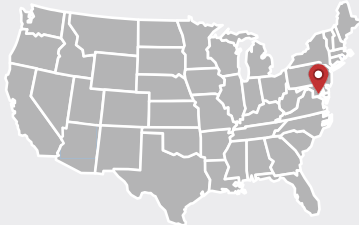


EMPLOYMENT IMPACT

WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA, DC-VA-MD-WV METRO AREA



WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA

2% OF ALL
VETERANS LIVING IN THE
**WASHINGTON D.C.
METRO** AREA

4% OF ALL POST 9/11
VETERANS LIVE IN THE
WASHINGTON D.C. METRO
AREA

THE DOD AND VA
ESTIMATES THAT ROUGHLY
200,000
SERVICE MEMBERS ARE
TRANSITIONING FROM THE
MILITARY **EACH YEAR**¹
WHICH IS ROUGHLY
ONE MILLION
OVER THE NEXT **FIVE YEARS**

UPON MILITARY SEPARATION,
MORE THAN HALF **PURSUED**
A DIFFERENT CAREER THAN
THEIR MILITARY SPECIALTY²

Data Source: 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates; population 18 and over
¹ U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. (2007) Veteran Population Projections Model (VetPop 2007), Table 2S. Office of the Actuary. Department of Defense, 2010-2014 Demographic Profile of the Military Community.
² U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. (2007) Veteran Population Projections Model (VetPop 2007), Table 2S. Office of the Actuary.

VETERANS IN WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA

POPULATION

394,189

(9% OF THE
WASHINGTON D.C.
METRO AREA)



85.7% MALE
14.3% FEMALE

AGE

18-34 YRS.

35-54 YRS.

55+ YRS.



10%

35%

55%

ECONOMIC STATUS

\$75,468 AVERAGE ANNUAL
MEDIAN INCOME

3.5% PERCENT BELOW POVERTY

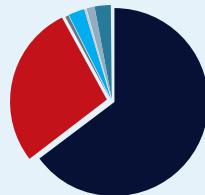
3.6% UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

(5.6% FOR NON-VETERANS IN THE
WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA)

ERA OF SERVICE

POST 9/11	30.0%	KOREAN	6.1%
GULF WAR I	35.4%	WW II	3.3%
VIETNAM	28.8%	PEACETIME	18.8%

RACE



6.0% HISPANIC/LATINO

61.6% WHITE

(WHITE, NOT HISPANIC/LATINO)

- 64.9%** WHITE, ANGLO, OR CAUCASIAN
- 27.9%** BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN
- 0.4%** NATIVE AMERICAN OR ALASKA NATIVE
- 2.8%** ASIAN
- 0.1%** NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER
- 1.2%** OTHER RACE
- 2.7%** TWO OR MORE RACES

DISABILITY

17.9% OF VETERANS IN THE HOUSTON AREA
HAVE A SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY

EDUCATION LEVEL

LESS
THAN HS

HS/
GED

SOME
COLLEGE

BACHELORS
OR HIGHER



3%

16%

28%

53%

VETERANS IN THE U.S.

POPULATION

18,939,219

(8% OF THE US
POPULATION)



91.6% MALE
8.4% FEMALE

AGE

18-34 YRS.

35-54 YRS.

55+ YRS.



9%

24%

68%

ECONOMIC STATUS

\$39,512 AVERAGE ANNUAL
MEDIAN INCOME

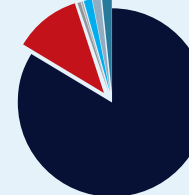
7.0% PERCENT BELOW POVERTY

5.6% UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

ERA OF SERVICE

POST 9/11	16.6%	KOREAN	9.5%
GULF WAR I	19.5%	WW II	5.0%
VIETNAM	35.8%	PEACETIME	23.0%

RACE



6.5% HISPANIC/LATINO

78.2% WHITE

(WHITE, NOT HISPANIC/LATINO)

- 82.8%** WHITE, ANGLO, OR CAUCASIAN
- 11.6%** BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN
- 0.7%** NATIVE AMERICAN OR ALASKA NATIVE
- 1.5%** ASIAN
- 0.2%** NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER
- 1.3%** OTHER RACE
- 1.9%** TWO OR MORE RACES

DISABILITY

28.8% OF VETERANS HAVE A
SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY

EDUCATION LEVEL

LESS
THAN HS

HS/
GED

SOME
COLLEGE

BACHELORS
OR HIGHER



7%

29%

36%

28%

ENTREPRENEURSHIP IMPACT

WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA, DC-VA-MD-WV METRO AREA

CHECK YOUR AREA FOR THESE RESOURCES



VETERAN ENTREPRENEUR RESOURCES IN WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA

SBA RESOURCE PARTNERS

- Small Business Administration
- Veteran Business Outreach Center (VBOC)
- Small Business Development Center
- SCORE
- Women's Business Center
- Minority Business Development Agency

PROCUREMENT

- Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTAC)
- Coalition for Veteran Owned Business (CVOB)
- Veteran Institute for Procurement (VIP)

INFORMATION HUBS

- Center of Excellence (COE) for Veteran Entrepreneurship
- VetNet

EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR VETERAN ENTREPRENEURS

- Local Business Incubators
- University Academic Programs
- Entrepreneurship Meetup Groups
- IVMF's ARSENAL (EBV, EBV-F, V-WISE, IGNITE, B2B)
- Bunker Labs
- Dog Tag Bakery
- 1 Million Cups

VETERAN AFFAIRS & VSO's

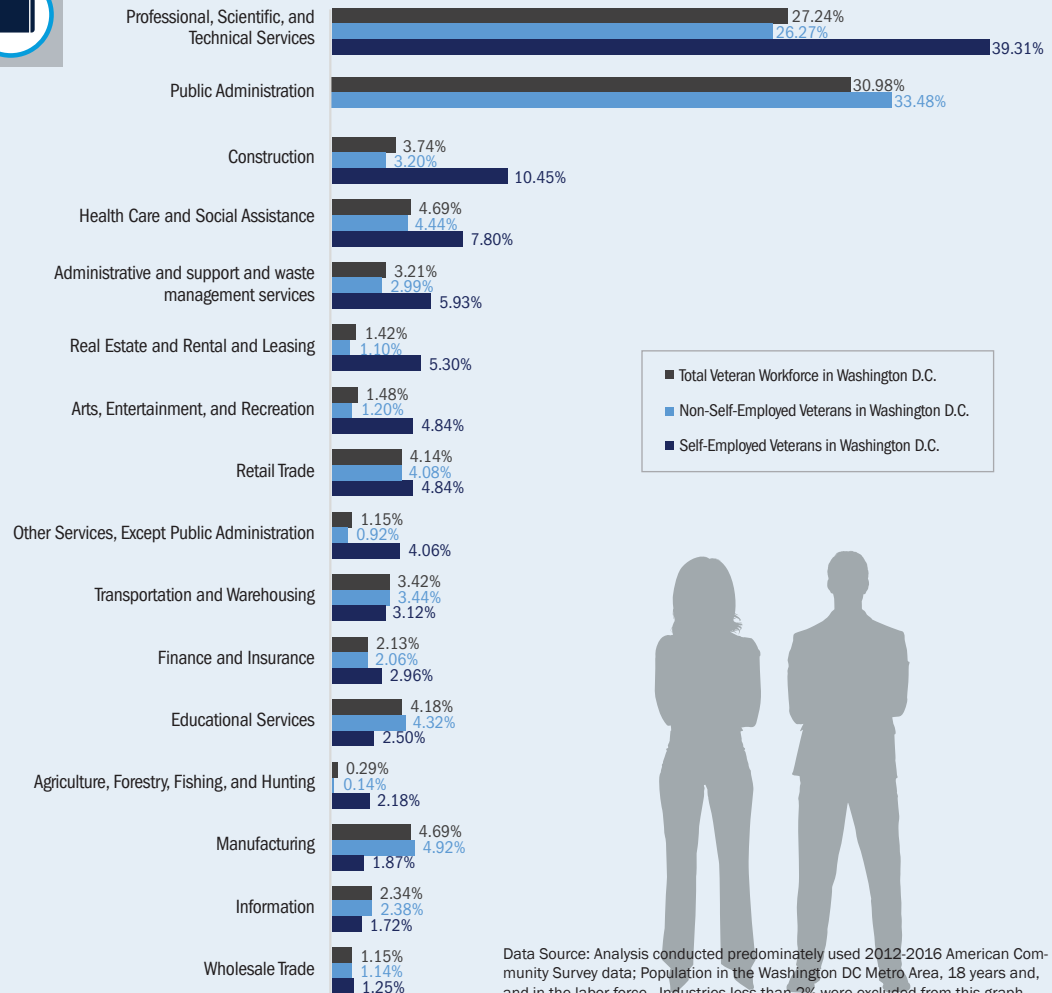
- Veterans Employment Center, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, Veterans Opportunity to Work, Vocational Rehab and Employment
- WWP, DAV, VFW, PVA, IAVA, SVA, American Legion

For more information, visit:
VeteranEntrepreneurship.org

VETERAN ENTREPRENEURS IN WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA

- ▶ Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD metro area has exhibited a positive increase in self-employment for veterans, indicating a growth in the percentage of the self-employed veteran workforce (↑0.33% per year over the 2007 to 2016 timeframe)
- ▶ Self-employed veterans in the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD metro area are predominately in the following industries:
 - Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services (**39%**)
 - Construction (**10%**)
 - Health Care and Social Assistance (**8%**)
- ▶ Older veterans are more likely than younger veterans to be self-employed
- ▶ Female veterans are less likely than their nonveteran counterparts to be self-employed, however the trend is increasing
- ▶ African American veterans are more likely than their nonveteran counterparts to be self-employed

WHERE VETERANS WORK IN WASHINGTON D.C. METRO AREA



Data Source: Analysis conducted predominately used 2012-2016 American Community Survey data; Population in the Washington DC Metro Area, 18 years and, and in the labor force. Industries less than 2% were excluded from this graph.