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SUPPORTING VETERANS IN MICHIGAN



MN'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

366,990

Veterans in Minnesota



% VETERANS

9.0%

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

SERVICE ERA*



9.3% World War II



12.5% Korea



36.7% Vietnam



11.9% Gulf War I



8.3% Iraq & Afghanistan



26.0% Between Conflicts

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2009-2013 American Community Survey
* Totals may exceed 100%. Some veterans served in multiple eras.



LOCATION



GEOGRAPHY

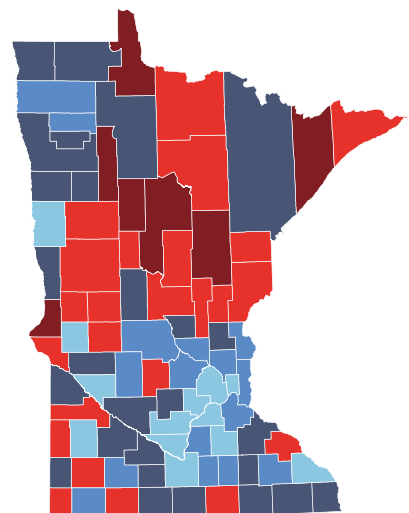
Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 7.2 - 8.5
- 8.6 - 10.0
- 10.1 - 11.2
- 11.3 - 13.1
- 13.2 - 15.8



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

Veterans Data Central at www.veteransdata.info

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**ECONOMIC
WELL BEING**



7.7%

Unemployment rate for Minnesota's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Minnesota is 6.9%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



5.8%

OF MINNESOTA'S VETERANS LIVE IN POVERTY



\$57,984

Median household income of Minnesota veterans. The median income of all Minnesota households is \$59,836.



20.0%

of Minnesota's veterans have a service connected disability rating (73,560 Veterans).

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2009-2013 American Community Survey



**HOUSING
&
HOMES**

**VETERAN
OCCUPIED
HOMES**

279,850



Approximately 279,850, or 13.4 percent, of Minnesota's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-
OWNERSHIP**

83.9%



Homeownership rate of Minnesota's veterans

**HOME
VALUE**

\$170,000



The median value of Minnesota veterans' homes is \$170,000. The state's overall median home value is \$187,900.

**HOUSING
PROBLEMS**

70,595



Approximately 70,595 Minnesota 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 24.7 percent of Minnesota veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA
MORTGAGE
LOANS**

6,525



In 2013, 6,525 VA home loan guarantees were made in Minnesota to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 3.5 percent of Minnesota's home mortgage originations in 2013.

**HOME-
LESSNESS**

317



HUD estimates that approximately 317 Minnesota veterans are homeless.

Source: Housing Assistance Council Tabulations of the Census Bureau's 2009-2013 American Community Survey (ACS), 2013 Home Mortgage Disclosure Act (HMDA) Data, and 2014 HUD Point in Time Homeless Estimates (PIT)

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