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 Puerto Rico Veterans who are 18 years and older.

73,831 live in Puerto Rico

Among Veterans in Puerto Rico

- 84% are 50+
- 16% 18-49
- 22% 50-64
- 62% 65+
- 4% women

Health and Well-being

- 31% have a service-related disability
- 2% are without health insurance
- 52% have used the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs for healthcare

Demographics

- 35% have a bachelor’s degree or higher and 2% are enrolled in college
- Median income is $37,000
- 13% of Veteran households have children under the age of 18

Data for Veterans in Puerto Rico was run separately from the data on Veterans in the United States (i.e., 50 states plus D.C.).

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