Veterans in Washington

AARP has a long history of supporting veterans, military, and their families, including over four million who are AARP members today. This AARP Fact Sheet provides basic data and demographic points on veterans, military and their family members in your state.

582,265 live in Washington

72% are 50-plus

11% are women

Demographics

29% have a bachelor’s degree or higher & 5% are enrolled in college

$67,912 Median income

80% live in urban areas & 20% live in rural ones

White 86%

African American/Black 6%

Hispanic 5%

28% of veteran households have children under 18

49,331 businesses are owned by veterans

Health and Well-Being

18% have a service-related disability

6% are uninsured

24% have used the Veterans Administration for healthcare


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Data is for all veterans 18-plus

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