

# VA PACT ACT PERFORMANCE DASHBOARD

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In this VA PACT Act Performance Dashboard, we are demonstrating our commitment to transparency by sharing with all stakeholders —internal to VA and externally—key performance metrics and data we are using to assess our success in implementing the PACT Act.



(++++++)	July 22	July 26	July 27	July 28	July 29	August 03		
$\triangleleft$	PACT Act	PACT Act	PACT Act	PACT Act	PACT Act	PACT Act		
	Summer VetFest	Claims Clinic	Summer VetFest	Claims Clinic	Las Vegas VetFest	VetFest Orlando		
UPCOMING	Quincy, MA	Vancouver, WA	Garland, TX	Great Falls, MT	Las Vegas, NV	Orlando, FL		
OUTREACH	VIEW EVENT	VIEW EVENT	VIEW EVENT	VIEW EVENT	VIEW EVENT	VIEW EVENT		
CALENDAR	For more information on these and other events, please visit <u>https://www.va.gov/outreach-and-events/events/</u>							

(07/15/2023)

VA is committed to providing world class and timely health care, benefits and services to Veterans and Survivors. In this section,



we measure VA's success in delivering outstanding and timely support and in earning the Veteran's and Survivor's trust.



Total Toxic Exposure Screenings (09/06/2022-07/17/2023)



Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed at least 1 Potential Exposure

332,436 (8.28%) Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed more than 1 Potential Exposure

1,368,130 (34.10%)

Exposure

Toxic Exposure Screenings where

Veterans Endorsed exactly 1 Potential



103,731

New Enrollees in the PACT Act Planning Population (10/01/2022-07/17/2023)

64%

New Enrollees in Priority Groups 1,2, or 3 (percentage based on the Planning Population)

# 3,886,059



Current Enrollees in the PACT Act Planning Population (as of 07/17/2023)

# Benefits Experience

The charts below show the past 12 weeks (a rolling 12-week view).

#### Claims Submitted and Completed–PACT Act-Related

PACT Act Related-Submitted PACT Act Related-Completed



153.6

47.9%

Average Days For PACT Act Related **Claim Completion** (07/15/2023)

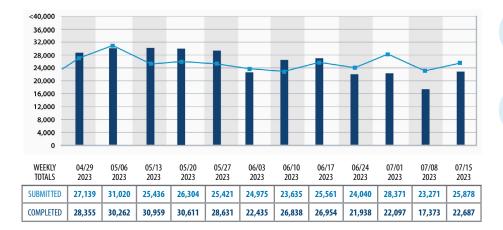
PACT Act Related Rating Claims Completed </=125 Days (07/15/2023)



Percentage of Claims Submitted PACT Related vs. Non-PACT Related (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

#### Claims Submitted and Completed–Non-PACT Act Related

Non-PACT Act Related-Submitted Non-PACT Act Related-Completed





1,320,316 **Cumulative Total** Non-PACT Related **Claims Submitted** 

(08/10/2022-07/15/2023)



1,386,296 **Cumulative Total** Non-PACT Related **Claims Completed** (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

### 125.9

Average Days For Non-PACT Related **Claim Completion** (07/15/2023)

67.5% Non-PACT Act Related **Rating Claims** Completed </=125 Days (07/15/2023)

PACT Related **Claims Submitted** (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

744,701 Cumulative Total

728,810 Total Veteran PACT **Related Claims Submitted** 

15,891 **Total Survivor PACT Related Claims Submitted** 

**Cumulative Total** \$ PACT Related

#### 409,755

(08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

401,829 Total Veteran PACT **Related Claims Completed** 7,926 **Claims Completed** 

**Total Survivor PACT Related Claims Completed** 

### **PACT Act Claims Submission Methods**

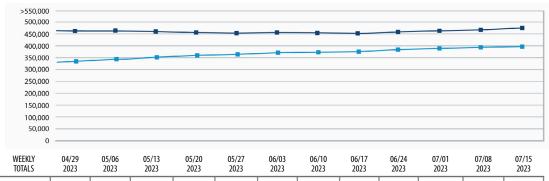




**86.2%** Mailed Claims Submitted with a Power of Attorney on File with VA

#### Pending Claims-PACT Related and Non-PACT Related

Inventory Pending-PACT Related Inventory Pending-Non-PACT Related



TOTALS	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	
PACT RELATED	335,618	346,000	352,671	359,991	365,311	371,864	375,202	378,211	383,303	391,834	394,782	401,107	
NON-PACT RELATED	467,004	467,762	462,239	457,932	454,722	457,262	454,059	452,666	454,768	461,042	466,940	470,131	





117.1

Average Days

(07/15/2023)

Pending for PACT

Act Related Claims



258,739

Total PACT ACT

**Related** Claims

(07/15/2023)

Pending </=125 Days

**70,042** Total Pending PACT Act Related Claims with Partial Decisions (as of 07/15/2023)



Total Pending Non–PACT Act Related Claims (as of 07/15/2023)



98.3 354 Average Days Pending Tota for Non-PACT Act Act F



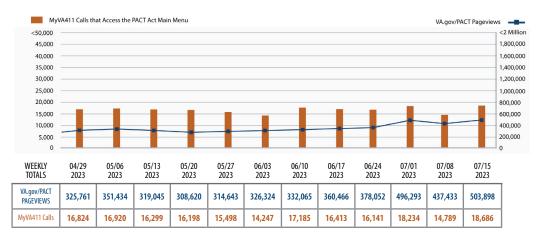
Total Pending Non-PACT Act Related Claims with Partial Decisions (as of 07/15/2023)

#### **354,483** Total Non-PACT Act Related Claims Pending </=125 Days (07/15/2023)

Top 5 Most Frequent Conditions on PACT Act Related Claims (As of 07/15/2023) **Number of Claims Number of Issues Percent Granted Percent Denied** Condition Hypertensive Vascular Disease 126,003 127,665 79% 21% **Allergic Rhinitis** 76,159 77,343 82% 18% **Maxillary Sinusitis** 36,199 36,506 54% 46% **Bronchial Asthma** 33,785 51% 49% 34,369 **Malignant Growths of** 18.353 18.809 67% 33% **Genitourinary System** 



# Web and Phone Experience VA.gov/PACT Pageviews & 1-800-MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)



#### The PACT Act webpage has received to date:



**14,737,800** Total Page Views (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

# 553,546



Total Clicks on Call to Action to File a Disability Claim Online (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

# 104,887



Total Clicks on Call to Action to Enroll in Health Care (08/10/2022-07/15/2023)

# Web and Phone Experience

# Digital Advertising (ChooseVA PACT Act Campaign)





**772,407,728** Total Impressions

**5,155,992** Total Clicks

**0.67%** Click Through Rate



#### Geographic Analysis will be included in every other issue of the VA PACT Act Performance Dashboard.

			CUMULATIVE ELAIM TOTAL FROM AUGUST 10, 2022-JULY 15, 2023 CUMULATIVE ENROLLMENTS FRO						JGUST 10, 2022-JULY 17,	2023
	PROJECTED NUMBER OF	% OF ALL VETERANS	TOTAL PACT ACT RELATED CLAIMS	% OF TOTAL PACT ACT RELATED CLAIMS	TOTAL NON-PACT ACT	% OF TOTAL NON-PACT	VETERANS CURRENTLY ENROLLED WITH VA	% OF VETERANS CURRENTLY ENROLLED		% OF NEW
U.S. STATES/TERRITORIES	VETERANS IN STATE	NATIONALLY	RECEIVED	RECEIVED	CLAIMS RECEIVED	ACT CLAIMS RECEIVED	FOR CARE	WITH VA FOR CARE	NEW ENROLLEES	ENROLLEES
ALABAMA	351,132	1.89%	18,431	2.48%	32,617	2.47%	169,054	2.00%	6,081	1.95%
ALASKA	69,838	0.38%	2,311	0.31%	4,065	0.31%	33,010	0.39%	1,507	0.48%
ARIZONA	498,546	2.68%	17,755	2.38%	30,117	2.28%	227,860	2.70%	7,490	2.40%
ARKANSAS	204,197	1.10%	8,769	1.18%	14,578	1.10%	100,515	1.19%	2,479	0.80%
CALIFORNIA	1,534,710	8.25%	53,261	7.15%	108,571	8.22%	660,783	7.84%	27,305	8.76%
COLORADO	374,233	2.01%	14,108	1.89%	25,749	1.95%	168,941	2.00%	7,663	2.46%
CONNECTICUT	158,714	0.85%	4,216	0.57%	7,167	0.54%	62,368	0.74%	2,198	0.71%
DELAWARE	68,675	0.37%	2,282	0.31%	3,981	0.30%	26,679	0.32%	993	0.32%
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	28,003	0.15%	837	0.11%	1,617	0.12%	10,944	0.13%	379	0.12%
FLORIDA	1,450,597	7.80%	64,684	8.69%	123,640	9.36%	713,726	8.46%	26,198	8.41%
GEORGIA	678,304	3.65%	34,424	4.62%	69,429	5.26%	322,891	3.83%	12,649	4.06%
HAWAII	107,210	0.58%	4,728	0.64%	8,291	0.63%	46,227	0.55%	2,562	0.82%
IDAHO	126,467	0.68%	4,682	0.63%	7,298	0.55%	62,043	0.74%	1,943	0.62%
ILLINOIS	569,448	3.06%	18,204	2.44%	27,572	2.09%	224,244	2.66%	7,558	2.43%
INDIANA	388,083	2.09%	14,039	1.89%	23,185	1.76%	164,124	1.95%	5,141	1.65%
IOWA	182,640	0.98%	6,893	0.93%	10,054	0.76%	83,789	0.99%	2,541	0.82%
KANSAS	186,099	1.00%	7,531	1.01%	10,410	0.79%	77,829	0.92%	2,989	0.96%
KENTUCKY	272,088	1.46%	11,290	1.52%	17,209	1.30%	125,120	1.48%	3,636	1.17%
LOUISIANA	267,174	1.44%	14,585	1.96%	23,671	1.79%	117,075	1.39%	4,183	1.34%
MAINE	107,750	0.58%	3,270	0.44%	5,156	0.39%	51,178	0.61%	1,533	0.49%
MARYLAND	355,787	1.91%	13,993	1.88%	26,910	2.04%	146,077	1.73%	5,965	1.91%
MASSACHUSETTS	285,971	1.54%	7,270	0.98%	13,605	1.03%	113,623	1.35%	4,138	1.33%
MICHIGAN	530,586	2.85%	16,936	2.27%	27,979	2.12%	206,842	2.45%	7,391	2.37%
MINNESOTA	294,232	1.58%	10,661	1.43%	15,894	1.20%	146,558	1.74%	4,438	1.42%
MISSISSIPPI	181,855	0.98%	10,332	1.39%	16,575	1.26%	87,622	1.04%	2,722	0.87%
MISSOURI	399,154	2.15%	14,544	1.95%	23,543	1.78%	181,102	2.15%	6,120	1.96%
MONTANA	86,399	0.46%	3,490	0.47%	5,348	0.41%	47,238	0.56%	1,639	0.53%
NEBRASKA	119,645	0.64%	5,318	0.71%	8,269	0.63%	61,742	0.73%	2,048	0.66%
NEVADA	216,626	1.17%	10,162	1.37%	16,216	1.23%	108,574	1.29%	3,746	1.20%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	96,358	0.52%	2,521	0.34%	3,974	0.30%	42,002	0.50%	1,466	0.47%
NEW JERSEY	310,802	1.67%	8,595	1.15%	16,466	1.25%	111,146	1.32%	4,236	1.36%
NEW MEXICO	144,134	0.78%	5,301	0.71%	8,706	0.66%	69,364	0.82%	2,472	0.79%
NEW YORK	688,611	3.70%	18,186	2.44%	31,460	2.38%	284,117	3.37%	7,475	2.40%
NORTH CAROLINA	687,364	3.70%	33,562	4.51%	64,811	4.91%	340,406	4.04%	13,997	4.49%
NORTH DAKOTA	50,834	0.27%	1,883	0.25%	2,596	0.20%	24,378	0.29%	814	0.26%
OHIO	695,454	3.74%	24,260	3.26%	37,341	2.83%	298,573	3.54%	9,903	3.18%
	281,728	1.52%	13,302	1.79%	23,022	1.74%	134,673	1.60%	4,996	1.60%
OREGON	271,871	1.32%	8,152	1.10%	13,602	1.74%	126,649	1.50%	3,161	1.00%
	719,233	3.87%	· · ·	2.76%	33,335	2.53%	290,817	3.45%		3.82%
PENNSYLVANIA			20,561	0.89%		0.91%		0.66%	11,907	0.59%
PUERTO RICO	73,146	0.39%	6,590		12,065		55,549	l	1,832	
RHODE ISLAND	58,026	0.31%	1,688	0.23%	3,273	0.25%	23,339	0.28%	767	0.25%
SOUTH CAROLINA	388,404	2.09%	19,472	2.62%	36,128	2.74%	192,836	2.29%	6,814	2.19%
SOUTH DAKOTA	63,322	0.34%	2,736	0.37%	4,206	0.32%	36,157	0.43%	1,155	0.37%
TENNESSEE	444,482	2.39%	19,470	2.61%	34,087	2.58%	210,959	2.50%	7,694	2.47%
TEXAS	1,543,168	8.30%	82,728	11.11%	156,599	11.86%	778,059	9.23%	33,145	10.64%
U.S. TERRITORIES, FREELY ASSOC. STATES, A			100	0.02%	216	0.02%	1 002	0.01%		0.020/
AMERICAN SAMOA FEDERATED STATES	2,723	_	198	0.03%	316	0.02%	1,003	0.01%	53	0.02%
OF MICRONESIA			12	<0.01%	14	<0.01%	54	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%
GUAM	12,800	_	1,048	0.14%	1,306	0.10%	5,625	0.07%	329	0.11%
MARSHALL ISLANDS	-	—	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%
COMMONWEALTH OF NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	995	—	72	0.01%	147	0.01%	531	0.01%	26	0.01%
PALAU		_	<10	<0.01%	34	<0.01%	43	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%
		_	<10	<0.01%		<0.01%	43	0.09%	103	0.03%
PHILIPPINES	3,625		261	0.04%	<10 311	0.02%	2,208	0.09%	61	0.03%
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UNKNOWN/FOREIGN	62,476	0.11%	4,185	0.56%	8,185	0.62%	28,282	0.34%	1,084	0.35%
UTAH	128,922	0.69%	4,637	0.62%	7,464	0.57%	57,396	0.68%	2,175	0.70%
VERMONT	39,731	0.21%	991	0.13%	1,266	0.10%	17,401	0.21%	453	0.15%
VIRGINIA	691,325	3.72%	29,675	3.99%	54,166	4.10%	290,525	3.45%	14,801	4.75%
WASHINGTON	533,346	2.87%	16,034	2.15%	28,146	2.13%	215,392	2.55%	8,601	2.76%
WEST VIRGINIA	128,326	0.69%	5,078	0.68%	7,952	0.60%	65,222	0.77%	1,660	0.53%
WISCONSIN	331,650	1.78%	12,619	1.70%	17,778	1.35%	150,353	1.78%	4,453	1.43%
WYOMING	45,435	0.24%	1,868	0.25%	2,842	0.22%	24,388	0.29%	766	0.25%
	18,592,457	100%	744,701	100%	1,320,316	100%	8,432,658	100%	311,635	100%



For a view of the data above shown by Congressional District, please visit <u>https://www.accesstocare.va.gov/Healthcare/PactAct</u>. The state totals in the Congressional District view will not match precisely with those above due to differences in methodology.

Metric/Term	Definition
Total Veterans/Survivors with Completed PACT Act Claims	This metric identifies the unique number of Veterans and Survivors who have filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed to completion.
Total Veterans with Completed PACT Act Claims	This metric identifies the unique number of Veterans who filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed to completion.
otal Survivors with Completed PACT Act Claims	This metric identifies the unique number of Survivors who filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed to completion.
/HA Trust	This trust score reflects the percentage of Veterans who respond to the survey question, "I trust the VHA [Facility Name] for my health care needs" with a score of 4 or 5.
Approval Rate for PACT Act Related Claims since 08/10/22 (percentage)	Percentage of PACT act disability claims where at least one condition was granted (regardless of whether or not the condition was filed under PAC
Average Days for PACT Act Claims Completion	This metric indicates the length of time it takes VBA to process a PACT Act-related benefits claim. This is measured from the date VA receives a clai to the date VA finished processing the claim and closed it out + 1 day, to eliminate the possibility of claims being completed in 0 days (ex. claim completed on the day it was received).
	The Average Days to Complete (ADC) for PACT Act Related Claims is calculated based on the date VA received the claim, not the date VA began processing those claims. VA prioritized and completed some claims related to terminal illnesses, but VA did not begin processing most claims until January 1, 2023. As a result, the current value of ADC is inflated by any time between the date the claim was received and the January 1, 202 implementation date for processing. The high ADC for PACT claims demonstrates VA's commitment to completing oldest pending claims first.
ACT Act Related Rating Claims Completed = 125 days</td <td>This statistic identifies the number of VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions that have been completed in 125 days or l</td>	This statistic identifies the number of VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions that have been completed in 125 days or l
otal PACT Act Claims Approved	This metric identifies the number of completed PACT disability claims where at least one issue was granted.
PACT Act Planning Population	The PACT Act Planning Population consists of Veterans where VA has a high level of confidence they are a member of one or more of the three PACT Act eligible cohorts (Vietnam, Gulf-War, Post 9-11). VA is using this population as a means of identifying the impact of the PACT Act on enrollment in VA health care.
New Enrollees in the PACT Act Planning Population	This statistic measures the number of new enrollees in VA health care that fall within the PACT Act Planning Population to understand the impact of the PACT Act on enrollment. By design, this more focused metric will always be a subset of the metric above that shows overall new enrollment regardless of whether a Veteran is in an eligible PACT Act cohort. Together these two enrollment metrics help identify both the broad impact of PACT Act on enrollment - for example, those who may enroll for VA health care because of the publicity of PACT Act but are not directly eligible because of PACT Act—and the more direct impact of PACT Act—meaning those who are enrolling from populations VA assesses as becoming eligible due to the PACT Act.
Total New VHA Enrollees	This statistic identifies the total new VHA enrollments (newly registered healthcare beneficiaries) for the periods of August 2022-End of Current Month 2023 and August 2021-End of month 2022, for comparative analysis purposes.
ncrease in New Enrollees in VHA	This number identifies the change between 2023 and 2022 VHA enrollees during the same time period.
Upcoming Outreach Calendar	This calendar identifies key activities or outreach events occurring in the coming weeks.

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**Metric/Term** 

Total Toxic Exposure Screenings

Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed 1 Potential Exposure

Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed at least 1 Potential Exposure

Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed more than 1 Potential Exposure

New Enrollees in Priority Groups 1, 2, or 3

Weekly Total: PACT Act Related Claims Submitted Weekly Total: PACT Act Related Claims Completed Cumulative Total: PACT Act Related Claims Submitted Cumulative Total: PACT Act Related Claims Completed Weekly Total: Non-PACT Act Related Claims Submitted Weekly Total: Non-PACT Act Related Claims Completed Average Days for PACT Act Claims Completion PACT Act Related Rating Claims Pending </= 125 days

PACT Act Related Rating Claims Completed </= 125 days Average Days Pending for Non-PACT Act Related Claims Non-PACT Act Related Claims Pending </= 125 days Non-PACT Act Related Claims Completed </= 125 days Cumulative Total of Non-PACT Related Claims Submitted Cumulative Total of Non-PACT Related Claims Completed

Page Three **Metric/Term** 

Electronic PACT Act Claims Submitted by Power of Attorney (percentage)

Electronic PACT Act Claims Submitted by Veterans (percentage)

PACT Act Claims Submitted Electronically (percentage) PACT Act Claims Submitted through Mail (percentage) Mailed Claims Submitted with a Power of Attorney on File with VA (percentage)

Pending Claims-PACT Related Pending Claims-Non-PACT Related

#### Definition

This statistic identifies the number of Veterans who have received a VHA Toxic Exposure Screening. Every Veteran enrolled in VA health care will receive an initial screening and a follow-up screening at least once every 5 years. Veterans who are not enrolled and who meet eligibility requirements will have an opportunity to enroll and receive the screening.

The screening will ask Veterans if they think they were exposed to any of these hazards while serving: Open burn pits and other airborne hazards, Gulf War-related exposures, Agent Orange Radiation, Camp Lejeune contaminated water exposure and/or Other Exposures.

This statistic identifies the number of VHA Toxic Exposure Screenings where a Veteran identified at least one exposure to toxic substances. It includes the number of Veterans who received the screening, the number of Veterans who identified at least one potential concern related to a toxic substance exposure, and the percentage of responses in which Veterans identified at least one instance of toxic exposureduring the screening.

This statistic identifies the number of VHA Toxic Exposure Screenings where a Veteran identified exactly one exposure to toxic substances. Please note the difference from the metric above - the metric above includes Veterans who identified at least one (includes both those who identified one exposure and also those who identified more than one exposure); this metric only includes Veterans who identify exactly one exposure.

This statistic identifies the number of VHA Toxic Exposure Screenings where a Veteran identified more than one exposure to toxic substances. Please note the difference from the metric above—the metric above includes Veterans who identify exactly one potential concern; this metric includes Veterans who identify more than one potential concern.

Priority Groups: When Veterans apply for VA health care, they are assigned to 1 of 8 priority groups that impact how soon they are signed up for health care benefits and how much they may have to may (if anything) toward the cost of care. To learn more about the factors that impact assignment, please visit https://www.va.gov/health-care/eligibility/priority-groups.

This metric identifies the total number of VBA benefit claims with at least one PACT Act-related claimed issue received each week.

This metric identifies the number of VBA benefit claims with at least one PACT Act-related condition completed each week.

This statistic identifies the total number of VBA benefits claims with at least one PACT Act related condition received since August 10, 2022. This statistic identifies the total number of VBA claims with at least one PACT Act related condition completed since August 10, 2022.

This number identifies the total VBA benefits claims received each week not related to PACT Act.

This number identifies the total VBA benefits claims completed each week not related to PACT Act.

This metric identifies the average number of days it takes VBA to process a PACT Act related benefits claim.

This statistic identifies the current number of VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions that have been pending for 125 days or less.

This statistic identifies the number of VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions that have been completed in 125 days or less. This metric identifies the average number of days it takes VBA to process a Non-PACT Act related benefits claim

This statistic identifies the current number of pending VBA benefit claims with one or more Non-PACT Act-related conditions less than 125 days old. This statistic identifies the number of non-PACT VBA benefit claims that have been completed in 125 days or less.

This statistic identifies the cumulative total of VBA benefits claims received since August 10, 2022, which are not related to the PACT Act.

This statistic identifies the cumulative total of VBA benefits claims completed since August 10, 2022, which are not related to the PACT Act.

#### Definition

Total number of PACT disability claims submitted electronically by a Power of Attorney out of the total number of PACT disability claims submitted electronically.

Total number of PACT disability claims submitted electronically by a Veteran out of the total number of PACT disability claims submitted electronically.

Total number of PACT disability claims submitted electronically out of the total number of PACT disability claims submitted.

Total number of PACT disability claims submitted through mail out of the total number of PACT disability claims submitted. Total number of PACT disability claims submitted through mail where the Veteran is represented by a Power of Attorney out of the total number of PACT disability claims submitted through mail.

This metric identifies the number of VBA claims with at least one PACT Act-related condition pending in the workload. This metric identifies the number of VBA claims which do not have any conditions related to the PACT Act pending in the workload.

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Metric/Term	Definition
Total Pending PACT Act Related Claims with Partial Decisions	This metric identifies the number of currently pending PACT related disability benefit claims where a partial decision was rendered on the claim.
Total Pending Non-PACT Act Related Claims with Partial Decisions	This metric identifies the number of currently pending non-PACT related disability benefit claims where a partial decision was rendered on the claim.
Top 5 Most Frequent Conditions on PACT Act Related Claims	Top 5 most frequent conditions on PACT Act related disability claims with breakouts for the # of distinct claims associated with these claimed conditions, the total number of distinct issues claimed, the total number of issues granted, and the grant/denial rate.
	To learn more about these health issues, please visit the Veteran's Health Library, <u>https://www.veteranshealthlibrary.va.gov/</u> and the Veteran's Health Encyclopedia, https://www.veteranshealthlibrary.va.gov/Encyclopedia/Encyclopedia.pg?page=2&pagesize=25&letter=A
Most Frequent Denial Reasons	Top 3 reasons for denials on decisions on PACT disability claims: Not Incurred/Caused by Service: Claimed condition is denied because condition neither occurred in nor was caused by military service; No Diagnosis: Claimed condition is denied because the medical evidence of record fails to show that the disability has been clinically diagnosed; Not Established by Presumption: Claimed condition is denied because the evidence of record does not show that certain criteria was met for a grant of service connection on a presumptive basis.
Total Pending PACT Act Claims	This statistic identifies the current number of pending VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions.
Total Pending Non-PACT Act Claims	This statistic identifies the current number of pending VBA benefit claims without any PACT Act-related conditions.
VA.gov/PACT Page Views	This metric identifies the number of page views for the va.gov/PACT website.
Total Clicks on Call to Action to File a Disability Claim Online	This statistic identifies the number of times visitors to the VA.gov/PACT website clicked the "Apply for Benefits" link to file a disability compensation claim online.
Total Clicks on Call to Action to Enroll in Health Care	This statistic identifies the number of times visitors to the VA.gov/PACT website clicked the "Apply for Health Care" link to apply for VA health care online.
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Total Impressions	This statistic identifies the total number of PACT Act advertisements rendered on user screens through digital marketing. The impression is not action-based but is the user potentially seeing the PACT Act advertisement for awareness.
MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)	This statistic identifies the number of calls to 1-800-MyVA411 where callers selected the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8).
Total MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)	This statistic identifies the total number of calls received to the automated MyVA411 line (option 8), which provides information about the PACT Act to callers.
Stewardship	
Reminder: Stewardship information will be included in every other issue	of this dashboard publication (or when updated data is available).
Metric/Term	Definition
Full-Time Equivalent Employee (FTE)	Full-Time Equivalent refers to the total number of regular straight-time hours worked by employees divided by the number of compensable hours applicable to each fiscal year (regular method), or the total regular hours worked in a fiscal year (2,080 hours) divided by 26 biweekly pay periods (pay period method)(as per OMB A-11 Circular § 85.5(c)).
Account	Account refers to a separate financial reporting unit used by the Federal Government to record budget authority, outlays and income for budgeting or management information purposes as well as for accounting purposes.
Permanent Employee	An employee who has been hired under an appointment that is not time delimited.

Term Employee Onboarded

Funds Allocated Obligations

#### Geographical Analysis

Reminder: The Geographical Analysis is included in every other issue of this dashboard publication.

Metric/Term Veterans in State

Total PACT Act Related Claims Received Percentage of Total PACT Act Related Claims Received

Veterans Currently Enrolled with VA for Care

New Enrollees

Percentage of New Enrollees

#### **Further Geographic Explanations**

Symbol (-)

U.S. territories, Freely Associated States, and Philippines

Unknown/Foreign

<10 Privacy Threshold

#### Definition

This statistic identifies the number of Veterans in a particular location. This is a projection as of 09/30/2022. This projection is not subdivided for U.S. territories, Freely Associated States, and Philippines; this population is aggregated. This statistic identifies the total number of VBA benefit claims with at least one PACT Act-related condition separated by state of residence. This statistic identifies the percentage of VBA benefit claims with at least one PACT Act-related condition received in a particular state divided by the overall number of PACT Act related claims received.

An employee for whom the agency has granted a term appointment (of employment) of more than 1 year but usually not more than 4 years. Onboards (i.e., the number of personnel encumbering positions) are the number of employees (i.e., headcount) onboard when the data are reported. Note: "Onboards" differ from "FTE," which is a budgetary term based on compensable hours as opposed to headcount. Colloquially, "onboards" refers

This statistic identifies the number of Veterans enrolled in VHA healthcare who have a permanent address in a particular state. (This does not include those Veterans who do not have a permanent address or those with a permanent address outside the 50 states).

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#### This symbol indicates that data is unavailable.

U.S. territories, Freely Associated States, and Philippines group includes claims from Veterans and Survivors residing in the following locations: American Samoa, Federated States of Micronesia, Guam, Marshall Islands, Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, Palau, Philippines, and U.S. Virgin Islands.

The Unknown/Foreign group includes Veterans and Survivors with a foreign address or where state of residence information is currently unavailable.

To maintain Veteran and Survivor privacy, receipts and enrollments <10 cannot be publicly shared.

to newly hired employees who have started work with VA (their hiring is complete).

Obligation means a binding agreement that will result in outlays, immediately or in the future.

The amount of funding provided to each Administration or Staff Office.