹ VHA (10A5); ² DoD. Produced by the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics.

Veterans Demographics

Projected U.S. Veterans Population:	21,681,000	{Female 2,035,000 9%}
Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans (as of 9/30/2015):		847,000
Estimated Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:		465
Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:		45.82%
Veteran Population by Race:	White 82.0%	Black 12.4%
	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.6%	Other 3.2%
	American Indian/Alaska Natives 0.8%	Hispanic 6.9%

About VA

Number of VA Employees in Pay Status:	367,480
Number of Full Time VA Employees:	339,989
Number of VA Hospitals:	144
Number of VA Outpatient Sites:	1,221¹
Number of VA Vet Centers:	300
Number of VBA Regional Offices:	56
Number of VA National Cemeteries:	133

FY15 Appropriations (actual)²		FY16 Appropriations (requested)²		FY17 Appropriations (requested)²	
VA:	\$163.6B	VA:	\$168.8B	VA:	\$193.9B
VHA:	\$59.88B³	VHA:	\$63.83B³	VHA:	\$77.53B³
VBA-GOE:	\$2.53B⁴	VBA-GOE:	\$2.70B⁴	VBA-GOE:	\$3.16B⁴
NCA:	\$256M	NCA:	\$266M	NCA:	\$299M
OIT:	\$3.90B	OIT:	\$4.13B	OIT:	\$4.77B

Source: Veteran Population as of 09/30/15; VA Employ Pay Status Count 3/31/16; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 3/31/16 ¹(Does not include temporarily deactivated sites); NCA as of 3/31/16; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY15; ² Includes MCCF; ³ Medical Care w/ MCCF and medical research; ⁴ Discretionary Spending Only.