# VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization

- **Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 09/30/07):** 2.8 M
- **Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 09/30/07):** 249,904
- **Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 09/30/07):** 323,012
- **Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 09/30/07):** 317,371
- **Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 06):** 7.9 M
- **Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 06):** 5.5 M
- **Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 09/30/07):** 299,672
- **Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 09/30/07):** 237,321
- **Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 07):** 523,344
- **Number of VA Veteran Life Insurance Beneficiaries (as of 09/30/07):** 1.695 M
- **Number of VA Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Trainees (as of FY 07):** 52,477
- **Number of Home Loans Guaranteed by VA (cumulative as of 09/30/07):** 2.2 M
- **Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 06):** 100,893
- **Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 09/01/07):** 681

**Source:** DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VHA (10A5); DOD

## Veterans Demographics

- **Projected U.S. Veterans Population:** 23,532,000
  - Female, 1,745,000 (7%)
- **Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans (as of 9/30/2007):** 2,795,000
- **Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:** 1,000
- **Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:** 39%
- **Veteran Population by Race:**
  - White Non-Hispanic 80%
  - Hispanic 6%
  - Black Non-Hispanic 11%
  - Other 4%

## About VA

- **Number of VA Employees:** 254,183
- **Number of VA Medical Centers:** 153
- **Number of VA Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOC):** 724
- **Number of VA Vet Centers:** 208
- **Number of VBA Regional Offices:** 57
- **Number of VA National Cemeteries:** 125

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Source: Veteran Population as of 09/30/07; VA Employ Pay Status Count 09/30/07; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 06/29/07; NCA as of 06/30/07; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY06; Includes MCCF; Medical Care w/MCCF