**Veteran Population**

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- **Percent female**: 8.4 vs. 7.3
- **Unemployment rate for veterans**: 5.3 vs. 5.3
- **Number of homeless veterans**: 318 vs. 49,865
- **Median household income (In 2014 inflation-adjusted dollars)**: $59,352 vs. $61,884
- **Number of VA* facilities**: 22 vs. 1,356
- **Number of veteran-owned businesses**: 14,160 vs. 2,540,706

* VA = Department of Veterans Affairs

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**PERIOD OF SERVICE**

- **Gulf War II**: State 30, U.S. and PR 49
- **Gulf War I**: State 17, U.S. and PR 76
- **Vietnam Era**: State 2,452, U.S. and PR 29,364
- **Korean War**: State 14,585, U.S. and PR 116,178
- **World War II**: State 31,832, U.S. and PR 309,406
- **Peacetime only**: State 1,176, U.S. and PR 35,141

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**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

- **Bachelor's degree or higher**: State 17%, U.S. and PR 12%
- **Enrolled in college**: State 11%, U.S. and PR 11%

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**AGE DISTRIBUTION**

- **18 to 29 years**: State 20%, U.S. and PR 18%
- **30 to 44 years**: State 24%, U.S. and PR 23%
- **45 to 54 years**: State 20%, U.S. and PR 19%
- **55 to 64 years**: State 18%, U.S. and PR 18%
- **65 years or older**: State 24%, U.S. and PR 25%

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**HOUSEHOLD INCOME DISTRIBUTION**

- **Less than $10k**: State 12%, U.S. and PR 12%
- **$10k to $14.9k**: State 11%, U.S. and PR 11%
- **$15k to $24.9k**: State 12%, U.S. and PR 12%
- **$25k to $34.9k**: State 12%, U.S. and PR 12%
- **$35k to $49.9k**: State 10%, U.S. and PR 10%
- **$50k to $74.9k**: State 7%, U.S. and PR 7%
- **$75k to $99.9k**: State 7%, U.S. and PR 7%
- **$100k to $149.9k**: State 5%, U.S. and PR 5%
- **$150k to $199.9k**: State 3%, U.S. and PR 3%
- **$200k or more**: State 1%, U.S. and PR 1%

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**Health Care**

- **Uses VA health care**: State 81%, U.S. and PR 81%
- **Has a service-connected disability rating**: State 9%, U.S. and PR 9%
- **Uninsured**: State 11%, U.S. and PR 11%

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