AARP has a long history of supporting Veterans and Military Families. This includes about six million who are AARP members today. This fact sheet highlights data for New Jersey Veterans who are 18 years and older.

322,932 live in New Jersey

Among Veterans in New Jersey

79% are 50+

18-49: 21%
50-64: 20%
65+: 59%

7% are women

Demographics

30% have a bachelor's degree or higher and 3% are enrolled in college

Median income is $84,200

17% of Veteran households have children under the age of 18

Health and Well-being

16% have a service-related disability
2% are without health insurance
25% have used the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs for healthcare

76% White
12% African American/Black
9% Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
2% Asian/Pacific Islander

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey, 5-year estimates
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