

# 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.

If you, a Veteran, family member, or survivor would like more information about the PACT Act and your VA benefits, please start here:



**VA.GOV** VA.gov/PACT ask.VA.gov



CALL 1-800-MyVA411 24/7/365



**WALK-IN** VA.gov/find/ locations







Help spread the word-download PACT Act Outreach Materials!



# Highlights .....

# Prescription refill is now available via VA Health and Benefits mobile app!

You can now manage your VA prescriptions from your phone. The app also allows you to request VA-issued refills, track shipments, view history, and more. Read more here.



# Making a Difference Through the PACT Act

A Vietnam-era Navy Veteran filed his first VA disability claim in December 2015 and was granted a 10% rating for hearing loss. This Veteran also had prostate cancer, and upon learning that his service in Guam covered under the PACT Act, he filed a new claim for service connection on March 31, 2022. On February 16, 2023, his claim was granted and his disability rating increased from 10% to a combined rating of 100%, backdated to August 10, 2022 -- the day the PACT Act was signed into law. The Veteran received a lump sum retroactive award on February 21, 2023. This is life-changing for the Veteran and his family, and he is happy to share his story to encourage other Veterans to apply for the care and benefits they deserve.

#### VA IS EXPANDING CARE AND BENEFITS FOR VETERANS AND SURVIVORS



The PACT Act is perhaps the largest health care and benefits expansion in VA history. In this section, we are measuring the overall impact of the PACT Act in terms of its expansion of health care and benefits.

# Expanding Benefits .....



172,515

Total Veterans/Survivors with Completed PACT Act Related Claims (08/10/2022-03/18/2023)



169,060

Total Veterans with Completed **PACT Act Related Claims** 

3,458

**Total Survivors with Completed PACT Act Related Claims** 



# Expanding Care .....





Total New VHA Enrollees:



# **UPCOMING OUTREACH CALENDAR**

# April 01

**PACT Act** Awareness Event-Asheville, NC

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#### April 05

Understanding the PACT ACT-Online Event

#### **VIEW EVENT**

# April 05

**Awareness Event-**Mountain Home, TN

#### **VIEW EVENT**

# April 07

**Kiowa Tribe PACT Act Event-**Carnegie, OK

#### **VIEW EVENT**

# April 12

**Awareness Event-**Saginaw, MI

#### **VIEW EVENT**

# April 21

Seminole Nation PACT **Act Event-**Seminole, OK

**VIEW EVENT** 

For more information on these and other events, please visit https://www.va.gov/outreach-and-events/events/



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.



# Care Experience



2,437,470 **Total Toxic Exposure** Screenings (08/10/2022-03/18/2023)



41.5%

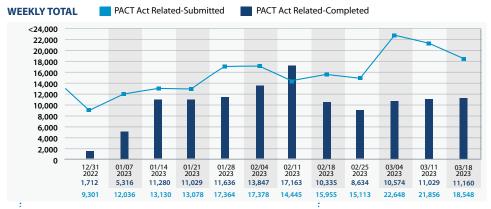
Toxic Exposure Screenings where Veterans Endorsed at least one Potential Exposure



# Benefits Experience

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

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







403,338 **Cumulative Total** 

**PACT Related** Claims Submitted (08/10/2022-03/18/2023)

392,477 Total Veteran PACT

**Related Claims Submitted** 10,861

**Total Survivor PACT** Related Claims Submitted

180,043 **Cumulative Total PACT Related** 

Claims Completed (08/10/2022-03/18/2023)

3,508 Total Survivor PACT

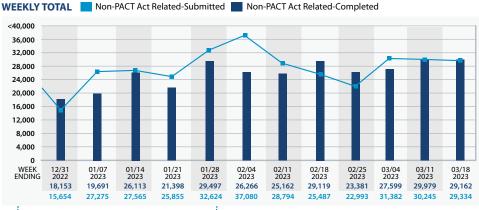
Total Veteran PACT

Related Claims Completed

Related Claims Completed

176,535

# Claims Submitted and Completed—Non-PACT Act Related





881,946 **Cumulative Total** Non-PACT Related Claims Submitted

(08/10/2022-03/18/2023)

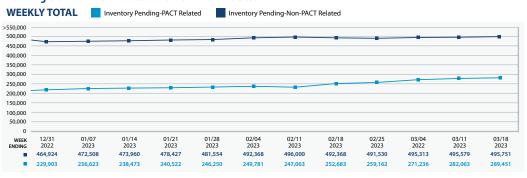


922,311

**Cumulative Total** Non-PACT Related Claims Completed (08/10/2022-03/18/2023)

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





- 1) Hypertensive Vascular Disease
- 2) Allergic Rhinitis
- 3) Maxillary Sinusitis
- 4) Bronchial Asthma
- 5) Malignant Growth of Genitourinary System

(As of 03/18/2023)



289,451 **Total Pending PACT Act** Related Claims (as of 03/18/2023)



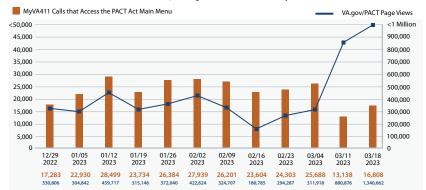
495,751 Total Pending Non-PACT Act Related Claims (as of 03/18/2023)



# Web Experience .....

# VA.gov/PACT Page Views & 1-800-MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)

This metric has been refreshed with more current data, resulting in some differences in weekly counts from this chart and the chart featured in Issue 1 (March 03, 2023).



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

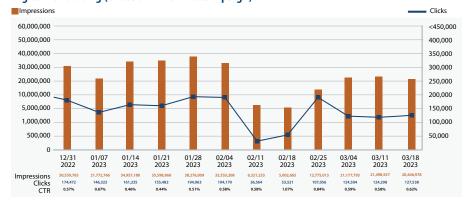


10.7M +**Total Page Views** 



324,431 Total Clicks on Call to Action to File a Disability Claim Online

#### Digital Advertising (ChooseVA PACT Act Campaign)



#### **Cumulative Totals:**

(08/10/2022-03/18/2023)

505,241,808 **Total Impressions** 

2,905,332 **Total Clicks** 

0.58% Click Through Rate



# Phone Experience

#### **VA Call Centers**



#### 478,311

Total MyVA411 that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)

(10/20/2022-03/18/2023)

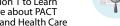
MAIN MENU



#### 94,556

**OPTION 1** 

Calls that Access Option 1 to Learn More about PACT Act and Health Care





#### 106,854

Calls that Access Option 2 to Learn More about PACT **ACT Benefits** 



#### 147,564

Calls that Access Option 3 to Learn More about the PACT Act Overall

**OPTION 3** 

GEOGRAPHICAL ANALYSIS Issue 3—March 31, 2023

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

U.S. STATES/TERRITORIES	PROJECTED # OF VETERANS IN STATE	% OF ALL VETERANS NATIONALLY	RELATED	% OF TOTAL PACT ACT RELATED CLAIMS RECEIVED	TOTAL NON-PACT ACT CLAIMS RECEIVED	% OF TOTAL NON-PACT ACT CLAIMS RECEIVED	VETERANS CURRENTLY ENROLLED WITH VA FOR CARE	% OF VETERANS CURRENTLY ENROLLED WITH VA FOR CARE	NEW ENROLLEES	% OF NEW
Alabama	351,132	1.89%	9,989	2.48%	22,018	2.50%	168,083	2.00%	3,849	1.90%
Alaska	69,838	0.38%	1,185	0.29%	2,588	0.29%	32,531	0.39%	969	0.48%
Arizona	498,546	2.68%	9,724	2.41%	20,056	2.27%	230,591	2.74%	4,791	2.36%
Arkansas	204,197	1.10%	4,633	1.15%	9,697	1.10%	100,437	1.19%	1,584	0.78%
California	1,534,710	8.25%	28,217	7.00%	72,069	8.17%	661,797	7.87%	18,219	8.98%
Colorado	374,233	2.01%	7,524	1.87%	17,110	1.94%	168,055	2.00%	5,067	2.50%
Connecticut	158,714	0.85%	2,330	0.58%	4,754	0.54%	62,230	0.74%	1,466	0.72%
Delaware	68,675	0.37%	1,233	0.31%	2,685	0.30%	26,494	0.32%	632	0.31%
District of Columbia	28,003	0.15%	413	0.10%	1,063	0.12%	10,927	0.13%	242	0.12%
Florida	1,450,597	7.80%	34,634	8.59%	82,009	9.30%	720,170	8.56%	17,085	8.42%
Georgia	678,304	3.65%	18,074	4.48%	45,891	5.20%	321,058	3.82%	8,202	4.04%
Hawaii	107,210	0.58%	2,488	0.62%	5,403	0.61%	46,069	0.55%	1,682	0.83%
Idaho	126,467	0.68%	2,616	0.65%	4,924	0.56%	61,679	0.73%	1,272	0.63%
Illinois	569,448	3.06%	10,031	2.49%	18,630	2.11%	223,979	2.66%	4,990	2.46%
Indiana	388,083	2.09%	7,863	1.95%	15,678	1.78%	163,454	1.94%	3,362	1.66%
lowa	182,640	0.98%	3,848	0.95%	6,833	0.77%	83,661	0.99%	1,686	0.83%
Kansas	186,099	1.00%	4,226	1.05%	6,978	0.79%	77,655	0.92%	1,901	0.94%
Kentucky	272,088	1.46%	6,147	1.52%	11,662	1.32%	125,162	1.49%	2,436	1.20%
Louisiana	267,174	1.44%	7,799	1.93%	15,958	1.81%	116,982	1.39%	2,704	1.33%
Maine	107,750	0.58%	1,668	0.41%	3,435	0.39%	50,480	0.60%	911	0.45%
Maryland	355,787	1.91%	7,519	1.86%	18,041	2.05%	145,407	1.73%	3,862	1.90%
Massachusetts	285,971	1.54%	3,975	0.99%	9,303	1.05%	113,214	1.35%	2,659	1.31%
Michigan	530,586	2.85%	9,495	2.35%	19,048	2.16%	203,877	2.42%	4,632	2.28%
Minnesota	294,232	1.58%	5,973	1.48%	10,553	1.20%	145,598	1.73%	2,842	1.40%
Mississippi	181,855	0.98%	5,594	1.39%	11,118	1.26%	87,377	1.04%	1,817	0.90%
Missouri	399,154	2.15%	8,061	2.00%	15,777	1.79%	180,617	2.15%	3,980	1.96%
Montana	86,399	0.46%	1,932	0.48%	3,464	0.39%	46,941	0.56%	1,101	0.54%
Nebraska	119,645	0.64%	3,000	0.74%	5,562	0.63%	61,746	0.73%	1,324	0.65%
Nevada	216,626	1.17%	5,197	1.29%	10,914	1.24%	108,570	1.29%	2,465	1.22%
New Hampshire	96,358	0.52%	1,373	0.34%	2,678	0.30%	41,426	0.49%	944	0.47%
New Jersey	310,802	1.67%	4,538	1.13%	11,159	1.27%	111,064	1.32%	2,831	1.40%
New Mexico	144,134	0.78%	2,789	0.69%	6,006	0.68%	69,346	0.82%	1,740	0.86%
New York	688,611	3.70%	10,055	2.49%	21,153	2.40%	284,373	3.38%	4,806	2.37%
North Carolina	687,364	3.70%	17,937	4.45%	43,276	4.91%	338,148	4.02%	9,192	4.53%
North Dakota	50,834	0.27%	1,145	0.28%		0.19%	24,242	0.29%	539	0.27%
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Ohio	695,454	3.74%	13,968	3.46%	25,296	2.87%		3.53%	6,415	3.16%
Oklahoma	281,728	1.52%	7,185	1.78%	15,440	1.75%	134,213	1.60%	3,304	1.63%
Oregon	271,871	1.46%	4,749	1.18%	9,255	1.05%	126,814	1.51%	2,093	1.03%
Pennsylvania	719,233	3.87%	11,413	2.83%	22,337	2.53%	289,743	3.44%	7,161	3.53%
Puerto Rico	73,146	0.39%	3,174	0.79%	8,339	0.95%	55,480	0.66%	1,180	0.58%
Rhode Island	58,026	0.31%	934	0.23%	2,955	0.25%	23,209	0.28%	489	0.24%
South Carolina	388,404	2.09%	10,618	2.63%	22,869	2.71%	191,491	2.28%	4,376	2.16%
South Dakota	63,322	0.34%	1,570	0.39%	2,747	0.34%	35,937	0.43%	767	0.38%
Tennessee	444,482	2.39%	10,952	2.72%	21,365	2.59%	209,928	2.50%	5,001	2.47%
Texas	1,543,168	8.30%	43,424	10.77%	103,868	11.78%	773,184	9.19%	21,634	10.669
U.S. Territories, Freely Assoc. States and Philippines										
American Samoa	-	-	103	0.03%	195	0.02%	993	0.01%	38	0.02%
Federated States of Micronesia	-	-	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	54	<0.01%	<10	<0.019
Guam	-	-	630	0.16%	934	0.11%	5,608	0.07%	221	0.11%
Marshall Islands	-	-	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.019
Cmlth of Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	59	0.01%	106	0.01%	529	0.01%	20	0.019
Palau	-	-	<10	<0.01%	38	<0.01%	40	<0.01%	<10	<0.01
Philippines	-	-	<10	<0.01%	<10	<0.01%	7,364	0.09%	76	0.049
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	138	0.03%	213	0.02%	2,189	0.03%	30	0.019
Unknown/Foreign	62,476	0.11%	2,281	0.57%	5,346	0.61%	27,641	0.32%	720	0.369
Utah	128,922	0.69%	2,613	0.65%	5,001	0.57%	57,301	0.68%	1,427	0.70%
Vermont	39,731	0.21%	522	0.13%	885	0.10%	17,290	0.21%	292	0.14%
Virginia	691,325	3.72%	15,923	3.95%	35,649	4.04%	287,948	3.42%	9,756	4.81%
Washington	533,346	2.87%	8,833	2.19%	18,679	2.12%	214,247	2.55%	5,578	2.759
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West Virginia	128,326	0.69%	2,827		5,415	0.61%		0.78%	1,084	0.53%
Wisconsin	331,650	1.78%	7,178	1.78%	12,018	1.36%	149,323	1.78%	2,915	1.44%
Wyoming	45,435	0.24%	1,014	0.25%	1,838	0.21%	24,208	0.29%	505	0.25%
TOTALS	18,755,384	100.00%	403,338	100.00%	881,946	100.00%	8,410,742	100.00%	202,866	100.00

**EXPLANATION OF TERMS** Issue 3—March 31, 2023

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#### Metric/Term

Total Veterans/Survivors with Completed PACT Act Claims

Total Veterans with Completed PACT Act Claims Total Survivors with Completed PACT Act Claims

Total New VHA Enrollees

Increase in New Enrollees in VHA Upcoming Outreach Calendar

#### Definition

This metric identifies the unique number of Veterans and Survivors who have filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed

This metric identifies the unique number of Veterans who filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed to completion.

This metric identifies the unique number of Survivors who filed a PACT Act benefit claim which VBA processed to completion.

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.

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.

This number identifies the change between 2023 and 2022 VHA enrollees during the same time period.

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 at least 1 Exposure

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 Cumulative Total of Non-PACT Related Claims Submitted Cumulative Total of Non-PACT Related Claims Completed

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 exposure

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 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.

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#### Metric/Term

Inventory Pending-PACT Related Inventory Pending-Non-PACT Related Top 5 PACT Act Conditions Granted

Total Pending PACT Act Claims Total Pending Non-PACT Act Claims MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8) VA.gov/PACT Page Views Total Clicks on Call to Action to File a Disability Claim Online

Total MyVA411 Calls that Access the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8)

#### Definition

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.

This statistic identifies the five presumptive conditions related to the PACT Act which are most frequently granted on VBA disability compensation rating decisions.

This statistic identifies the current number of pending VBA benefit claims with one or more PACT Act-related conditions.

This statistic identifies the current number of pending VBA benefit claims without any PACT Act-related conditions.

This statistic identifies the number of calls to 1-800-MyVA411 where callers selected the PACT Act Main Menu (Press 8).

This metric identifies the number of page views for the va.gov/PACT website.

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. 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 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.

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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**

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

Philippines.

Unknown/Foreign

<10 Privacy Threshold

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. 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). This statistic identifies the number of Veterans newly 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). This statistic identifies the percentage of Veterans newly enrolled in VHA healthcare who have a permanent address in a particular state, divided by the overall Veteran population. (This does not include those Veterans who do not have a permanent address or those with a

permanent address outside the 50 states).

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, Pand 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.

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