

Alarming Number of Homeless Veterans: Over 67K Homeless, 1M+ Veterans Living in Poverty

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AUSTIN, TEXAS, UNITED STATES, August 8, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The United States is facing an alarming rise in homelessness among its military veterans, with over 67,495 veterans without a permanent place to call home in 2023. This disheartening statistic reveals that veterans make up 10.6% of the total homeless population in the country, highlighting the urgent



How Many Homeless Veterans Are There

need for comprehensive support and solutions to address this crisis.

According to recent data, veterans are twice as likely to experience homelessness compared to those who did not serve in the military. This troubling trend underscores the unique challenges

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I am incredibly passionate about ending veteran homelessness. By partnering with numerous non-profit organizations, we can make a direct impact to get more veterans off the streets and into houses."

Brian Reese

faced by those who have bravely served their country, often resulting in difficulties transitioning back into civilian life. The lack of stable housing for these heroes is a pressing issue that demands immediate attention and action.

Furthermore, the distressing reality continues as more than one million veterans find themselves living in poverty in 2023. "Poverty" is defined as living at or below the <u>DOL</u> and <u>HHS</u> poverty line. This staggering number highlights the ongoing struggle faced by those who have dedicated their lives to protecting our nation. It is imperative that we

recognize and address the underlying factors contributing to this widespread poverty among our veterans.

The plight of homeless veterans and those living in poverty is a national concern that requires a collaborative effort from government agencies, non-profit organizations, and communities across the country. By working together, we can ensure that those who have selflessly served our nation receive the support and resources they need to rebuild their lives.

To combat this crisis, it is crucial to invest in affordable housing programs specifically tailored to meet the unique needs of veterans. Additionally, comprehensive support services, including mental health care, job training, and access to healthcare, must be made readily available to help veterans reintegrate into society successfully. We call upon policymakers, community leaders, and citizens alike to join forces and prioritize the well-being of our veterans.

Together, we can make a difference and ensure that no veteran is left without a home or trapped in poverty. For more information on how you can contribute to ending veteran homelessness and poverty, please visit <u>VA Claims Insider</u> or contact us via email: media@vaclaimsinsider.com.

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