

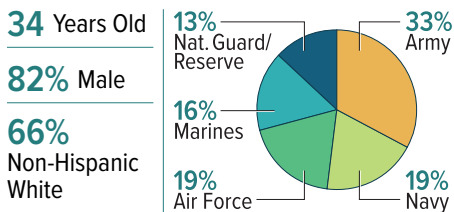
An Overview of The Typical Veteran in Transition

This data comes from a large, longitudinal study called The Veterans Metrics Initiative: Linking Program Components to Post-Military Well-Being (TVMI). During TVMI implementation, six waves of data over 2.5 years were collected from almost **10,000 post-9/11 veterans who had discharged or separated from military service in 2016**. The Clearinghouse for Military Family Readiness, in collaboration with Pew Charitable Trusts (Wave 7) and Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation, The Heinz Endowments, May & Stanley Smith Charitable Trust, and the Wounded Warrior Project (Wave 8), expanded the study under the Veterans Engaging in Transition Studies (VETS) and followed veterans 6.5 years post-transition. To learn more about the study, please see the [TVMI](#) and [VETS](#) information sheet.

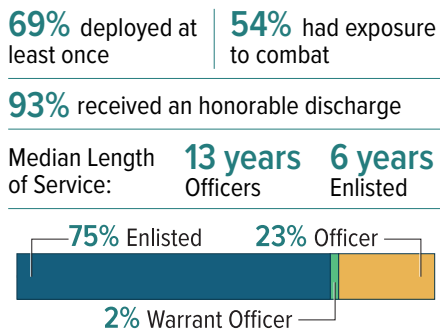
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This summary is intended to offer broad insights, but it may not fully reflect the diversity of experiences among the veteran population. It is important to recognize that veterans are not a monolithic group. *The following statistics were taken from veteran data collected within 3 months after discharge or separation, unless otherwise noted.*

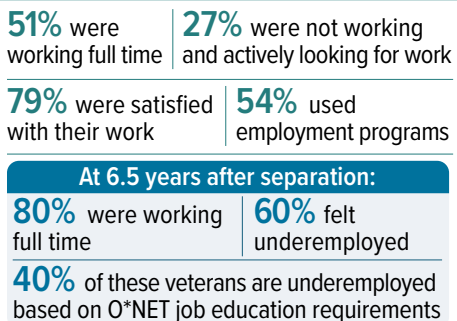
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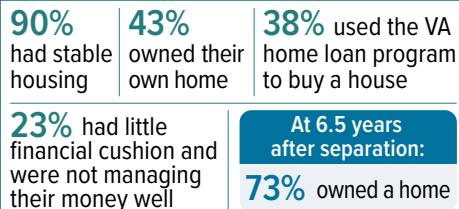
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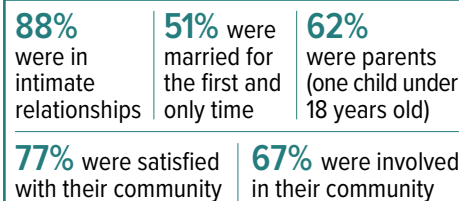
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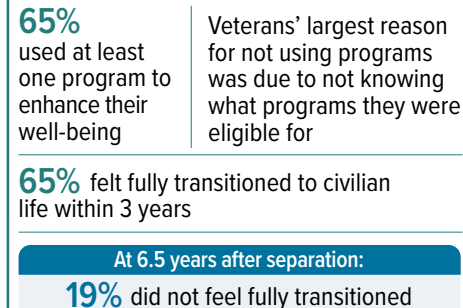
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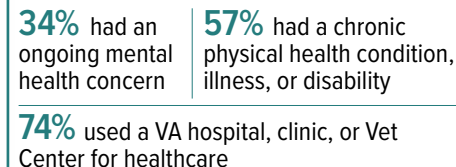
Family & Social Life



Transition Adjustment



Health



Education

