



## 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 <sup>1</sup>
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 06):	5.5 M <sup>1</sup>
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 <sup>2</sup>

Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; <sup>1</sup> VHA (10A5);  
<sup>2</sup> 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

<b>FY06 Appropriations (actual)<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>VA: \$73.6B</b>	<b>VHA: \$31.0B<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>VBA-GOE: \$1.08B</b>	<b>NCA: \$150M</b>
<b>FY07 Appropriations (enacted)<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>VA: \$80.2B</b>	<b>VHA: \$34.5B<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>VBA-GOE: \$1.17B</b>	<b>NCA: \$161M</b>
<b>FY08 Appropriations (request)<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>VA: \$86.4B</b>	<b>VHA: \$36.6B<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>VBA-GOE: \$1.20B</b>	<b>NCA: \$167M</b>

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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; <sup>1</sup> Includes MCCF;  
<sup>2</sup> Medical Care w/ MCCF