

Report on VA Facility Specific Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF), Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF), and Operation New Dawn (OND) Veterans Diagnosed with Potential or Provisional PTSD

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Introduction

This report was delayed because of the need for the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) and the Department of Defense (DoD) to enhance data security.

This quarterly report on Veterans who have used VA health care and who served in Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF), Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF), or Operation New Dawn (OND), shows the number and distribution of these Veterans diagnosed with a potential or provisional diagnosis of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD). This report includes only those Veterans diagnosed at a VA medical center (VAMC), Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN), or Vet Center. This report is created by linking the DoD roster of returning Veterans to VA's electronic inpatient and outpatient health records and Vet Center records.

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Background

This report is provided in response to a Government Accountability Office (GAO) request that VA enumerate the total number of OEF, OIF, and OND Veterans who were diagnosed with PTSD by VISN and specific VAMC using VA inpatient and outpatient records. It was also requested that this information be aggregated with Vet Center utilization data. The Veterans Health Administration (VHA) prepared an initial report in October 2004 for health care utilization during FY 2004 (October 1, 2003-September 30, 2004). This current report covers VA health care data for FY 2002 through 2nd Qtr FY 2013 (October 1, 2001 – March 31, 2013).

Data Sources

OEF/OIF/OND Veteran Roster

Since October 2003, the Department of Defense (DoD) Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC) has sent the VA, Office of Public Health, Post-Deployment Health Group, Epidemiology Program (EP), a periodically updated personnel roster of troops who participated in OEF/OIF/OND and who separated from active duty and became eligible for VA benefits. In September 2004 and April 2013, DMDC revised procedures for creating periodic updates of the roster. DMDC now utilizes additional service branch information from service branches of Veterans who served in OEF/OIF/OND troops to update the roster. Based on the latest DMDC file received on September 4, 2013, there are a total of 1,648,764 unique OEF/OIF/OND Veterans (including 5,790 Veterans who died in-theater) who, as of February 2013, separated from active duty following a deployment. For each Veteran, their demographic (social security number, name, date of birth, gender, education, etc.) and military service specific data (branch, rank, unit component, deployment dates, etc.) were included in the record. Beginning in 3rd Qtr FY 2009 (April 1, 2009- June 30, 2009), Veterans who died in-theater are included in both the DMDC total roster and health care utilization data because this is a cumulative report going back to 2002, and, due to the duration of the OEF/OIF/OND conflict and repeated deployments, a certain number of these Veterans may have accessed VA health care services for the evaluation and/or treatment of PTSD.

VHA Health Care Utilization Records

The roster was checked against VA's inpatient (PTF) and outpatient (OPC) electronic patient records available through March 31, 2013 to identify those who had sought treatment in VA facilities and to identify the International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM) diagnostic codes used to describe the visits. These are administrative data and are not based on a review of each patient record. For the purpose of this report, a search was conducted of individual health care utilization records during FY 2002 – 2nd Qtr FY 2013 following first deployments in Iraq or Afghanistan. For identification of a potential or provisional PTSD patient, we used ICD-9-CM, 309.81.

The Vet Center counts were based on the data provided to EP on October 21, 2013 by the Readjustment Counseling Service (RCS). The RCS staff matched the same DMDC roster with Vet Center users' records through 2nd Qtr FY 2013. The Epidemiology Program does not make any modifications to the data provided by RCS.

Distribution of Veterans by Diagnostic Code and Facility

- A Veteran is counted only once in any facility specific category. For example, a Veteran who received health care from two or more medical centers within the same VISN was counted once for that VISN. Likewise, a Veteran who used services across two or more VISN facilities and a Vet Center was counted only once for the national overall total.
- The number for “Primary” indicates the total number of unique Veterans whose primary reason for the inpatient or outpatient visit was for treatment or evaluation of PTSD.
- The number for “Any” indicates the total number of unique Veterans coded with PTSD, whether or not the primary reasons for the inpatient or outpatient visit was for treatment or evaluation of PTSD.
- Both “Primary” and “Any” categories may include a preliminary diagnosis.

Summary

A query of VHA health care utilization databases using the February 2013 DMDC roster yielded a total of 274,319 OEF/OIF/OND Veterans coded with PTSD at a VAMC and 70,212 Veterans who received Vet Center service for PTSD. Of these, 227,663 were seen only at a VAMC; 23,556 only at a Vet Center; and 46,656 were seen at both facilities. In summary, based on the electronic patient records available through March 31, 2013, a grand total of 297,875 OEF/OIF/OND Veterans were seen for potential or provisional PTSD at VHA facilities following their return from Iraq or Afghanistan.

OEF/OIF/OND Veterans with a Diagnosis of Potential or Provisional PTSD Using VA Facilities

Table 1: Number and Distribution of Unique OEF/OIF/OND Veterans with Potential or Provisional PTSD Utilizing VA Facilities during FY 2002-2nd Qtr FY 2013¹

| VISN-Facility | Inpatients-Primary ² | Inpatients-Any ³ | Outpatients-Primary ⁵ | Outpatients-Any ⁶ | Total Patients-Primary ⁵ | Total Patients-Any ⁶ | Vet Centers-PTSD | Vet Centers-Outreach | Vet Centers-Others | Grand Total ⁴ |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 1-BEDFORD | 101 | 295 | 1,231 | 1,379 | 1,239 | 1,406 | 219 | 136 | 281 | 1,524 |
| 1-BOSTON | 235 | 722 | 2,820 | 3,303 | 2,839 | 3,423 | 1,026 | 193 | 3,116 | 3,891 |
| 1-MANCHESTER | . | . | 1,132 | 1,276 | 1,132 | 1,276 | 427 | 51 | 1,193 | 1,486 |
| 1-NORTHAMPTON | 307 | 374 | 1,226 | 1,406 | 1,300 | 1,486 | 377 | 1,651 | 870 | 1,652 |
| 1-PROVIDENCE | 81 | 201 | 1,326 | 1,485 | 1,332 | 1,506 | 559 | 106 | 2,471 | 1,753 |
| 1-TOGUS | 72 | 169 | 1,450 | 1,617 | 1,454 | 1,631 | 1,031 | 808 | 1,168 | 2,109 |
| 1-WEST HAVEN | 77 | 239 | 2,845 | 3,027 | 2,845 | 3,051 | 902 | 283 | 2,160 | 3,334 |
| 1-WHITE RIVER JCT | 74 | 180 | 1,171 | 1,342 | 1,176 | 1,367 | 1,216 | 303 | 763 | 2,169 |
| VISN 1 | 838 | 1,834 | 11,622 | 12,844 | 11,635 | 12,954 | 5,757 | 3,531 | 12,022 | 15,334 |
| 2-UPSTATE N.Y. HCS | 368 | 726 | 6,240 | 6,871 | 6,257 | 6,914 | 1,682 | 6,920 | 6,641 | 7,705 |
| VISN 2 | 368 | 726 | 6,240 | 6,871 | 6,257 | 6,914 | 1,682 | 6,920 | 6,641 | 7,705 |
| 3-BRONX | 75 | 155 | 1,181 | 1,318 | 1,186 | 1,337 | 199 | 95 | 167 | 1,402 |
| 3-EAST ORANGE | 177 | 330 | 3,033 | 3,338 | 3,040 | 3,362 | 1,699 | 22,463 | 1,870 | 4,462 |
| 3-MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY | 91 | 142 | 1,140 | 1,223 | 1,143 | 1,229 | 250 | 97 | 464 | 1,353 |
| 3-N.Y. HARBOR HCS | 83 | 306 | 2,654 | 3,008 | 2,661 | 3,047 | 676 | 1,153 | 1,112 | 3,350 |
| 3-NORTHPORT | 92 | 218 | 1,251 | 1,426 | 1,253 | 1,440 | 185 | 40 | 256 | 1,489 |
| VISN 3 | 491 | 1,059 | 8,505 | 9,392 | 8,521 | 9,450 | 3,009 | 23,848 | 3,869 | 10,978 |
| 4-BUTLER | . | . | 587 | 671 | 587 | 671 | . | . | . | 671 |
| 4-CLARKSBURG | 54 | 149 | 1,010 | 1,130 | 1,013 | 1,152 | 247 | 1,177 | 384 | 1,251 |
| 4-COATESVILLE | 112 | 248 | 1,282 | 1,351 | 1,299 | 1,392 | . | . | . | 1,392 |
| 4-ERIE | . | 19 | 731 | 805 | 731 | 807 | 225 | 42 | 273 | 892 |
| 4-JAMES E VAN ZANDT VAMC | ¹ | 34 | 1,062 | 1,227 | 1,062 | 1,228 | 141 | 232 | ¹ | 1,295 |
| 4-LEBANON | 77 | 200 | 1,680 | 1,823 | 1,685 | 1,842 | 445 | 1,084 | 94 | 2,034 |

¹ To protect the privacy of Veterans, frequencies of fewer than 10 individuals are not reported.

² The number for “Primary” indicates the total number of unique Veterans whose primary reason for the inpatient or outpatient visit was for treatment or evaluation of PTSD.

³ The number for “Any” indicates the total number of unique Veterans with PTSD whether or not the primary reasons for the inpatient or outpatient visit was for treatment or evaluation of PTSD.

⁴ The number for “Grand Total” (n= 297,875) indicates the sum of “Any Total Patients” (n=274,319) and “Vet Center PTSD” (n=70,212) after excluding duplicates (n=46,656).

| VISN-Facility | Inpatients-Primary ² | Inpatients-Any ³ | Outpatients-Primary ⁵ | Outpatients-Any ⁶ | Total Patients-Primary ⁵ | Total Patients-Any ⁶ | Vet Centers-PTSD | Vet Centers-Outreach | Vet Centers-Others | Grand Total ⁴ |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 4-PHILADELPHIA | 95 | 283 | 3,186 | 3,476 | 3,188 | 3,490 | 434 | 647 | 178 | 3,652 |
| 4-PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR | 149 | 378 | 1,133 | 1,359 | 1,177 | 1,510 | 906 | 1,078 | 615 | 2,174 |
| 4-WILKES BARRE | 36 | 155 | 1,320 | 1,515 | 1,322 | 1,526 | 541 | 1,204 | 586 | 1,822 |
| 4-WILMINGTON | 1 | 20 | 926 | 1,012 | 926 | 1,013 | 519 | 1,027 | 132 | 1,252 |
| VISN 4 | 499 | 1,371 | 11,434 | 12,643 | 11,451 | 12,753 | 3,458 | 6,491 | 2,271 | 14,295 |
| 5-BALTIMORE | 104 | 241 | 2,084 | 2,420 | 2,094 | 2,447 | 593 | 2,371 | 396 | 2,712 |
| 5-MARTINSBURG | 73 | 203 | 1,887 | 1,979 | 1,888 | 1,986 | 218 | 176 | 79 | 2,050 |
| 5-WASHINGTON | 78 | 244 | 3,281 | 3,760 | 3,291 | 3,800 | 1,133 | 1,943 | 686 | 4,324 |
| VISN 5 | 245 | 643 | 6,860 | 7,687 | 6,873 | 7,733 | 1,944 | 4,490 | 1,161 | 8,532 |
| 6-ASHEVILLE-OTTEEN | 116 | 221 | 924 | 1,053 | 933 | 1,084 | . | . | . | 1,084 |
| 6-BECKLEY | . | 19 | 761 | 799 | 761 | 799 | 245 | 30 | 95 | 876 |
| 6-DURHAM | 170 | 308 | 2,478 | 2,737 | 2,486 | 2,784 | 902 | 7,971 | 293 | 3,239 |
| 6-FAYETTEVILLE NC | 177 | 361 | 4,406 | 5,077 | 4,422 | 5,108 | 1,262 | 25,266 | 988 | 5,948 |
| 6-HAMPTON | 88 | 175 | 2,520 | 2,892 | 2,522 | 2,905 | 528 | 4,965 | 632 | 3,188 |
| 6-RICHMOND | 101 | 356 | 2,611 | 2,970 | 2,627 | 3,101 | 466 | 1,735 | 225 | 3,353 |
| 6-SALEM | 174 | 290 | 1,289 | 1,464 | 1,331 | 1,538 | 72 | 12 | 1 | 1,551 |
| 6-SALISBURY | 322 | 479 | 3,815 | 4,596 | 3,821 | 4,626 | 730 | 3,625 | 506 | 4,968 |
| VISN 6 | 1,072 | 1,990 | 17,063 | 19,236 | 17,093 | 19,390 | 4,420 | 44,179 | 2,818 | 21,613 |
| 7-ATLANTA | 164 | 427 | 4,768 | 5,300 | 4,771 | 5,322 | 857 | 3,267 | 255 | 5,710 |
| 7-AUGUSTA | 200 | 439 | 2,174 | 2,356 | 2,185 | 2,427 | . | . | . | 2,427 |
| 7-BIRMINGHAM | 1 | 211 | 2,798 | 3,101 | 2,798 | 3,139 | 429 | 3,167 | 225 | 3,326 |
| 7-CHARLESTON | 64 | 246 | 3,659 | 4,167 | 3,663 | 4,196 | 1,042 | 9,672 | 753 | 4,713 |
| 7-COLUMBIA SC | 66 | 238 | 3,935 | 4,288 | 3,940 | 4,298 | 855 | 4,127 | 218 | 4,688 |
| 7-DUBLIN | . | 49 | 1,505 | 1,681 | 1,505 | 1,683 | 86 | 17 | 27 | 1,727 |
| 7-MONTGOMERY | 169 | 360 | 3,204 | 3,651 | 3,223 | 3,691 | 162 | 45 | 10 | 3,733 |
| 7-TUSCALOOSA | 163 | 251 | 1,638 | 1,692 | 1,651 | 1,712 | . | . | . | 1,712 |
| VISN 7 | 795 | 2,035 | 21,622 | 23,831 | 21,633 | 23,931 | 3,431 | 20,295 | 1,488 | 25,257 |
| 8-BAY PINES | 136 | 333 | 2,566 | 2,793 | 2,573 | 2,818 | 484 | 1,660 | 173 | 2,963 |
| 8-MIAMI | 107 | 276 | 2,620 | 2,877 | 2,628 | 2,904 | 847 | 2,206 | 1,337 | 3,320 |
| 8-N FL/S GA HCS | 108 | 397 | 3,801 | 4,354 | 3,810 | 4,390 | 1,008 | 5,502 | 578 | 4,841 |
| 8-ORLANDO FL VAMC | . | . | 3,806 | 4,221 | 3,806 | 4,221 | 801 | 2,621 | 332 | 4,496 |
| 8-SAN JUAN PR | 92 | 389 | 1,739 | 2,059 | 1,740 | 2,075 | 606 | 4,170 | 1,449 | 2,302 |
| 8-TAMPA | 170 | 744 | 2,929 | 3,646 | 2,953 | 3,901 | 270 | 611 | 189 | 4,020 |
| 8-W PALM BEACH | 100 | 259 | 1,410 | 1,557 | 1,413 | 1,580 | 293 | 318 | 103 | 1,671 |
| VISN 8 | 681 | 2,270 | 16,884 | 18,965 | 16,901 | 19,212 | 4,309 | 17,088 | 4,161 | 20,792 |
| 9-HUNTINGTON | . | 45 | 986 | 1,076 | 986 | 1,077 | 377 | 1,481 | 200 | 1,304 |
| 9-LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN | 99 | 350 | 1,877 | 2,035 | 1,882 | 2,080 | 190 | 540 | 86 | 2,159 |
| 9-LOUISVILLE | 67 | 265 | 1,565 | 1,831 | 1,574 | 1,880 | 141 | 2,259 | 62 | 1,947 |
| 9-MEMPHIS | 132 | 274 | 1,826 | 2,095 | 1,835 | 2,124 | 673 | 2,043 | 179 | 2,515 |
| 9-MOUNTAIN HOME | 124 | 302 | 2,253 | 2,472 | 2,255 | 2,478 | 610 | 663 | 195 | 2,701 |
| 9-VA MID TENN HCS NASH TN | 411 | 899 | 4,857 | 5,390 | 4,879 | 5,499 | 916 | 1,111 | 174 | 5,872 |
| VISN 9 | 809 | 2,030 | 12,735 | 14,147 | 12,764 | 14,307 | 2,907 | 8,097 | 896 | 15,577 |
| 10-CHILLICOTHE | 106 | 293 | 1,041 | 1,159 | 1,053 | 1,213 | . | . | . | 1,213 |

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| 10-CINCINNATI | 113 | 270 | 2,014 | 2,195 | 2,018 | 2,224 | 164 | 3,059 | 691 | 2,281 |
| 10-CLEVELAND-WADE PARK | 87 | 329 | 3,027 | 3,360 | 3,028 | 3,391 | 379 | 2,137 | 1,677 | 3,513 |
| 10-COLUMBUS-IOC | . | . | 1,558 | 1,797 | 1,558 | 1,797 | 397 | 89 | 284 | 1,994 |
| 10-DAYTON | 139 | 309 | 1,509 | 1,718 | 1,525 | 1,770 | 114 | 38 | 44 | 1,813 |
| VISN 10 | 434 | 1,138 | 8,463 | 9,427 | 8,477 | 9,510 | 1,054 | 5,323 | 2,696 | 9,875 |
| 11-ANN ARBOR HCS | 98 | 240 | 2,068 | 2,318 | 2,080 | 2,358 | 184 | 225 | 31 | 2,428 |
| 11-BATTLE CREEK | 244 | 381 | 2,336 | 2,558 | 2,348 | 2,589 | 530 | 1,298 | 63 | 2,838 |
| 11-DETROIT VAMC | 54 | 195 | 1,329 | 1,695 | 1,340 | 1,742 | 472 | 1,058 | 85 | 1,964 |
| 11-ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL | 59 | 179 | 1,611 | 1,890 | 1,612 | 1,901 | 313 | 1,524 | 1,465 | 2,028 |
| 11-INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST | 119 | 276 | 2,080 | 2,424 | 2,090 | 2,460 | 137 | 2,228 | 381 | 2,525 |
| 11-NORTHERN INDIANA HCS | 48 | 152 | 1,378 | 1,561 | 1,385 | 1,579 | 227 | 1,035 | 278 | 1,680 |
| 11-SAGINAW | . | 21 | 1,616 | 1,796 | 1,616 | 1,796 | 166 | 57 | 57 | 1,850 |
| VISN 11 | 579 | 1,287 | 11,136 | 12,590 | 11,147 | 12,659 | 2,029 | 7,425 | 2,360 | 13,411 |
| 12-HINES | 115 | 368 | 2,391 | 2,538 | 2,397 | 2,588 | 369 | 223 | 195 | 2,760 |
| 12-IRON MOUNTAIN | ¹ | 16 | 554 | 648 | 554 | 648 | 78 | 152 | 186 | 678 |
| 12-MADISON | 74 | 255 | 1,312 | 1,479 | 1,323 | 1,532 | 914 | 30,475 | 1,588 | 2,329 |
| 12-MILWAUKEE | 119 | 347 | 2,509 | 2,763 | 2,515 | 2,786 | 326 | 281 | 468 | 2,910 |
| 12-NORTH CHICAGO | 69 | 181 | 1,354 | 1,616 | 1,373 | 1,647 | 246 | 875 | 175 | 1,820 |
| 12-TOMAH | 69 | 177 | 1,321 | 1,476 | 1,325 | 1,491 | 77 | 35 | 35 | 1,534 |
| 12-VA CHICAGO HCS | 109 | 236 | 1,654 | 1,900 | 1,660 | 1,922 | 345 | 631 | 616 | 2,092 |
| VISN 12 | 510 | 1,419 | 9,928 | 11,054 | 9,956 | 11,156 | 2,405 | 32,689 | 3,273 | 12,437 |
| 15-VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO | 246 | 622 | 4,350 | 4,824 | 4,361 | 4,873 | 715 | 3,219 | 845 | 5,183 |
| 15-VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO | 715 | 1,262 | 6,650 | 7,460 | 6,798 | 7,662 | 915 | 9,257 | 1,336 | 8,094 |
| VISN 15 | 943 | 1,839 | 10,797 | 12,044 | 10,938 | 12,266 | 1,630 | 12,476 | 2,181 | 12,981 |
| 16-ALEXANDRIA | 86 | 284 | 1,705 | 1,932 | 1,718 | 1,983 | 35 | 10 | ¹ | 1,997 |
| 16-FAYETTEVILLE AR | 111 | 292 | 2,088 | 2,247 | 2,094 | 2,278 | 293 | 173 | 118 | 2,410 |
| 16-GULF COAST HCS | 101 | 225 | 2,896 | 3,224 | 2,902 | 3,252 | 945 | 3,679 | 288 | 3,745 |
| 16-HOUSTON | 516 | 787 | 4,876 | 5,235 | 4,904 | 5,295 | 479 | 808 | 158 | 5,480 |
| 16-JACKSON | 77 | 192 | 1,275 | 1,491 | 1,280 | 1,520 | 259 | 2,514 | 235 | 1,615 |
| 16-LITTLE ROCK | 390 | 629 | 3,376 | 3,623 | 3,396 | 3,668 | 481 | 770 | 572 | 3,834 |
| 16-MUSKOGEE | 82 | 228 | 1,836 | 1,987 | 1,842 | 2,011 | 366 | 29 | 62 | 2,187 |
| 16-OKLAHOMA CITY | 146 | 409 | 2,901 | 3,330 | 2,914 | 3,405 | 514 | 804 | 156 | 3,594 |
| 16-SHREVEPORT | 135 | 261 | 1,827 | 1,992 | 1,837 | 2,015 | 582 | 5,561 | 106 | 2,363 |
| 16-SOUTHEAST LA HCS | ¹ | ¹ | 2,164 | 2,428 | 2,164 | 2,428 | 664 | 2,928 | 352 | 2,804 |
| VISN 16 | 1,537 | 2,987 | 23,293 | 25,581 | 23,341 | 25,776 | 4,618 | 17,276 | 2,050 | 27,722 |
| 17-DALLAS | 257 | 626 | 6,188 | 6,749 | 6,197 | 6,786 | 1,030 | 1,442 | 326 | 7,247 |
| 17-SAN ANTONIO | 188 | 558 | 5,807 | 6,539 | 5,812 | 6,566 | 1,689 | 5,126 | 710 | 7,344 |
| 17-TX VALLEY COASTAL BEND HCS | . | . | 1,563 | 1,808 | 1,563 | 1,808 | . | . | . | 1,808 |
| 17-VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS | 398 | 650 | 7,829 | 8,768 | 7,846 | 8,803 | 2,564 | 35,414 | 2,536 | 10,198 |
| VISN 17 | 829 | 1,792 | 19,801 | 21,984 | 19,823 | 22,071 | 5,448 | 42,063 | 3,621 | 24,569 |
| 18-AMARILLO HCS | ¹ | 54 | 1,177 | 1,268 | 1,177 | 1,272 | 336 | 124 | 159 | 1,394 |
| 18-EL PASO HCS | . | . | 1,892 | 2,159 | 1,892 | 2,159 | 194 | 5,357 | 536 | 2,252 |
| 18-NEW MEXICO HCS | 125 | 295 | 2,711 | 2,917 | 2,713 | 2,934 | 859 | 663 | 290 | 3,242 |

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|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 18-NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS | 1 | 15 | 863 | 944 | 863 | 945 | 250 | 81 | 67 | 1,044 |
| 18-PHOENIX | 268 | 556 | 4,965 | 5,443 | 4,978 | 5,490 | 845 | 2,873 | 318 | 5,777 |
| 18-SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS | 281 | 476 | 2,290 | 2,599 | 2,309 | 2,657 | 497 | 4,992 | 1,225 | 2,904 |
| 18-WEST TEXAS HCS | 1 | 12 | 995 | 1,097 | 995 | 1,097 | 214 | 96 | 237 | 1,172 |
| VISN 18 | 649 | 1,328 | 13,992 | 15,366 | 14,004 | 15,439 | 3,195 | 14,186 | 2,832 | 16,541 |
| 19-CHEYENNE | 1 | 14 | 1,161 | 1,288 | 1,161 | 1,289 | 451 | 698 | 391 | 1,496 |
| 19-DENVER | 373 | 578 | 5,979 | 6,916 | 6,000 | 6,958 | 1,469 | 8,836 | 1,815 | 7,504 |
| 19-FORT HARRISON | 70 | 149 | 1,943 | 2,137 | 1,946 | 2,143 | 720 | 1,706 | 389 | 2,424 |
| 19-GRAND JUNCTION | 26 | 49 | 492 | 526 | 492 | 530 | 96 | 1 | 16 | 570 |
| 19-SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE | 159 | 400 | 2,933 | 3,322 | 2,936 | 3,348 | 723 | 2,675 | 953 | 3,664 |
| 19-SHERIDAN | 148 | 257 | 892 | 1,014 | 901 | 1,028 | . | . | . | 1,028 |
| VISN 19 | 720 | 1,318 | 12,533 | 14,207 | 12,553 | 14,265 | 3,459 | 13,924 | 3,564 | 15,549 |
| 20-ALASKA HCS & RO | . | . | 1,081 | 1,228 | 1,081 | 1,228 | 829 | 2,751 | 2,441 | 1,684 |
| 20-BOISE | 53 | 109 | 944 | 1,171 | 951 | 1,185 | 491 | 765 | 1,143 | 1,477 |
| 20-PORTLAND | 187 | 485 | 4,086 | 4,662 | 4,090 | 4,709 | 877 | 1,377 | 944 | 4,989 |
| 20-PUGET SOUND HCS | 542 | 794 | 6,328 | 7,958 | 6,399 | 7,149 | 1,821 | 9,788 | 2,570 | 8,077 |
| 20-S.ORG REHAB WHITE CITY | . | . | 728 | 768 | 728 | 768 | 123 | 64 | 160 | 812 |
| 20-SPOKANE | 52 | 137 | 1,281 | 1,444 | 1,284 | 1,454 | 726 | 914 | 3,919 | 1,855 |
| 20-VA ROSEBURG HCS | 232 | 253 | 1,149 | 1,250 | 1,214 | 1,312 | 450 | 3,412 | 539 | 1,531 |
| 20-WALLA WALLA | 1 | 1 | 938 | 1,071 | 938 | 1,071 | 10 | 14 | 20 | 1,073 |
| VISN 20 | 1,002 | 1,663 | 15,266 | 17,118 | 15,313 | 17,206 | 5,327 | 19,085 | 11,736 | 19,461 |
| 21-CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS | 80 | 192 | 1,355 | 1,527 | 1,356 | 1,542 | 326 | 1,734 | 303 | 1,665 |
| 21-HONOLULU | 33 | 69 | 1,691 | 1,904 | 1,693 | 1,914 | 478 | 1,694 | 3,177 | 2,129 |
| 21-MANILA | . | . | 285 | 309 | 285 | 309 | . | . | . | 309 |
| 21-NCHC MARTINEZ | 50 | 178 | 3,508 | 4,277 | 3,512 | 4,293 | 1,147 | 2,207 | 1,009 | 4,751 |
| 21-PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO | 175 | 577 | 3,376 | 3,738 | 3,403 | 3,881 | 738 | 5,097 | 1,838 | 4,153 |
| 21-SAN FRANCISCO | 38 | 153 | 1,529 | 1,654 | 1,532 | 1,700 | 326 | 505 | 538 | 1,795 |
| 21-SIERRA NEVADA HCS | 39 | 135 | 951 | 1,040 | 953 | 1,061 | 187 | 1,505 | 117 | 1,135 |
| VISN 21 | 402 | 1,239 | 11,788 | 13,301 | 11,812 | 13,469 | 3,202 | 12,742 | 6,982 | 14,555 |
| 22-GREATER LA HCS | 156 | 413 | 4,763 | 5,564 | 4,769 | 5,616 | 1,092 | 3,562 | 2,253 | 6,060 |
| 22-LOMA LINDA | 177 | 525 | 3,725 | 4,390 | 3,732 | 4,445 | 1,073 | 9,234 | 955 | 5,077 |
| 22-VA LONG BEACH HCS CA | 105 | 277 | 3,815 | 4,219 | 3,821 | 4,245 | 663 | 410 | 1,107 | 4,634 |
| 22-VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA | 118 | 505 | 5,559 | 6,364 | 5,566 | 6,415 | 1,241 | 8,003 | 4,442 | 6,953 |
| 22-VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS | 74 | 182 | 1,739 | 1,970 | 1,750 | 1,996 | 358 | 58 | 773 | 2,145 |
| VISN 22 | 606 | 1,787 | 18,369 | 20,889 | 18,398 | 21,025 | 4,427 | 21,267 | 9,530 | 22,859 |
| 23-FARGO | 43 | 108 | 1,311 | 1,567 | 1,312 | 1,569 | 369 | 1,759 | 387 | 1,707 |
| 23-FORT MEADE | 28 | 62 | 699 | 772 | 700 | 777 | 120 | 810 | 164 | 828 |
| 23-MINNEAPOLIS | 58 | 336 | 2,183 | 2,633 | 2,187 | 2,708 | 628 | 1,936 | 570 | 3,053 |
| 23-SIOUX FALLS | 22 | 110 | 805 | 945 | 805 | 951 | 433 | 1,396 | 1,558 | 1,173 |
| 23-ST CLOUD | 62 | 201 | 1,597 | 1,681 | 1,599 | 1,692 | . | . | . | 1,692 |
| 23-VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS | 225 | 630 | 5,521 | 6,029 | 5,525 | 6,069 | 951 | 3,380 | 1,414 | 6,353 |

| VISN-Facility | Inpatients- Primary ² | Inpatients- Any ³ | Outpatients -Primary ⁵ | Outpatients- Any ⁶ | Total Patients- Primary ⁵ | Total Patients- Any ⁶ | Vet Centers- PTSD | Vet Centers- Outreach | Vet Centers- Others | Grand Total ⁴ |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| VISN 23 ⁵ | 424 | 1,388 | 11,197 | 12,542 | 11,203 | 12,628 | 2,501 | 9,281 | 4,093 | 13,593 |
| Unique Counts | 13,764 | 30,918 | 247,085 | 273,020 | 247,307 | 274,319 | 70,212 | 342,676 | 90,245 | 297,875 |

⁵ In 2002, VA merged VISNs 13 and 14 to form VISN 23.