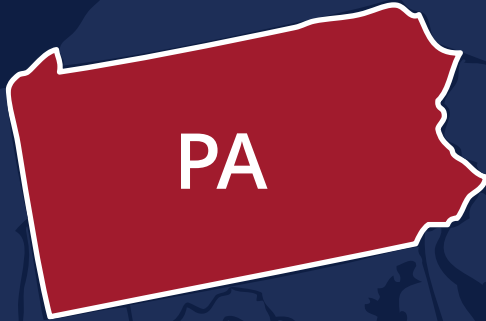




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# SUPPORTING VETERANS IN PENNSYLVANIA



PA'S VETERANS



VETERAN POPULATION

## 943,417

Veterans in Pennsylvania



% VETERANS

## 9.5%

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

### SERVICE ERA\*



11.3% World War II



12.8% Korea



34.0% Vietnam



12.1% Gulf War I



8.1% Iraq & Afghanistan



26.8% 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

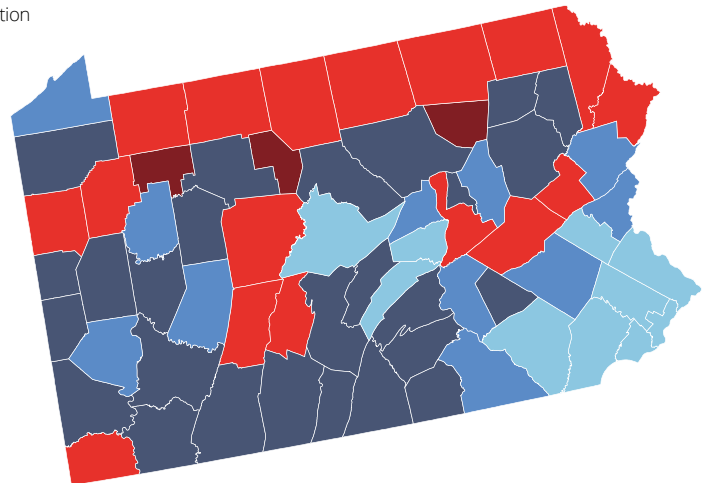
## Veterans by County

Veterans as a percent of the adult population

### Counties

Percent Veteran Population

- 6.2 - 8.8
- 8.9 - 10.3
- 10.4 - 11.5
- 11.6 - 12.8
- 12.9 - 15.0



To learn more about Veterans in your community visit

**Veterans Data Central**  
at [www.veteransdata.info](http://www.veteransdata.info)

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



**ECONOMIC  
WELL BEING**



**8.7%**

Unemployment rate for Pennsylvania's veterans. The overall unemployment rate for Pennsylvania is 8.7%. Younger persons have the highest rates of unemployment among veterans



**6.2%**

OF PENNSYLVANIA'S VETERANS LIVE IN POVERTY



**\$51,589**

Median household income of Pennsylvania veterans. The median income of all Pennsylvania households is \$52,548.



**11.7%**

of Pennsylvania's veterans have a service connected disability rating (110,179 Veterans).

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



**HOUSING  
&  
HOMES**

**VETERAN  
OCCUPIED  
HOMES**

**711,357**



Approximately 711,357, or 14.4 percent, of Pennsylvania's homes are occupied by veterans.

**HOME-  
OWNERSHIP**

**81.1%**



Homeownership rate of Pennsylvania's veterans

**HOME  
VALUE**

**\$150,000**



The median value of Pennsylvania veterans' homes is \$150,000. The state's overall median home value is \$164,700.

**HOUSING  
PROBLEMS**

**179,243**



Approximately 179,243 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 24.8 percent of Pennsylvania veterans pay too much for their housing.

**VA  
MORTGAGE  
LOANS**

**11,579**



In 2013, 11,579 VA home loan guarantees were made in Pennsylvania to support veteran homeowners. VA loans represented 3.6 percent of Pennsylvania's home mortgage originations in 2013.

**HOME-  
LESSNESS**

**1,411**



HUD estimates that approximately 1,411 Pennsylvania 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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