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## Introduction

The Veterans Affairs Information Resource Center (VIREC), a national resource center of the Health Services Research and Development Service (HSR&D) of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), produces this research user guide on an annual fiscal year (FY) basis. It contains frequency tables for selected variables in the FY2006 Medical SAS<sup>®1</sup> Inpatient Acute Care “Main” Dataset, Medical SAS Outpatient “Visit” Dataset, and the Inpatient Encounters (IE) Dataset.

<b>Common Dataset Name</b>	<b>Dataset 2-Character Reference</b>	<b>Full Dataset Name</b>	<b>Description</b>
Main	PM	MDPPRD.MDP.SAS.PM06	All demographic, clinical, stay information
Visit	SF	MDPPRD.MDP.SAS.SF06	All encounter stop codes, patient demographics
Inpatient Encounters	IE	MDPPRD.MDP.SAS.IE06	Outpatient procedures and diagnostics and providers during inpatient stays

This guide presents each variable in two columns: The “*Internal Value*,” which represents the actual value stored in the dataset, and the “*Formatted Value*,” which represents the value that appears in printouts when the standard SAS Library is used to assign a description to the variables’ internal values. The programmer may always establish a different SAS Library with different formatted values. Note that the formatted values vary or may not match with the variable descriptions shown in the data sources depending on the SAS Library used to assign the formatted value to the internal value.

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# **Part I: FY2006 VHA Medical SAS Inpatient Dataset Variables**

**AGOCARE:** Indicator of whether the care given during the admission was related to Agent Orange exposure

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		277,925	48.94
N	NO	289,843	51.04
Y	YES	84	0.01

**AG15Y:** Categorical recording of AGE (Patient age in years at discharge) into 15 groupings

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	00-19	443	0.08
2	20-24	2,988	0.53
3	25-29	4,478	0.79
4	30-34	5,605	0.99
5	35-39	10,609	1.87
6	40-44	19,510	3.44
7	45-49	41,760	7.35
8	50-54	63,440	11.17
9	55-59	106,351	18.73
10	60-64	74,544	13.13
11	65-69	46,625	8.21
12	70-74	55,910	9.85
13	75-79	54,603	9.62
14	80-84	52,142	9.18
15	85 +	28,844	5.08

**AG8R:** Categorical recording of **AGE** (Patient age at time of discharge) into 8 groupings

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	< 25	3,431	0.60
2	25-34	10,083	1.78
3	35-44	30,119	5.30
4	45-54	105,200	18.53
5	55-64	180,895	31.86
6	65-74	102,535	18.06
7	75-84	106,745	18.80
8	85+	28,844	5.08

**AOR:** Patient self-report of Agent Orange exposure

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		316,929	55.81
1	NO CLAIM OF SERVICE IN VIETNAM	177,405	31.24
2	VIETNAM SERVICE WITH CLAIM OF AGENT ORANGE EXPOSURE	36,069	6.35
3	VIETNAME SERVICE WITHOUT CLAIM OF AGENT ORGANGE EXPOSRE	36,220	6.38
4	VIETNAM SERVICE WITHOUT CLAIM OF AGENT ORANGE EXPOSURE	1,171	0.21
5	5	58	0.01

**COMBAT:** Combat veteran indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		563,734	99.27
1	YES	4,118	0.73

**COMBAT\_CARE:** Indicator that health care provided was primarily related to an injury or illness related to service in a combat zone

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		510,290	89.86
N	NO	57,470	10.12
Y	YES	92	0.02

**CP:** Compensation and Pension status

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	SC>10%	52,470	9.24
2	SC<10%	4,780	0.84
3	NSC+SC>10%	148,406	26.13
4	NSC+PEN+SC<10%	3,804	0.67
5	NSC+PEN	57,118	10.06
6	NSC+SC<10%	17,407	3.07
7	NSC	278,224	49.00
8	NON-VET	5,643	0.99

**DISTO:** Type of location to which patient was discharged

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
-3	IRREGULAR	12,243	2.16
-2	DEATH	13,921	2.45
-1	RETURN TO COM-INDEPENDENT	483,620	85.17
0	VA MEDICAL CENTER	8,661	1.53
1	MILITARY HOSPITAL	59	0.01
2	OTHER FEDERAL HOSPITAL	20	0.00
3	OTHER GOV'T HOSPITAL	659	0.12
4	COMMUNITY HOSPITAL	3,495	0.62
5	VA NURSING HM CARE UNIT (NHCU)	26,400	4.65

**DISTO:** Type of location to which patient was discharged – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
7	COM NURSING HOME (CNH)	6,518	1.15
11	STATE HOME-NURSING CARE	695	0.12
12	VA DOMICILIARY	4,655	0.82
13	STATE HOME-DOMICILIARY CARE	497	0.09
15	FOSTER HOME	124	0.02
16	HALFWAY HOUSE	171	0.03
17	BOARDING HOUSE	252	0.04
19	PENAL INSTITUTE	18	0.00
20	RESIDENTIAL HOTEL/RESIDENT	55	0.01
21	OTHER PLACEMENT	4,064	0.72
22	UNKNOWN	745	0.13
25	HOSPITAL BASED HOME CARE	122	0.02
27	SPINAL CORD INJURY	----	0.00
29	RESPIRE CARE	----	0.00
30	HOSPICE CARE	97	0.02
34	MEDICARE HOME HEALTH	631	0.11
35	OTHER-AG HOME HEALTH	127	0.02

**DISTYPE:** Type of discharge

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	REG	528,503	93.07
2	NON-BED CARE	107	0.02
4	IRREG	12,243	2.16
5	TRANS TO HOSP	13,078	2.3
6	DEATH-AUTOPSY	1,380	0.24
7	DEATH NO AUTOP	12,541	2.21

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	1CRANIOTOMY >17 CC	509	0.09
2	2CRANIOTOMY >17 NCC	372	0.07
6	6CARPAL TUNNEL REL	36	0.01
7	7OTH NERV PROC CC	316	0.06
8	8OTH NERV PROC NCC	117	0.02
9	9SPINAL DX & INJ	2,060	0.36
10	10NERV SYS NEO CC	950	0.17
11	11NERV SYS NEO NCC	218	0.04
12	12DEGEN NERV SYS DX	3,583	0.63
13	13MULT SCLER CB ATA	952	0.17
14	14IC HEM &STR WI	6,185	1.09
15	15NS CVA&PREC OCC NI	1,437	0.25
16	16NS CERVAS DX CC	246	0.04
17	17NS CERVAS DX NCC	105	0.02
18	18CRAN&PERE NV DX CC	1,204	0.21
19	19CRAN&PERE NV DX NCC	656	0.12
20	20NERVE INFECT VIR MG	414	0.07
21	21VIRAL MENINGITIS	138	0.02
22	22HYPERTEN ENCEPHAL	93	0.02
23	23NT STUPOR & COMA	493	0.09
24	24SEIZ&HEADACHE>17 CC	2,421	0.43
25	25SEIZ&HEADACHE>17 NCC	1,645	0.29
26	26SEIZ&HEADACHE<18	----	0.00
27	27TRA STU&COMA>1HR	76	0.01
28	28TRA STU&COMA<1HR>17CC	336	0.06
29	29TRA STU&COMA<1HR>17NCC	126	0.02
31	31CONCUSSION>17CC	34	0.01

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
32	32CONCUSSION>17NCC	35	0.01
34	34OTH DX NERV SYS CC	1,029	0.18
35	35OTH DX NERV SYS NCC	551	0.10
36	36RETINAL PROC	79	0.01
37	37ORBITAL PROC	63	0.01
38	38PRI IRIS PROC	----	0.00
39	39LENS W OR WO VIT	236	0.04
40	40XOCU X ORBIT>17	153	0.03
42	42ITRAOCC X RET IRIS	126	0.02
43	43HYPHEMA	12	0.00
44	44ACUTE EYE INFECTION	148	0.03
45	45NEURO EYE DX	318	0.06
46	46OTHER DX EYE>17CC	313	0.06
47	47PTHER DX EYE>17NCC	365	0.06
49	49MAJ HEAD&NECK PROC	379	0.07
50	50SIALOADENECTOMY	247	0.04
51	51SAL GLAND PROC SIAL	14	0.00
52	52LEFT LIP&PAL REPAR	112	0.02
53	53SINUS&MASTOID >17	175	0.03
55	55EAR,NOS,MO&TH PROC	153	0.03
56	56RHINOPLASTY	147	0.03
57	57OTHER T&A>17	221	0.04
59	59TONSILLECT>17	31	0.01
61	61MYRINGOT WTUB IS>17	----	0.00
63	63OT EA,NO,MO&TH PROC	296	0.05
64	64EA,NO,MO&TH MALIG	1,150	0.20
65	65DYSEQUILIBRIUM	1,258	0.22
66	66EPISTAXIS	313	0.06



**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
67	67EPIGLOTTITIS	21	0.00
68	68OTITIS&URI>17CC	853	0.15
69	69OTITIS&URI>17NCC	447	0.08
71	71LARYNGOTRACHEITIS	----	0.00
72	72NASAL TRAUMA&DEF	----	0.00
73	73OT EA,NO,MO&TH>17	1,076	0.19
75	75MAJ CHEST PROC	2,705	0.48
76	76RESP PROC CC	1,286	0.23
77	77RESP PROC NCC	227	0.04
78	78PULM EMBOLISM	1,394	0.25
79	79RESP INFECT>17CC	3,627	0.64
80	80RESP INFECT>17NCC	359	0.06
82	82RESP NEOPLASM	4,600	0.81
83	83CHEST TRAUMA CC	103	0.02
84	84CHEST TRAUMA NCC	33	0.01
85	85PLEURAL EFF CC	1,271	0.22
86	86PLEURAL EFF NCC	212	0.04
87	87PULM EDE RESP FAIL	1,147	0.2
88	88OBSTRUCT PULM DIS	15,487	2.73
89	89PNEUMONIA>17CC	14,076	2.48
90	90PNEUMONIA>17NCC	1,767	0.31
92	92LUNG DIS. CC	646	0.11
93	93LUNG DIS. NCC	150	0.03
94	94PNEUMOTHORAX CC	774	0.14
95	95PNEUMOTHORAX NCC	200	0.04
96	96BRONC&ASTHA>17CC	1,210	0.21
97	97BRONC&ASTHA>17NCC	746	0.13
99	99RESP S&S CC	----	0.00

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
100	100RESP S&S NCC	1,813	0.32
101	101OTH RESP DX CC	558	0.10
102	102OTH RESP DX NCC	1,165	0.21
103	103HEART TRANSPL	319	0.06
104	104CARD VALV PROC CC	271	0.05
105	105CARD VALV PROC NCC	1,161	0.20
106	106COR BYPASS + PTCA	30	0.01
108	108CARD-THOR PROC	260	0.05
110	110VASC RECON CC	1,921	0.34
111	111VASC RECON NCC	869	0.15
113	113AMPUT,NUL CIRC DX	1,397	0.25
114	114AMPUT,CIRC -	518	0.09
117	117PACEMAK,REPL+	229	0.04
118	118PACEMAK,REPL-	401	0.07
119	119VEIN LIGATION	52	0.01
120	120CIRC PROC OTHER	615	0.11
121	121CIRC AMI +	3,513	0.62
122	122CIRC AMI -	3,310	0.58
123	123CIRC AMI DEAD	504	0.09
124	124CIRC ^AMI +	5,416	0.95
125	125CIRC ^AMI -	5,481	0.97
126	126ENDOCARDITIS	238	0.04
127	127HEART FAILURE	20,640	3.63
128	128THROMBOPHLEBI	65	0.01
129	129CARD ARREST	102	0.02
130	130PERIF VASC CC	4,403	0.78
131	131PERIF VASC NCC	2,061	0.36
132	132ATH-SCLERO CC	6,356	1.12

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
133	133ATH-SCLERO NCC	1,771	0.31
134	134HYPERTENSION	2,113	0.37
135	135CARD VALV>17CC	599	0.11
136	136CARD VALV>17NCC	132	0.02
138	138CARD ARRHYM CC	8,088	1.42
139	139CARD ARRHYM NCC	3,808	0.67
140	140ANGINA PECTOR	3,331	0.59
141	141COLLAPSE CC	4,711	0.83
142	142COLLAPSE NCC	1,879	0.33
143	143CHEST PAIN	16,064	2.83
144	144CIRC DX OTH CC	4,424	0.78
145	145CIRC DX OTH NCC	790	0.14
146	146RECT RESECT CC	282	0.05
147	147RECT RESECT NCC	149	0.03
148	148BOWEL PROC CC	3,675	0.65
149	149BOWEL PROC NCC	1,476	0.26
150	150PERI ADHES CC	382	0.07
151	151PERI ADHES NCC	181	0.03
152	152BOWEL MIN CC	240	0.04
153	153BOWEL MIN NCC	172	0.03
154	154STOMACH>17 CC	879	0.15
155	155STOMACH>17 NCC	395	0.07
157	157ANAL PROC CC	415	0.07
158	158ANAL PROC NCC	468	0.08
159	159HERNIA,OTH>17 CC	593	0.10
160	160HERNIA,OTH>17 NCC	771	0.14
161	161HERNIA,INGU>17 CC	453	0.08
162	162HERNIA,INGU>17 NCC	479	0.08

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
164	164APPENDIX>17 CC	231	0.04
165	165APPENDIX<17 NCC	176	0.03
166	166APPENDIX CC	245	0.04
167	167APPENDIX NCC	501	0.09
168	168MOUTH PROC CC	117	0.02
169	169MOUTH PROC NCC	128	0.02
170	170DIGEST PROC CC	477	0.08
171	171DIGEST PROC NCC	101	0.02
172	172DIGEST CAN CC	2,184	0.38
173	173DIGEST CANC NCC	564	0.10
174	174GI HEMORRAG CC	7,071	1.25
175	175GI HEMORRAG NCC	1,917	0.34
176	176ULCER,COMPLIC	411	0.07
177	177ULCER CC	267	0.05
178	178ULCER NCC	148	0.03
179	179BOWEL INFLAM	874	0.15
180	180GI OBSTRUCT CC	2,230	0.39
181	181GI OBSTRUCT NCC	975	0.17
182	182ESO/GI/ETC>17CC	12,384	2.18
183	183ESO/GI/ETC>17NCC	5,067	0.89
185	185ORAL DX>17	387	0.07
187	187DENTAL EX&RES	130	0.02
188	188DIGEST DX>17CC	3,501	0.62
189	189DIGEST DX>17NCC	1,629	0.29
191	191LIVER PROC CC	541	0.10
192	192LIVER PROC NCC	123	0.02
193	193BILE PROC X CC	169	0.03
194	194BILE PROC X NCC	29	0.01

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
195	195CHOLEC-TOMY++CC	37	0.01
196	196CHOLEC-TOMY+NCC	18	0.00
197	197CHOLEC-TOMY-+CC	614	0.11
198	198CHOLEC-TOMY--NCC	378	0.07
199	199LIV DXSG CANC	60	0.01
200	200LIV DXSG^CANC	60	0.01
201	201LIVER PROC OTH	102	0.02
202	202CIRRHOSIS	3,511	0.62
203	203LIVER,ETC CAN	2,188	0.39
204	204PANCREAS ^CAN	4,891	0.86
205	205LIVER OTHER CC	2,732	0.48
206	206LIVER OTHER NCC	341	0.06
207	207BILE DX CC	2,156	0.38
208	208BILE DX NCC	1,009	0.18
210	210HIP&FEM >17CC	1,094	0.19
211	211HIP&FEM >17NCC	388	0.07
213	213AMPUT,M-SKEL	689	0.12
216	216BIO M-SKEL&TIS	267	0.05
217	217WOUND FIX	847	0.15
218	218LEG PROC>17CC	480	0.08
219	219LEG PROC>17NCC	715	0.13
223	223ARM PROC X CC	323	0.06
224	224ARG PROC X NCC	263	0.05
225	225FOOT PROC	574	0.10
226	226TISSUE PROC CC	197	0.03
227	227TISSUE PROC NCC	281	0.05
228	228MAJ THU JNT WRST CC	106	0.02
229	229MAJ THU JNT WRST NCC	83	0.01

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
230	230REMOV DEV HIP	88	0.02
232	232ARTHROSCOPY	95	0.02
233	233M-SK PROC OTH CC	246	0.04
234	234M-SK PROC OTH NCC	186	0.03
235	235FEMUR BREAK	80	0.01
236	236HIP BREAK	632	0.11
237	237SPRAIN LEG	53	0.01
238	238OSTEOMYELITIS	1,001	0.18
239	239M-SK CAN+FRAK	1,121	0.20
240	240CONNECTIVE CC	419	0.07
241	241CONNECTIVE NCC	143	0.03
242	242SEPTIC ARTHR	212	0.04
243	243BACK DX	3,045	0.54
244	244BONE DX CC	977	0.17
245	245BONE DX NCC	538	0.09
246	246NS ARTHROPATHY	108	0.02
247	247M-SKEL S&S	1,214	0.21
248	248TENDONITIS &	1,067	0.19
249	249M-SK AFTRCARE	642	0.11
250	250FX HAND&FT>17CC	143	0.03
251	251FX HAND&FT>17NCC	120	0.02
253	253FX ARM/LEG>17CC	542	0.10
254	254FX ARM/LEG>17NCC	400	0.07
256	256M-SKEL DX OTH	689	0.12
257	257MASTECTOMY CC	55	0.01
258	258MASTECTOMY NCC	80	0.01
259	259SUBTOT MAST CC	12	0.00
260	260SUBTOT MAST NCC	18	0.00

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
261	261BREAST PROC X	151	0.03
262	262BREAST BIOPSY	14	0.00
263	263SKIN GRAFT CC	811	0.14
264	264SKIN GRAFT NCC	275	0.05
265	265SKIN GRAFT X CC	223	0.04
266	266SKIN GRAFT X NCC	278	0.05
267	267PERIANAL PROC	45	0.01
268	268SKIN PLAS PROC	125	0.02
269	269SKIN PROC OTH CC	768	0.14
270	270SKIN PROC OTH NCC	454	0.08
271	271SKIN ULCER	1,681	0.30
272	272SKIN MAJ DX CC	242	0.04
273	273SKIN MAJ DX NCC	114	0.02
274	274BREAST CANC CC	48	0.01
275	275BREAST CANC NCC	35	0.01
276	276NON MAL BREAST DX	88	0.02
277	277CELLULITIS>17CC	7,299	1.29
278	278CELLULITIS>17NCC	3,691	0.65
280	280SKIN TRAUMA +	556	0.10
281	281SKIN TRAUMA 0	218	0.04
283	283SKIN MINOR +	639	0.11
284	284SKIN MINOR -	411	0.07
285	285AMPUT, METAB	864	0.15
286	286PITUITARY PROC	198	0.03
287	287SKN GFT,METAB	297	0.05
288	288OBESITY PROC	285	0.05
289	289PARATHYRO PROC	237	0.04
290	290THYROID PROC	720	0.13

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
291	291THYROGLOS PROC	22	0.00
292	292METAB PROC OTH+	206	0.04
293	293METAB PROC OTH-	23	0.00
294	294DIABETES +	6,640	1.17
295	295DIABETES -	135	0.02
296	296METAB OTH +	7,422	1.31
297	297METAB OTH 0	1,451	0.26
299	299METAB INBORN	112	0.02
300	300ENDOCRINE +	634	0.11
301	301ENDOCRINE -	328	0.06
302	302KIDNEY TRANSP	87	0.02
303	303KIDNEY CAN PROC	1,599	0.28
304	304KIDN ^CAN PROC+	861	0.15
305	305KIDN ^CAN PROC-	572	0.10
306	306PROSTAT PROC +	176	0.03
307	307PROSTAT PROC -	207	0.04
308	308BLAD MIN PROC +	419	0.07
309	309BLAD MIN PROC -	272	0.05
310	310TRANSURETH +	1,023	0.18
311	311TRANSURETH -	659	0.12
312	312URETHRAL PROC+	82	0.01
313	313URETHRAL PROC 0	79	0.01
315	315URINARY PROC OT	1,330	0.23
316	316RN FAIL ^DIAL	9,262	1.63
317	317RN FAIL +DIAL	118	0.02
318	318KIDNEY CANC+	713	0.13
319	319KIDNEY CANC-	264	0.05
320	320KID. INFECT+	8,038	1.42



**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
321	321KID. INFECT0	1,691	0.30
323	323KIDNEY STONE+	1,453	0.26
324	324KIDNEY STONE-	818	0.14
325	325KIDNEY S&S +	858	0.15
326	326KIDNEY S&S 0	451	0.08
328	328URETH STRICT+	48	0.01
329	329URETH STRICT0	28	0.00
331	331KIDNEY OTH +	2,378	0.42
332	332KIDNEY OTH 0	595	0.10
334	334PELVIC PROC +	786	0.14
335	335PELVIC PROC -	1,774	0.31
336	336PROST-TOMY +	772	0.14
337	337PROST-TOMY -	1,241	0.22
338	338TEST. CANC PROC	36	0.01
339	339TEST^CANC PROC+	168	0.03
341	341PENIS PROC	383	0.07
342	342CIRCUMCIS +	25	0.00
344	344MALE CANC PROC	107	0.02
345	345MALE^CANC PROC	101	0.02
346	346MALE CANC +	671	0.12
347	347MALE CANC -	183	0.03
348	348PROST HYPER+	319	0.06
349	349PROST HYPER-	214	0.04
351	351STERILIZATION, MALE	896	0.16
350	350MALE INFLAM.	----	0.00
352	352MALE OTHER DX	294	0.05
353	353HYSTERECT,RAD	14	0.00
354	354HYSTERECTOMY+	----	0.00

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
355	355HYSTERECTOMY-	21	0.00
356	356FEMALE PROC	115	0.02
357	357UTERUS CAN PROC	12	0.00
358	358UTERUS^CAN PROC	201	0.04
359	359TUBAL INTERUP	666	0.12
360	360VAGINAL PROC	30	0.01
361	361FEMALE ENDOSC	----	0.00
363	363D&C,ETC CANC	----	0.00
364	364D&C,ETC ^CANC	----	0.00
365	365FEMALE PROC OTH	12	0.00
366	366FEMALE CANC+	16	0.00
367	367FEMALE CANC-	----	0.00
368	368FEMALE INFECT	42	0.01
369	369FEMALE OTH DX	134	0.02
376	376POSTPARTUM DX	----	0.00
377	377POSTPARTUM DX SURG	----	0.00
378	378ECTOPIC PREG	----	0.00
381	381ABORTION ^D&C	----	0.00
383	383ANTEPARTUM +	----	0.00
389	389NEWBORN+	----	0.00
390	390NEWBORN 0	----	0.00
392	392SPLENECTOMY +	77	0.01
394	394BLOOD ETC PROC	172	0.03
395	395RED CELL DX+	6,188	1.09
397	397COAGULATION	728	0.13
398	398IMMUNE DX +	1,135	0.20
399	399IMMUNE DX -	200	0.04
401	401LYM/LEU PROC 0	261	0.05

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
402	402LYM/LEU PROC -	90	0.02
403	403LYM/LEU DX +	1,830	0.32
404	404LYM/LEU DX 0	460	0.08
406	406ILDEF CAN PROC+	109	0.02
407	407ILDEF CAN PROC0	50	0.01
408	408ILDEF CAN PROC-	146	0.03
409	409RADIOTHERAPY	443	0.08
410	410CHEMOTHERAPY	3,713	0.65
411	411CAN HIST^ENDO	----	0.00
412	412CN HIST ENDO	----	0.00
413	413ILDEF CAN DX+	252	0.04
414	414ILDEF CAN DX-	106	0.02
415	415INFECT PROC	1,154	0.20
416	416SEPTCEMIA +	4,004	0.71
418	418POST-OP INFEC	1,643	0.29
419	419FEVER +	706	0.12
420	420FEVER -	215	0.04
421	421VIRAL DX +	389	0.07
423	423INFECT OTHER	493	0.09
424	424MENTAL + PROC	290	0.05
425	425PSYCHOSOCIAL	1,591	0.28
426	426DEPRESSION	6,773	1.19
427	427NEUROSES	8,388	1.48
428	428PERSONALITY	490	0.09
429	429ORGANIC MENT	3,545	0.62
430	430PSYCHOSES	39,463	6.95
431	431CHILD MENTAL	123	0.02
432	432MENTAL OTHER	108	0.02

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
433	433A/DR LEFT AMA	2,671	0.47
439	439SKIN GFT, INJ	130	0.02
440	440WOUND DEB INJ	270	0.05
441	441HAND INJ PROC	23	0.00
442	442INJURY OT PROC+	553	0.10
443	443INJURY OT PROC-	249	0.04
444	444MULT TRAUMA +	257	0.05
445	445MULT TRAUMA 0	103	0.02
447	447ALLERGY +	428	0.08
449	449DRUG TOXIC +	2,309	0.41
450	450DRUG TOXIC 0	470	0.08
452	452COMPLICATION+	1,520	0.27
453	453COMPLICATION-	687	0.12
454	454INJURY,ETC +	205	0.04
455	455INJURY,ETC -	35	0.01
461	461SG W/VCODE	469	0.08
462	462REHABILITAT	3,930	0.69
463	463SIGNS&SYMTOM+	2,846	0.50
464	464SIGNS&SYMTOM-	614	0.11
465	465AFTERCARE CAN	93	0.02
466	466AFTERCARE^CAN	1,452	0.26
467	467OTHER FACTORS	1,314	0.23
468	468EXT UNRL PROC	1,831	0.32
470	470UNGROUPABLE	253	0.04
471	471 1+ JOINT LWR	188	0.03
473	473ACT LEUKEMIA+	447	0.08
475	475RESP W/VENT	2,732	0.48
476	476PROS UN PROC	48	0.01

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
477	477NON-EXT UNRL	1,070	0.19
478	478VASCULAR W CC	1,563	0.28
479	479VASC. W/O CC	1,452	0.26
480	480LIVER TRANS.	117	0.02
481	481BONE MARROW	142	0.03
482	482TRACH W	787	0.14
484	484CRANIOTOMY	----	0.00
485	485LIMB REAT.	20	0.00
486	486PROCS TRAUMA	----	0.00
487	487SIGNIF.TRAUMA	59	0.01
488	488HIV W/O.R.	35	0.01
489	489HIV W MAJOR	1,092	0.19
490	490HIV W/WO OTH	583	0.10
491	491 REATTACH-UP	467	0.08
492	492 CHEMO/LEUK	195	0.03
493	493LAR CHO W/CC	971	0.17
494	494LAR CHO WOCC	1,012	0.18
496	496SPINAL FUSION	36	0.01
497	497SPI FUS W CC	246	0.04
498	498SPI FUS WO CC	432	0.08
499	499BK/NK W CC	876	0.15
500	500BK/NK WO CC	1,951	0.34
501	501KNEE W CC	73	0.01
502	502KNEE W/O CC	52	0.01
503	503KNEE W/O PDX	489	0.09
505	505BURN WO SK GR	----	0.00
506	506BURN W CC	----	0.00
507	507BURN W/O CC	----	0.00

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
508	508B WO PROC W CC	31	0.01
509	509B WO PROC WO CC	21	0.00
510	510NE BURN W CC	86	0.02
511	511NE BURN WO CC	53	0.01
515	515CARD D WO CC	1,661	0.29
518	518CARD W AMI	1,182	0.21
519	519 CERV W CC	440	0.08
520	520 CERV WO AMI	957	0.17
521	521 A/D W CC	16,131	2.84
522	522 A/D RHP WO CC	627	0.11
523	523 A/D WO RHP WO CC	17,218	3.03
524	524 TRANSIENT ISCHEM	2,379	0.42
525	525 HEART AS SYS IMP	27	0.00
528	528 INTCRN PROC+PDX	----	0.00
529	VENTR PROC+CC	73	0.01
530	VENTR PROC-CC	55	0.01
531	SPIN PROC+CC	152	0.03
532	SPIN PROC-CC	156	0.03
533	EXTCRN PROC+CC	1,325	0.23
534	EXTCRN PROC-CC	1,975	0.35
535	CRDIMP+CATH/AMI	105	0.02
536	CRDIMP+CATH-AMI	183	0.03
537	RIFX+CC-HIP/FEM	259	0.05
538	RIFX-CC/HIP/FEM	252	0.04
539	LEUK+PROC/CC	178	0.03
540	LEUK+PROC-CC	96	0.02
541	ECMO OR TRACH+	846	0.15
542	TRACH+	734	0.13

**DRG:** Diagnosis Related Group – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
543	CRANIOTOMY+	52	0.01
544	MAJOR JOINT REPLACEMENT	8,054	1.42
545	REVISION OF REPLACEMENT	776	0.14
546	SPINAL FUSION	18	0.00
547	CORONARY BYPASS+	498	0.09
548	CORONARY BYPASS+	709	0.12
549	CORONARY BYPASS-	566	0.10
550	CORONARY BYPASS-	2,539	0.45
551	PERM CARD PACEMAKER IMPL+	813	0.14
552	OTHER PERM CARD PACEMAKER-	1,032	0.18
553	OTHER VASCULAR PROCEDURES+	787	0.14
554	OTHER VASCULAR PROCEDURES-	2,292	0.40
555	PERCUTANEOUS CARDIO PROC+	1,209	0.21
556	PERCUTANEOUS CARDIO PROC+	451	0.08
557	PERCUTANEOUS CARDIO PROC+	2,276	0.40
558	PERCUTANEOUS CARDIO PROC +	3,236	0.57
559	ACUTE ISCHEMIC STROKE +	11	0.00

**ENVCARE:** Indication of whether the patient was exposed to environmental contaminants

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		567,503	99.94
N	NO	347	0.06
Y	YES	----	0.00

**ETHNIC:** Ethnicity with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		265,752	46.80
DO	DECLINED TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	----	0.00
DP	DECLINE TO ANSWER-PROXY	454	0.08
DS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	6,250	1.10
DU	DECLINE TO ANSWER-UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	1,806	0.32
HO	HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	14	0.00
HP	HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	737	0.13
HS	HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	7,214	1.27
HU	HISPANIC OR LATINO- UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	53	0.01
NO	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	3,060	0.54
NP	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	2,953	0.52
NS	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	272,618	48.01
NU	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO- UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	2,109	0.37
UO	UNKNOWN -OBSERVER	203	0.04
UP	UNKNOWN -PROXY	82	0.01
US	UNKNOWN -SELF ID	3,679	0.65
UU	UNKNOWN - UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	866	0.15

**HOMEVISN:** Veteran's Integrated Service Network (VISN) associated with the veteran's home residence

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)	.	39	0.01
0	0	72	0.01
1	1	22,400	3.94
2	2	13,138	2.31
3	3	21,800	3.84



**HOMEVISN:** Veteran’s Integrated Service Network (VISN) associated with the veteran’s home residence - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
4	4	25,542	4.50
5	5	16,262	2.86
6	6	29,592	5.21
7	7	29,424	5.18
8	8	54,510	9.60
9	9	35,191	6.20
10	10	20,990	3.70
11	11	23,548	4.15
12	12	26,983	4.75
15	15	28,333	4.99
16	16	52,902	9.32
17	17	28,336	4.99
18	18	25,833	4.55
19	19	16,719	2.94
20	20	23,061	4.06
21	21	19,366	3.41
22	22	28,395	5.00
23	23	25,416	4.48

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran’s home residence

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	ALABAMA	7,651	1.35
2	ALASKA	337	0.06
4	ARIZONA	15,953	2.81
5	ARKANSAS	13,149	2.32
6	CALIFORNIA	41,840	7.37

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran's home residence - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
8	COLORADO	6,472	1.14
9	CONNECTICUT	4,329	0.76
10	DELAWARE	1,610	0.28
11	WASHINGTON,DC	2,889	0.51
12	FLORIDA	44,562	7.85
13	GEORGIA	13,234	2.33
15	HAWAII	414	0.07
16	IDAHO	3,898	0.69
17	ILLINOIS	23,437	4.13
18	INDIANA	11,775	2.07
19	IOWA	6,211	1.09
20	KANSAS	6,968	1.23
21	KENTUCKY	13,403	2.36
22	LOUISIANA	7,855	1.38
23	MAINE	2,294	0.40
24	MARYLAND	9,851	1.73
25	MASSACHUSETTS	9,427	1.66
26	MICHIGAN	11,907	2.10
27	MINNESOTA	8,856	1.56
28	MISSISSIPPI	7,833	1.38
29	MISSOURI	16,403	2.89
30	MONTANA	3,222	0.57
31	NEBRASKA	3,839	0.68
32	NEVADA	5,632	0.99
33	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1,905	0.34
34	NEW JERSEY	5,627	0.99
35	NEW MEXICO	5,873	1.03
36	NEW YORK	30,772	5.42

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran’s home residence – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
37	NORTH CAROLINA	15,399	2.71
38	NORTH DAKOTA	1,204	0.21
39	OHIO	21,461	3.78
40	OKLAHOMA	11,215	1.97
41	OREGON	9,140	1.61
42	PENNSYLVANIA	18,911	3.33
44	RHODE ISLAND	2,963	0.52
45	SOUTH CAROLINA	10,235	1.80
46	SOUTH DAKOTA	3,666	0.65
47	TENNESSEE	16,248	2.86
48	TEXAS	45,519	8.02
49	UTAH	4,414	0.78
50	VERMONT	1,482	0.26
51	VIRGINIA	13,766	2.42
53	WASHINGTON	9,959	1.75
54	WEST VIRGINIA	9,995	1.76
55	WISCONSIN	10,857	1.91
56	WYOMING	2,272	0.40
59	BRITISH COLUMBIA	----	0.00
60	US SOMOA	----	0.00
61	MANITOBA	----	0.00
65	NOVA SCOTIA	----	0.00
66	GUAM	32	0.01
68	68	----	0.00
72	PUERTO RICO	9,530	1.68
75	ONTARIO	----	0.00
78	VIRGIN ISLANDS	70	0.01
85	AF AMER-EXC CAN	----	0.00

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran’s home residence – continued

87	AF EUR,ME,CAN	----	0.00
88	AF PACIFIC	12	0.00
90	FOREIGN COUNTRY	----	0.00
91	CANADA & MEXICO	27	0.00
92	92	----	0.00
93	EUROPE	----	0.00
96	PHILIPPINES	----	0.00

**IRDCARE:** Indicator of whether the patient received radiation treatment while in this bedsection

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		567,709	99.97
N	NO	142	0.03
Y	YES	----	0.00

**LSR:** Categorical recording of the **LS** (number of bed days for the entire episode of care) variable into 16 groupings

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
2	1	97,754	17.21
3	2-3	158,765	27.96
4	4-7	167,277	29.46
5	8-14	85,800	15.11
6	15-21	26,925	4.74
7	22-30	13,856	2.44

**LSR:** Categorical recording of the **LS** (number of bed days for the entire episode of care) variable into 16 groupings - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
8	31-60	12,552	2.21
9	61-90	2,551	0.45
10	91-180	1,645	0.29
11	181-270	337	0.06
12	271 – 365	149	0.03
13	366 – 730	155	0.03
14	731 – 1825	61	0.01
15	1826 – 3650	20	0.00
16	3651 or more	----	0.00

**MDC:** Major diagnostic category of **DRG**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0		253	0.04
1	NERVOUS SYSTEM	33,017	5.81
2	EYE	1,844	0.32
3	EAR,NOSE&THROAT	8,560	1.51
4	RESPIRATORY	59,511	10.48
5	CIRCULATORY	129,267	22.76
6	DIGESTIVE	52,508	9.25
7	LIVER&PANCREAS	21,272	3.75
8	MUSCLE,BONE&CONNECT	35,879	6.32
9	SKIN,SUBCUT&BREAST	18,596	3.27
10	ENDOCRINE&METABOLIC	19,825	3.49
11	KIDNEY & URINARY	34,436	6.06
12	MALE REPRODUCTIVE	8,069	1.42
13	FEMALE REPRODUCTIVE	1,301	0.23

**MDC:** Major diagnostic category of **DRG** - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
14	PREGNANCY	12	0.00
15	NEWBORN	----	0.00
16	BLOOD & RELATED	8,606	1.52
17	MYELOPROLIFERATIVE	8,554	1.51
18	INFECTIOUS&PARASIT	8,672	1.53
19	MENTAL	60,774	10.70
20	DRUGS	36,788	6.48
21	INJURIES & TOXIC	7,362	1.30
22	BURNS	217	0.04
23	HEALTH VISIT	10,723	1.89
24	MULTI SIG. TRAUMA	92	0.02
25	HIV INFECTIONS	1,711	0.30

**MEANS:** Means Test Indicator code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
AN	COPAY EXMT NSC	274,920	48.41
AS	COPAY EXMT SC/SPEC	225,932	39.79
C	MT COPAY REQ	42,091	7.41
G	GMT COPAY REQ	12,582	2.22
N	NON-VET	5,595	0.99
U	NOT DONE	5,076	0.89
X	NOT APPL	1,656	0.29

**MS:** Patient's marital status

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
D	DIVORCED	169,902	29.92
M	MARRIED	239,993	42.26

**MS:** Patient's marital status - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
N	NEVER MARRIED	73,288	12.91
S	SEPARATED	28,516	5.02
U	UNKNOWN	2,204	0.39
W	WIDOWED	53,949	9.50

**OPT:** Indicator that the discharge is to outpatient treatment

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		26,164	4.61
1	YES	452,205	79.63
3	NO	89,483	15.76

**PLDISCH:** Bedsection code for physical location at discharge

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		----	0.00
2	CARDIOLOGY	6,502	1.15
4	PULM NON-TB	7,104	1.25
5	GERONTOLOGY	12	0.00
6	DERMATOLOGY	----	0.00
9	HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY	4,107	0.72
10	NEUROLOGY	5,562	0.98
11	EPILEPSY CENTER	47	0.01
12	MEDICAL ICU	27,271	4.80
14	METABOLIC	487	0.09
15	GEN(ACUTE) MED	267,857	47.17
16	CARDIAC STEP DOWN	3,128	0.55
17	TELEMETRY	17,820	3.14
18	NEUROLOGY OBS	18	0.00

**PLDISCH:** Bedsection code for physical location at discharge - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
20	REHAB MEDICINE	4,668	0.82
21	BLIND REHAB	1,906	0.34
22	SPINAL CORD INJ	6,989	1.23
24	MEDICAL OBSERVATION	577	0.10
25	PSYC RES REHAB TRMT	440	0.08
26	PTSD RES REHAB PGM	54	0.01
27	SUB ABUSE RES REHAB	108	0.02
31	GEM ACUTE MEDICINE	712	0.13
32	GEM INTERMEDIATE	101	0.02
33	GEM PSYCHIATRY	----	0.00
37	DOM CARE HMLS(DCHV)	54	0.01
40	INTERMEDIATE MED	11,839	2.08
41	REHABILITATION MEDICINE OBS	----	0.00
50	SURGERY (GEN)	89,574	15.77
51	GYNECOLOGY	----	0.00
52	NEUROSURGERY	1,445	0.25
53	OPHTHALMOLOGY	34	0.01
54	ORTHOPEDIC	3,827	0.67
55	EAR,NOSE&THROAT	318	0.06
56	PLASTIC SURGERY	54	0.01
58	THORACIC SURGERY	3,160	0.56
59	UROLOGY	2,340	0.41
60	ORAL SURGERY	----	0.00
61	PODIATRY	125	0.02
62	PERIPHERAL VASCULAR	720	0.13
63	SURGICAL ICU	9,347	1.65
65	SURGICAL OBS	739	0.13



**PLDISCH:** Bedsection code for physical location at discharge - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
70	ACUTE PSYCH	11,442	2.01
72	ALCOH DEPEND-HI INT	1,012	0.18
73	DRUG DEPEND-HI INT	863	0.15
74	SUBS ABUSE-HI INT	1,039	0.18
79	SPEC INP PTSD UNIT	354	0.06
80	NURSING HOME CARE	----	0.00
81	GEM NHCU	----	0.00
84	PSY SA (INTER CARE)	173	0.03
85	DOMICILIARY	32	0.01
86	DOM SUBSTANCE ABUSE	----	0.00
88	DOM PTSD	----	0.00
89	STAR I,II,&III PGMS	1,725	0.30
91	EVAL/BRF TRMT PTSD	346	0.06
92	PSYC-GENERAL INTER	11,847	2.09
93	HI INT GEN PSCH-INP	59,780	10.53
94	PSYCHIATRIC OBS	32	0.01
95	INTERMEDIATE CARE LTC	----	0.00
96	NHCU HOSPICE LTC	175	0.03

**POW:** Prisoner of War status with name of war and location

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	NO	353,184	62.20
3	NO INFO	211,874	37.31
5	WWII,EUROPE	----	0.00
6	WWII,PACIFIC	2,025	0.36
7	KOREAN CONF	363	0.06
8	VIETNAM ERA	275	0.05

**POW:** Prisoner of War status with name of war and location - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
9	MULTIPLE POW	105	0.02
10	PERSIAN GULF	----	0.00
11	YUGOSLAVIA	----	0.00

**PSRCD:** Categorical recode of Period of Service

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
2	WWII	92,317	16.26
3	PRE-KOREA	3,603	0.63
4	KOREA	75,533	13.30
5	POST-KOREA	41,392	7.29
6	VIETNAM	250,923	44.19
7	POST VIETNAM	67,015	11.80
8	OTHER	5,310	0.94
9	DES. STORM (ACT)	3,721	0.66
10	DES. STORM (VET)	28,038	4.94

**PSX:** Period of Service that is basis for care

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
A	ARMY	652	0.11
B	NAVY OR MARINE	497	0.09
C	AIR FORCE	201	0.04
D	COAST GUARD	29	0.01
E	RETIRED MILITARY	19	0.00
F	MEDICALLY REMEDIAL ENLISTMENT PROGRAM	----	0.00
H	PHS	----	0.00

**PSX:** Period of Service that is basis for care – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
I	OBS & EXAM	----	0.00
M	FOREIGN GOVT	----	0.00
N	EMERGENCY	144	0.03
P	CONTRACT	----	0.00
Q	OTHER FED (DEP)	----	0.00
R	DONORS	----	0.00
S	SPECIAL STUDY	149	0.03
T	OTHER NON-VET	1,297	0.23
U	SURVIVOR-CHAMPVA	1,458	0.26
V	CHAMPUS	470	0.08
X	DES. STORM (VET)	28,038	4.94
Y	PHILIPPINE VETS	----	0.00
Z	MERCHANT MARINE	297	0.05
2	WWII	92,317	16.26
3	PRE-KOREA	3,603	0.63
4	KOREAN	75,533	13.3
5	POST-KOREAN	41,392	7.29
6	VIETNAM	250,923	44.19
7	POST-VIETNAM	67,015	11.8
8	DES. STORM (ACT)	60	0.01
9	OTHER OR NONE	3,721	0.66

**RACE:** Race or national origin

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)	MISSING	567,852	100.00

**RACE1:** Race 1 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		80,927	14.25
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	3,292	0.58
BO	WHITE-OBSERVER	483	0.09
BP	WHITE-PROXY	70	0.01
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	332,550	58.56
BU	WHITE-UNK BY PAT	19	0.00
CO	DECLINED TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	----	0.00
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	25,870	4.56
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	16,284	2.87
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	1,672	0.29
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	3,326	0.59
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	1,333	0.23
9O	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-OBSERVER	55	0.01
9P	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-PROXY	----	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	101,962	17.96
9U	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-UNK BY PAT	----	0.00

**RACE2:** Race 2 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		557,394	98.16
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	340	0.06
BP	WHITE-PROXY	11	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	8,090	1.42
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	643	0.11
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	1,019	0.18
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	105	0.02

**RACE2:** Race 2 with collection method-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	----	0.00
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	13	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	231	0.04

**RACE3:** Race 3 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		567,680	99.97
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	----	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	154	0.03
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	----	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	12	0.00

**RACE4:** Race 4 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		567,851	100.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	----	0.00

**RACE5:** Race 5 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		567,852	100.00

**RACE6:** Race 6 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		567,852	100.00

**RAD:** Exposure to Ionizing Radiation through nuclear testing or in Japan

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		179,391	31.59
1	NO RAD	387,453	68.23
2	RAD-JAP	379	0.07
3	RAD-US	595	0.10
4	RAD-BOTH	34	0.01

**SCI:** Indication of patient's spinal cord injury status

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
X	NO	556,779	98.05
1	PARA-TRAUM	3,624	0.64
2	QUAD-TRAUM	3,745	0.66
3	PARA-NON-TRAUM	2,013	0.35
4	QUAD-NON-TRAUM	1,691	0.30

**SCPER:** Percentage of the patient's disability that is service-connected

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	0	361,961	63.74
10	10	27,239	4.80
20	20	17,170	3.02
30	30	16,494	2.90
40	40	13,307	2.34
50	50	12,485	2.20
60	60	16,853	2.97
70	70	19,845	3.49
80	80	13,776	2.43
90	90	7,270	1.28
100	100	61,452	10.82

**SEX:** Sex of patient

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
F	FEMALE	26,015	4.58
M	MALE	541,837	95.42

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
402	TOGUS	1,698	0.30
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	2,522	0.44
436	FORT HARRISON	2,428	0.43
437	FARGO	1,909	0.34
438	SIOUX FALLS	2,277	0.40
442	CHEYENNE	1,076	0.19
459	HONOLULU	301	0.05
460	WILMINGTON	2,023	0.36
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	6,117	1.08
502	ALEXANDRIA	2,451	0.43
503	JAMES E VAN ZANDT VAMC	891	0.16
504	AMARILLO HCS	2,582	0.45
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	4,461	0.79
508	ATLANTA	5,419	0.95
509	AUGUSTA	6,471	1.14
512	BALTIMORE	7,019	1.24
515	BATTLE CREEK	1,613	0.28
516	BAY PINES	8,461	1.49
517	BECKLEY	1,687	0.30
518	BEDFORD	906	0.16
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	864	0.15
520	GULF COAST HCS	2,172	0.38
521	BIRMINGHAM	4,744	0.84

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
523	BOSTON	9,025	1.59
526	BRONX	4,945	0.87
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	13,099	2.31
529	BUTLER	141	0.02
531	BOISE	2,751	0.48
534	CHARLESTON	4,196	0.74
537	VA CHICAGO HCS	6,326	1.11
538	CHILLICOTHE	2,677	0.47
539	CINCINNATI	5,289	0.93
540	CLARKSBURG	2,897	0.51
541	CLEVELAND-WADE PARK	8,707	1.53
542	COATESVILLE	995	0.18
544	COLUMBIA SC	4,140	0.73
546	MIAMI	6,140	1.08
548	W PALM BEACH	6,087	1.07
549	DALLAS	11,995	2.11
550	ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	2,955	0.52
552	DAYTON	4,406	0.78
553	DETROIT VAMC	4,338	0.76
554	DENVER	4,903	0.86
556	NORTH CHICAGO	2,720	0.48
557	DUBLIN	1,486	0.26
558	DURHAM	6,096	1.07
561	EAST ORANGE	4,121	0.73
562	ERIE	1,530	0.27
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	3,769	0.66
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	2,264	0.40



**STA3N:** Parent station identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
568	FORT MEADE	2,058	0.36
570	CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS	2,631	0.46
573	N FL/S GA HCS	12,113	2.13
575	GRAND JUNCTION	1,404	0.25
578	HINES	7,022	1.24
580	HOUSTON	12,687	2.23
581	HUNTINGTON	3,820	0.67
583	INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST	7,040	1.24
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	1,012	0.18
586	JACKSON	5,317	0.94
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	15,266	2.69
590	HAMPTON	2,214	0.39
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	2,376	0.42
595	LEBANON	1,992	0.35
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	5,646	0.99
598	LITTLE ROCK	9,995	1.76
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	5,672	1.00
603	LOUISVILLE	5,343	0.94
605	LOMA LINDA	6,990	1.23
607	MADISON	3,448	0.61
608	MANCHESTER	1,903	0.34
610	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	2,893	0.51
612	NCHC MARTINEZ	3,331	0.59
613	MARTINSBURG	6,338	1.12
614	MEMPHIS	8,094	1.43
618	MINNEAPOLIS	1,962	0.35
619	MONTGOMERY	1,143	0.20
620	MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	3,448	0.61

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
621	MOUNTAIN HOME	5,209	0.92
623	MUSKOGEE	3,203	0.56
626	VA MID TENN HCS NASH TN	9,277	1.63
629	NEW ORLEANS	----	0.00
630	N.Y. HARBOR HCS	9,032	1.59
631	NORTHAMPTON	761	0.13
632	NORTHPORT	3,151	0.55
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	6,839	1.20
636	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	10,104	1.78
637	ASHEVILLE-OTEEN	3,806	0.67
640	PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO	6,217	1.09
642	PHILADELPHIA	4,798	0.84
644	PHOENIX	7,312	1.29
646	PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR	7,266	1.28
648	PORTLAND	7,872	1.39
649	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	1,425	0.25
650	PROVIDENCE	3,041	0.54
652	RICHMOND	6,744	1.19
653	VA ROSEBURG HCS	2,280	0.40
654	SIERRA NEVADA HCS	2,817	0.50
655	SAGINAW	847	0.15
656	ST CLOUD	799	0.14
657	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	12,669	2.23
658	SALEM	3,792	0.67
659	SALISBURY	3,002	0.53
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	5,229	0.92
662	SAN FRANCISCO	4,901	0.86
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	8,064	1.42

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	6,626	1.17
666	SHERIDAN	1,409	0.25
667	SHREVEPORT	5,524	0.97
668	SPOKANE	1,747	0.31
671	SAN ANTONIO	10,423	1.84
672	SAN JUAN PR	9,539	1.68
673	TAMPA	12,143	2.14
674	VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS	6,476	1.14
676	TOMAH	800	0.14
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	7,199	1.27
679	TUSCALOOSA	648	0.11
687	WALLA WALLA	378	0.07
688	WASHINGTON	6,264	1.10
689	WEST HAVEN	4,512	0.79
691	GREATER LA HCS	6,866	1.21
693	WILKES BARRE	2,395	0.42
695	MILWAUKEE	6,645	1.17

**STA6A:** Substation identifier

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
402	TOGUS	1,698	0.30
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	2,522	0.44
436	FORT HARRISON	2,428	0.43
437	FARGO	1,909	0.34
438	SIOUX FALLS	2,277	0.40
442	CHEYENNE	1,076	0.19
459	VAHG HONOLULU	301	0.05

**STA6A:** Substation identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
460	WILMINGTON	2,023	0.36
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	6,117	1.08
502	ALEXANDRIA	2,451	0.43
503	JAMES E. VAN ZANDT VAMC	891	0.16
504	AMARILLO HCS	2,582	0.45
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	4,461	0.79
508	ATLANTA	5,419	0.95
509	AUGUSTA DOWNTOWN	4,672	0.82
509A0	AUGUSTA UPTOWN	1,799	0.32
512	BALTIMORE	1,229	0.22
512A5	PERRY POINT	1,613	0.28
515	BATTLE CREEK	8,461	1.49
516	BAY PINES	1,687	0.30
517	BECKLEY	906	0.16
518	BEDFORD	864	0.15
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	2,134	0.38
520	GULF COAST HCS	38	0.01
520A0	BILOXI GULFPORT	1,229	0.22
521	BIRMINGHAM	4,744	0.84
523	BOSTON	----	0.00
523A4	VA BOSTON HCS	6,806	1.20
523A5	VAMC BROCKTON	2,215	0.39
526	BRONX	4,945	0.87
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	5,254	0.93
528A5	CANANDAIGUA DIVISION	272	0.05
528A6	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 BATH	983	0.17

**STA6A:** Substation identifier - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
528A7	VA HTHCARE NEW YORK V2	4,028	0.71
528A8	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 ALBANY	2,562	0.45
529	BUTLER	141	0.02
531	BOISE	2,751	0.48
534	CHARLESTON	4,196	0.74
537	CHICAGO WESTSIDE	6,326	1.11
538	CHILLICOTHE	2,677	0.47
539	CINCINNATI	5,289	0.93
540	CLARKSBURG	2,897	0.51
541	CLEVELAND	7,903	1.39
541A0	CLEVELAND BRECKSV	804	0.14
542	COATESVILLE	995	0.18
544	COLUMBIA SC	4,140	0.73
546	MIAMI	6,140	1.08
548	VAHG W PALM BEACH	6,087	1.07
549	DALLAS	11,995	2.11
550	VA ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	2,955	0.52
552	DAYTON	4,406	0.78
553	DETROIT(JOHN D.DINGELL)	4,338	0.76
554	DENVER	4,903	0.86
556	NORTH CHICAGO	2,720	0.48
557	DUBLIN	1,486	0.26
558	DURHAM	6,096	1.07
561	EAST ORANGE	3,741	0.66
561A4	LYONS	380	0.07
562	ERIE	1,530	0.27
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	3,769	0.66

**STA6A:** Substation identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	2,264	0.40
568	FORT MEADE	1,468	0.26
568A4	HOT SPRINGS	590	0.10
570	FRESNO	2,631	0.46
573	N FL/S GA HCS	10,660	1.88
573A4	LAKE CITY VAMC FL	1,453	0.26
575	GRAND JCT	1,404	0.25
578	HINES IL	7,022	1.24
580	HOUSTON	12,687	2.23
581	HUNTINGTON	3,820	0.67
583	INDIANAPOLIS	7,040	1.24
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	1,012	0.18
586	JACKSON	5,317	0.94
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	5,436	0.96
589A4	TRUMAN MVH COLUMBIA MO	3,435	0.60
589A5	COLMERY-ONEIL VAMC HCS KS	2,745	0.48
589A6	E-KS HCS EISENHOWER VAMC	1,528	0.27
589A7	VAMC WICHITA KS	2,122	0.37
590	HAMPTON	2,214	0.39
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	2,376	0.42
595	LEBANON	1,992	0.35
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	----	0.00
596A0	LEXINGTON-COOPER DR.	----	0.00
596A4	LEXINGTON COOPER DR	5,640	0.99
598	LITTLE ROCK	8,738	1.54
598A0	N. LITTLE ROCK	1,257	0.22
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	5,672	1.00
603	LOUISVILLE	5,343	0.94

**STA6A:** Substation identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
605	LOMA LINDA	6,990	1.23
607	MADISON	3,448	0.61
610	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	455	0.08
610A4	NORTH INDIANA HCS	1,448	0.25
612	NCHC MARTINEZ	----	0.00
612A4	SACRAMENTO VAMC	2,890	0.51
613	MARTINSBURG	3,331	0.59
614	MEMPHIS	6,338	1.12
618	MINNEAPOLIS	8,094	1.43
619	MONTGOMERY	1,154	0.20
619A4	TUSKEGEE	808	0.14
620	MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	331	0.06
620A4	CASTLE PNT VA HUDSON HCS NY	812	0.14
621	MOUNTAIN HOME	5,209	0.92
623	MUSKOGEE	3,203	0.56
626	NASHVILLE	6,057	1.07
626A4	VA TENNESSEE VALLEY HCS	3,220	0.57
629	NEW ORLEANS	----	0.00
630	N.Y.HARBOR HCS	4,571	0.80
630A4	BROOKLYN DIVISION	4,461	0.79
631	NORTHAMPTON	761	0.13
632	NORTHPORT	3,151	0.55
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	6,839	1.20
636	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	4,132	0.73
636A6	VA CPHN DES MOINES IA	2,355	0.41
636A7	VA CPHN KNOXVILLE IA	330	0.06

**STA6A:** Substation identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
636A8	VA CPHN IOWA CITY IA	3,287	0.58
637	ASHEVILLE	3,806	0.67
640	PALO ALTO	5,909	1.04
640A0	PALO ALTO MENLO PARK	308	0.05
642	PHILADELPHIA	4,798	0.84
644	PHOENIX	7,312	1.29
646	PITTS. UNIV DR	6,102	1.07
646A5	PITTS. HIGHLAND DR	1,164	0.20
648	PORTLAND	7,872	1.39
649	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	1,425	0.25
650	PROVIDENCE	3,041	0.54
652	RICHMOND	6,744	1.19
653	ROSEBURG	2,280	0.40
654	SIERRA NEVADA HCS	2,817	0.50
655	SAGINAW	847	0.15
656	ST CLOUD	799	0.14
657	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	6,029	1.06
657A0	ST LOUIS JEFF BRKS	2,243	0.39
657A4	JJP VAMC POPLAR BLUFF MO	1,221	0.22
657A5	VAMC MARION DIV MARION IL	3,176	0.56
658	SALEM	3,792	0.67
659	SALISBURY	3,002	0.53
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	5,229	0.92
662	SAN FRANCISCO	4,901	0.86
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	7,525	1.33
663A4	VAMC AMERICAN LAKE	539	0.09
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	6,626	1.17
666	SHERIDAN	1,409	0.25



**STA6A:** Substation identifier – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
667	SHREVEPORT	5,524	0.97
668	SPOKANE	1,747	0.31
671	SAN ANTONIO	9,656	1.70
671A4	VANC KERRVILLE	767	0.14
672	SAN JUAN PR	9,539	1.68
673	TAMPA	12,143	2.14
674	TEMPLE	5,147	0.91
674A4	VAMC WACO	1,328	0.23
674A5	MARLIN	----	0.00
676	TOMAH	800	0.14
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	7,199	1.27
679	TUSCALOOSA	648	0.11
687	WALLA WALLA	378	0.07
688	WASHINGTON DC	6,264	1.10
689	WEST HAVEN	4,512	0.79
691	GREATER LA HCS	6,866	1.21
693	WILKES BARRE	2,395	0.42
695	MILWAUKEE	6,645	1.17

**VAAUS:** Discharge to VA auspices

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		26,164	4.61
1	YES	503,008	88.58
2	NO	38,680	6.81

**VISN:** Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN) where the hospital episode of care occurred

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	1	22,465	3.96
2	2	13,099	2.31
3	3	22,392	3.94
4	4	24,928	4.39
5	5	16,614	2.93
6	6	29,605	5.21
7	7	29,066	5.12
8	8	54,483	9.59
9	9	35,633	6.28
10	10	21,079	3.71
11	11	23,157	4.08
12	12	27,973	4.93
15	15	27,935	4.92
16	16	51,958	9.15
17	17	28,894	5.09
18	18	25,499	4.49
19	19	16,449	2.90
20	20	23,092	4.07
21	21	19,760	3.48
22	22	28,530	5.02
23	23	25,241	4.44

## **Part II: FY2006 VHA Medical SAS Outpatient Dataset Variables**

**AGOIND:** Indicates whether the healthcare encounter was related to exposure to Agent Orange

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)	.	3,611,912	6.77
0	NO	45,123,434	84.53
1	YES	4,645,807	8.70

**AGOLOC:** Indicates where the Agent Orange exposure occurred

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		48,735,346	91.3
K	KOREAN DMZ	7,886	0.01
V	VIETNAM	4,637,921	8.69

**AG8R:** Categorical recoding of **AGE** (Patient age in years at the time of visit) into 8 groupings

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	< 25	328,260	0.61
2	25-34	1,348,158	2.53
3	35-44	3,002,772	5.63
4	45-54	8,704,423	16.31
5	55-64	17,028,147	31.9
6	65-74	10,222,314	19.15
7	75-84	10,205,215	19.12
8	85-94	2,504,711	4.69
9	95+	37,153	0.07

**CL:** Primary clinic stop code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
101	EMERGENCY UNIT	----	0.00
102	ADMIT/SCREENING	2,188,499	2.82

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
103	TELEPHONE TRIAGE	1,841,478	2.37
104	PULMONARY FUNCT	235,440	0.30
105	X-RAY	2,875,147	3.70
106	EEG	15,336	0.02
107	EKG	886,275	1.14
108	LABORATORY	16,740,186	21.55
109	NUCLEAR MEDICINE	256,744	0.33
115	ULTRASOUND	388,896	0.50
116	RESPIRATORY THERAPY	84,223	0.11
117	NURSING (2ND ONLY)	12,616	0.02
118	HOME TRTMT SVCS	15,240	0.02
119	CNH FOLLOW-UP	54,913	0.07
120	HEALTH SCREENING	150,522	0.19
121	RESID CARE-NON MH	12,241	0.02
122	PUB HEALTH NURS	5,690	0.01
123	NUTR/DIET – IND	306,442	0.39
124	NUTR/DIET – GRP	85,669	0.11
125	SOCIAL WORK SVC	366,871	0.47
126	EVOKED POTENTIAL	342	0.00
127	TOPO BRAIN MAP	----	0.00
128	PROL VIDEO - EEG	1,201	0.00
142	ENTEROSTOMAL WOUND/SKIN CARE	27,733	0.04
144	RADIONUC THERAPY	----	0.00
145	PHARMAC PHYSIOL	3,828	0.00
146	PET	1,105	0.00
147	PHONE/ANCILLARY	1,906,937	2.45
148	PHONE/DIAGNOSTIC	13,620	0.02
149	RAD THERAPY TRMT	249,828	0.32

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
150	COMPUT TOMOGRA (CT)	606,225	0.78
151	MAG RES IMAG (MRI)	243,085	0.31
152	ANGIOGR CATHETERIZ	12,114	0.02
153	INTERVEN RARIOGRAPH	14,999	0.02
160	CLINICAL PHARM	9,404	0.01
165	BEREAVE. COUNSEL	409	0.00
166	CHAPLAIN-IND	122,521	0.16
167	CHAPLAIN-GROUP	44,043	0.06
168	CHAPLAIN COLLATERAL	1,062	0.00
169	TELEPHONE/CHAPLAIN	480	0.00
170	HBPC PHYSICIAN	19,904	0.03
171	HBPC NURSING(RN/LP)	240,737	0.31
172	HBPC PHYSIC EXTND(NP,CNS,PA)	46,099	0.06
173	HBPC-SOCIAL WORK	50,800	0.07
174	HBPC-THERAPIST	38,386	0.05
175	HBPC DIETICIAN	20,035	0.03
176	HBPC-CLIN PHARMACY	7,177	0.01
177	HBPC-OTHER	13,235	0.02
178	TELEPHONE/HBHC	77,097	0.10
180	DENTAL	1,174,415	1.51
181	TELEPHONE/DENTAL	2,779	0.00
185	PHYS EXTND NP (NRS PRCNR) 2ND	----	0.00
190	ADULT DAY HEALTH	92,420	0.12
191	COMMUNITY ADHC FOLLOWUP	3,294	0.00
197	197	475	0.00
198	198	24	0.00
199	199	75	0.00
201	PM & RS	205,223	0.26

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
202	REC THERAPY SERVICES	394,683	0.51
203	AUDIOLOGY	920,103	1.18
204	SPEECH PATHOLOGY	84,426	0.11
205	PHYSICAL THERAPY	919,955	1.18
206	OCCUPATION THPY	357,072	0.46
207	PM & RS INCENTIVE	4,613	0.01
208	PMRS CWT/TWE FACE TO FACE	15,822	0.02
209	VIST COORDINATOR PRI ONLY	56,014	0.07
210	SCI	116,253	0.15
211	POST-AMPUTATION	5,268	0.01
212	EMG	65,561	0.08
213	PM & RS VOC ASSIST	20,488	0.03
214	KINESIOTHERAPY	363,678	0.47
215	SCI HOME PROGRAM	15,688	0.02
216	PHONE REHAB SUPP	68,671	0.09
217	BROS-BLIND REHAB SPEC	8,520	0.01
218	CAT BLIND REHAB	3,089	0.00
219	TBI (TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY)	2,875	0.00
220	VISOR (VISUAL IMPAIRMENT OUTPATIENT PGM)	20,488	0.03
221	TELEPHONE VIST PRI ONLY	31,907	0.04
222	PMRS CWT/SE FACE TO FACE	176	0.00
228	PMRS CWT/TWE NON-F TO FACE	----	0.00
229	TELEPHONE/BLIND REHAB PROGRAM	2,162	0.00
290	OBSERVATION MEDICINE	169	0.00
291	OBSERVATION SURGERY	19	0.00
292	OBSERV PSYCHIATRY	----	0.00
301	GENERAL INT MED	736,260	0.95

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
302	ALLERGY IMMUNOL	55,273	0.07
303	CARDIOLOGY	602,937	0.78
304	DERMATOLOGY	643,194	0.83
305	ENDOCR/METAB	126,915	0.16
306	DIABETES	294,162	0.38
307	GASTROENTEROLOGY	374,683	0.48
308	HEMATOLOGY	214,985	0.28
309	HYPERTENSION	29,317	0.04
310	INFECTIOUS DIS	164,047	0.21
311	PACEMAKER	81,700	0.11
312	PULMONARY/CHEST	301,807	0.39
313	RENAL/NEPHROL	155,606	0.20
314	RHEUM/ARTHRITIS	170,923	0.22
315	NEUROLOGY	381,656	0.49
316	ONCOLOGY/TUMOR	268,460	0.35
317	ANTI-COAGULATION CLINIC	651,403	0.84
318	GERIATRIC CLINIC	35,244	0.05
319	GERIAT EVAL/MGT (GEM)	13,496	0.02
320	ALZH/DEMEN/CLIN	6,391	0.01
321	GI ENDOSCOPY	255,997	0.33
322	WOMENS CLINIC	210,908	0.27
323	PRIM CARE/MED	12,589,055	16.21
324	PHONE MEDICINE	1,977,187	2.55
325	PHONE NEUROLOGY	16,914	0.02
326	PHONE GERIATRICS	64,047	0.08
327	INVASIVE O.R. PROC	3,889	0.01
328	MED/SURG DAY MSDU	56,176	0.07
329	MEDICAL PROC UNIT	20,678	0.03



CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
330	CHEMO UNIT-MED	161,658	0.21
331	PRE-BED M.D.- MED	9,996	0.01
332	PRE-BED R.N.- MED	4,970	0.01
333	CARDIAC CATH	35,559	0.05
334	CARDIAC STRESS TEST	99,686	0.13
335	PADRECC PARKINSONSDISEASERECC	7,742	0.01
336	MEDICAL PRE-PROCED EVAL	10,529	0.01
348	PRIMART CARE GROUP PRI ONLY	44,774	0.06
350	GERIATRIC PRIM CARE	148,730	0.19
351	ADV ILL COORD (AICC)	6,518	0.01
371	CCS EVALUATION	1,562	0.00
372	MOVE PROGRAM IND	21,101	0.03
373	MOVE PROGRAM GRP	60,164	0.08
394	MED SPECIALTY GROUP PRI ONLY	12,772	0.02
401	GENERAL SURGERY	418,825	0.54
402	CARDIAC SURGERY	8,990	0.01
403	ENT	371,502	0.48
404	GYNECOLOGY	56,819	0.07
405	HAND SURGERY	32,099	0.04
406	NEUROSURGERY	75,154	0.10
407	OPHTHALMOLOGY	1,098,058	1.41
408	OPTOMETRY	1,212,296	1.56
409	ORTHOPEDICS	580,536	0.75
410	PLASTIC SURGERY	71,683	0.09
411	PODIATRY	930,344	1.20
412	PROCTOLOGY	7,015	0.01
413	THORACIC SURGERY	26,292	0.03
414	UROLOGY	740,681	0.95

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
415	VASCULAR SURGERY	136,947	0.18
416	AMB SURG EVAL(NON-MD)	190,556	0.25
417	PROSTH/ORTHOTICS	313,350	0.40
418	AMPUTATION CLIN	9,062	0.01
419	ANES PRE/POST-OP CONS	129,121	0.17
420	PAIN CLINIC	167,081	0.22
421	VASCULAR LAB	127,415	0.16
422	CAST CLINIC	3,751	0.00
423	PROSTHETICS SVCS	1,974,111	2.54
424	PHONE SURGERY	193,479	0.25
425	TELE/PROSTH/ORTH	18,351	0.02
426	WOMEN SURGERY	1,037	0.00
428	TELEPHONE OPTOMETRY	7,725	0.01
429	OUTPAT CARE IN O.R.	318,953	0.41
430	CYSTO ROOM UNIT	39,053	0.05
431	CHEMO UNIT-SURG	1,563	0.00
432	PRE-BED MD-SURG	8,944	0.01
433	PRE-BED RN-SURG	24,051	0.03
435	SURGICAL PROC UNIT	43,955	0.06
436	CHIROPRACTIC CARE IN VA MC	45,947	0.06
437	VICTORS	1,450	0.00
449	FITTING & ADJSTMNTS 2ND ONLY	3,355	0.00
450	COMP & PENS (C&P) EXAMS	----	0.00
451	451-LOCAL CREDIT PAIR	361	0.00
466	466-LOCAL CREDIT PAIR	23	0.00
483	LOCALLY DEFINED	----	0.00
502	MENTAL HEALTH-IND	2,370,468	3.05
503	MEN HLTH RESID CARE	76,843	0.10

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
505	DAY TRMT-IND	45,589	0.06
506	DAY HOSPITAL-IND	52,396	0.07
509	PSYCHIATRY-IND	487,970	0.63
510	PSYCHOLOGY-IND	213,960	0.28
512	MENTAL HEALTH CONSULTATION	36,652	0.05
513	SUBST ABUSE-IND	702,896	0.90
514	SUBST ABUSE-HOME	1,193	0.00
516	PTSD GROUP	204,986	0.26
519	SUBST/PTSD TEAMS	16,657	0.02
522	HUD-VASH	15,414	0.02
523	OPIOID SUBSTITUTION	648,014	0.83
524	ACT DUTY SEX TRAUMA	35,277	0.05
525	WOM STRESS TREAT	12,374	0.02
527	MENTAL HEALTH TELEPHONE PRI	299,021	0.38
528	PHONE/HMLESS MENT ILL	11,239	0.01
529	HCHV/HMI	269,348	0.35
530	TELEPHONE/HUD-VASH	1,094	0.00
531	MH PRIM CARE TEAM-IND	265,356	0.34
532	PSYC/SOC REHAB-IND	42,473	0.05
533	MH INV BIOMED CARE-IND	29,415	0.04
535	MH VOCAT ASSIST	61,567	0.08
536	TELE/MH VOC ASSIST	3,565	0.00
537	TELE PSYC/SOC REHAB	3,293	0.00
538	PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING	24,327	0.03
540	PTSD CLINICAL TEAM PTS IND	371,041	0.48
542	TELEPHONE PTSD	21,362	0.03
545	TELE SUBSTANCE ABUSE	62,753	0.08
546	TELEPHONE/MHICM	27,649	0.04

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
547	INTEN SUBS ABUSE TRT	444,208	0.57
550	MENTAL HYG-GRP	444,673	0.57
552	MENT HLT INT (MHICM)	394,746	0.51
553	DAY TRMT-GRP	393,377	0.51
554	DAY HOSPITAL-GRP	120,974	0.16
557	PSYCHIATRY-MD GROUP	27,574	0.04
558	PSYCHOLOGY-GROUP	106,049	0.14
559	PSY/SOC REHAB-GRP	135,665	0.17
560	SUBST ABUSE-GRP	1,084,261	1.40
561	PCT PTSD-GRP	430,425	0.55
562	PTSD-INDIVIDUAL	59,564	0.08
563	MH PRIM CARE TEAM-GRP	7,168	0.01
564	MH TEAM CASE MGT	28,223	0.04
565	MH MED CARE ONLY-GRP	7,918	0.01
566	MH RISK FAC RED EDU GRP	61,259	0.08
567	MHICM GRP MTLHLTH INTSV CS MGT	12,215	0.02
568	MH CWT/SE FACE TO FACE	25,112	0.03
569	MH CWT/SE NON-F TO F (MAS NONC	508	0.00
570	MH CWT/TWE NON-F TO F (MAS NON	6,135	0.01
573	MH INCEN THER-GRP	160,201	0.21
574	MH CWT/TWE FACE TO FACE	196,115	0.25
575	MH VOCAT ASSIST-GRP	50,049	0.06
576	PSYCHOGERIA CLIN/INDV	39,658	0.05
577	PSYCHOGERIA CLIN/GRP	4,141	0.01
578	PSYCHOGERIA DAY PGM	4,470	0.01
579	TEL/PSYCHOGERIATRICS	4,441	0.01
580	PTSD DAY HOSP	23,088	0.03
581	PTSD DAY TREAT	2,317	0.00

CL: Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
589	N.A. DUTY SEX TRAUMA	886	0.00
590	COMM OUTR HMLS-STAFF	9,809	0.01
602	CHRON AST H-DIAL	331,070	0.43
603	LIM SELF H-DIAL	191	0.00
604	HOME H-DIAL TRNG	428	0.00
606	CHRON AST P-DIAL	1,178	0.00
607	LIM SELF P-DIAL	989	0.00
608	HOME P-DIAL TRNG	755	0.00
610	CONTRACT DIALYSIS	303	0.00
611	TELEPHONE DIALYSIS	1,933	0.00
640	SEND-OUT PROCS NOT FEE	749	0.00
641	SEND OUT PROCS-DOD NOT FEE	3,392	0.00
642	SEND-OUT PROCS FEE	2,597	0.00
643	SEND-OUT PROCS RADIOLOGY	13	0.00
650	CONTRACT NH DAYS	----	0.00
651	STATE NH DAYS	----	0.00
654	RESIDENTIAL NON-VA CARE	7,396	0.01
655	COMMUNITY NON-VA CARE	----	0.00
656	DOD NON-VA CARE	749	0.00
658	STATE HOME ADULT DAY HLTHCARE	3,392	0.00
670	ASSIST LIVING VHA-PAID STAFF	----	0.00
674	ADMIN PAT ACTIVITIES (MASNONCT)	12,019	0.02
680	HOME/COMM ASSESS	56,007	0.07
681	VA-PD HOME/COMM HC	5,603	0.01
682	VA-REF HOME/COMM CARE	1,924	0.00
683	NON-VIDEO MONITORING ONLY	150,857	0.19
685	CARE OF CCS PROGRAM PATIENT	19,064	0.02
686	CCS TELEPHONE CARE PRI	70,763	0.09

**CL:** Primary clinic stop code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
691	PRE-EMPLOYMNT PHYSICAL FOR MIL PERSONNEL	54	0.00
703	MAMMOGRAM (CAN BE PRIMARY)	23,196	0.03
710	INFLUENZA IMMUNIZ	----	0.00
725	DOM OUTREACH SERVICE	10,343	0.01
726	DOM AFTERCARE COMMUN	887	0.00
727	DOM AFTERCARE-VA	13,115	0.02
728	DOM ADMIT/SCREEN SVC	16,432	0.02
729	TELEPHONE/DOMICILIARY	2,040	0.00
730	DOM GENERAL CARE	306	0.00
731	PRRTP GENERAL CARE	82	0.00
999	EMPLOYEE HEALTH	502,001	0.65

\* Frequencies were computed after the 15 clinic stop variables (CL1 – CL15) were combined.

**COMBAT:** Combat veteran indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)	.	12,965	0.02
0	NO	52,536,158	98.42
1	YES	832,030	1.56

**ELIG:** Indicates veteran and non-veteran eligibility codes

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
-1	PURPLE HEART	219,327	0.41
0	SC 0%	1,842,241	3.45

**ELIG:** Indicates veteran and non-veteran eligibility codes-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	SC 50% +	12,574,300	23.56
2	AA/HOUSEBND	830,695	1.56
3	SC 40%	1,695,119	3.18
4	NSC,PENSION	2,666,454	5.00
5	NSC	25,581,059	47.92
7	SC 30%	1,879,886	3.52
8	SC 20%	1,985,906	3.72
9	SC 10%	3,029,720	5.68
11	CHAMPVA	246,726	0.46
12	COLLATERAL	19,365	0.04
13	EMPLOYEE	504,173	0.94
14	OTH FEDERAL	42,952	0.08
15	ALLIED VET	3,247	0.01
16	HUMANITARIAN	38,242	0.07
17	SHARING	155,326	0.29
18	REIMBURSABLE	36	0
19	TRICARE/CHAMPUS	66,379	0.12

**ETHNIC:** Ethnicity with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		14,286,808	26.76
DO	DECLINED TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	3,892	0.01
DP	DECLINE TO ANSWER-PROXY	6,815	0.01
DS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	1,154,370	2.16
DU	DECLINE TO ANSWER-UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	36,610	0.07
HO	HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	3,524	0.01

**ETHNIC:** Ethnicity with collection method - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
UP	UNKNOWN -PROXY	3,529	0.01
US	UNKNOWN -SELF ID	935,239	1.75
UU	UNKNOWN - UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	245,772	0.46
NU	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO- UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	51,691	0.1
UO	UNKNOWN -OBSERVER	2,477	0
NO	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	49,222	0.09
NP	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	52,657	0.1
NS	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	34,238,840	64.14
HP	HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	60,425	0.11
HS	HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	2,245,409	4.21
HU	HISPANIC OR LATINO- UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	3,873	0.01

**HOMEVISN:** Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN) associated with the veteran's home residence

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		2,583	0
0	0	11,209	0.02
1	1	2,463,180	4.61
2	2	1,468,667	2.75
3	3	2,081,461	3.9
4	4	2,769,624	5.19
5	5	1,339,495	2.51
6	6	2,473,021	4.63
7	7	3,138,782	5.88
8	8	5,711,132	10.7
9	9	2,461,301	4.61
10	10	2,340,170	4.38



**HOMEVISN:** Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN) associated with the veteran's home residence-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
11	11	2,069,813	3.88
12	12	2,384,317	4.47
15	15	2,363,483	4.43
16	16	4,122,999	7.72
17	17	2,678,694	5.02
18	18	2,445,910	4.58
19	19	1,499,366	2.81
20	20	2,124,246	3.98
21	21	2,220,533	4.16
22	22	2,857,180	5.35
23	23	2,353,987	4.41

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran's home residence

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		2,165	0
1	ALABAMA	962,207	1.8
2	ALASKA	108,186	0.2
4	ARIZONA	1,313,540	2.46
5	ARKANSAS	906,141	1.7
6	CALIFORNIA	4,287,593	8.03
8	COLORADO	670,990	1.26
9	CONNECTICUT	571,224	1.07
10	DELAWARE	120,502	0.23
11	WASHINGTON,DC	180,169	0.34
12	FLORIDA	4,945,103	9.26
13	GEORGIA	1,395,996	2.62
15	HAWAII	153,168	0.29
16	IDAHO	274,074	0.51

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran's home residence – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
17	ILLINOIS	1,899,034	3.56
18	INDIANA	1,037,809	1.94
19	IOWA	566,637	1.06
20	KANSAS	659,306	1.24
21	KENTUCKY	964,690	1.81
22	LOUISIANA	691,425	1.3
23	MAINE	342,578	0.64
24	MARYLAND	861,562	1.61
25	MASSACHUSETTS	956,802	1.79
26	MICHIGAN	1,136,063	2.13
27	MINNESOTA	814,800	1.53
28	MISSISSIPPI	646,513	1.21
29	MISSOURI	1,297,099	2.43
30	MONTANA	267,167	0.5
31	NEBRASKA	404,292	0.76
32	NEVADA	630,219	1.18
33	NEW HAMPSHIRE	255,522	0.48
34	NEW JERSEY	766,119	1.44
35	NEW MEXICO	573,658	1.07
36	NEW YORK	2,994,115	5.61
37	NORTH CAROLINA	1,370,679	2.57
38	NORTH DAKOTA	101,740	0.19
39	OHIO	2,410,712	4.52
40	OKLAHOMA	755,019	1.41
41	OREGON	803,031	1.5
42	PENNSYLVANIA	2,181,204	4.09
44	RHODE ISLAND	214,243	0.4

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran's home residence – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
45	SOUTH CAROLINA	1,033,775	1.94
46	SOUTH DAKOTA	297,081	0.56
47	TENNESSEE	1,102,813	2.07
48	TEXAS	4,142,201	7.76
49	UTAH	341,757	0.64
50	VERMONT	122,811	0.23
51	VIRGINIA	1,132,083	2.12
53	WASHINGTON	975,564	1.83
54	WEST VIRGINIA	690,561	1.29
55	WISCONSIN	1,006,630	1.89
56	WYOMING	177,779	0.33
58	ALBERTA	32	0.00
59	BRITISH COLUMBIA	173	0.00
60	US SAMOA	1,900	0.00
61	MANITOBA	24	0.00
62	NEW BRUNSWICK	79	0.00
63	NEWFOUNDLAND	----	0.00
64	FED. STATE OF MICRONESIA (FM)	----	0.00
65	NOVA SCOTIA	50	0.00
66	GUAM	6,956	0.01
68	MARSHALL ISLANDS	11	0.00
69	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	104	0.00
70	PALAU	----	0.00
72	PUERTO RICO	822,767	1.54
74	US MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS	723	0.00
75	ONTARIO	13	0.00
77	PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	50	0.00
78	VIRGIN ISLANDS	12,522	0.02

80	QUEBEC	157	0.00
83	YUKON TERRITORY	231	0.00
85	AF AMER-EXC CAN	490	0.00
87	AF, EUR, ME, CAN	488	0.00

**HOMSTATE:** State associated with the veteran's home residence – continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
88	AF PACIFIC	334	0.00
90	FOREIGN COUNTRY	1,003	0.00
91	CANADA & MEXICO	12,522	0.02
93	EUROPE	----	0.00
96	PHILIPPINES	16,926	0.03

**INS:** Indicates the type of insurance coverage

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)	(Missing)	2,328	0.00
0	NO INSURANCE	24,315,703	45.55
1	MAJOR MEDICAL	2,942,445	5.51
10	PRESCRIPTION	190,815	0.36
11	MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTAL	254,003	0.48
12	ALL OTHER	126,136	0.24
2	DENTAL	24,046	0.05
3	HMO	634,838	1.19
4	PPO	2,963,868	5.55
5	MEDICARE	20,874,457	39.1
6	MEDICAID	247,686	0.46
7	CHAMPUS	658,418	1.23
8	WORKMANS COMP	51,586	0.10
9	INDEMNITY	94,824	0.18

**MARITAL:** Marital status of the patient

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
A	SEPARATED	76	0.00
D	DIVORCED	12,539,618	23.49

**MARITAL:** Marital status of the patient-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
M	MARRIED	28,158,669	52.75
N	NEVER/SINGLE	8,057,056	15.09
S	SINGLE	418	0.00
U	UNKNOWN	840,233	1.57
W	WIDOWED	3,785,083	7.09

**MEANS:** Means Test indicator code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
AN	COPAY EXMT NSC	19,266,518	36.09
AS	COPAY EXMT SC/SPEC	21,793,994	40.83
C	MT COPAY REQ	7,708,637	14.44
G	GMT COPAY REQ	1,527,536	2.86
N	NON-VET	1,077,308	2.02
U	NOT DONE	680,267	1.27
X	NOT APPL	1,326,893	2.49

**NSTOPS:** Number of clinic stop variables (**CL11-CL15**) that are recorded in the record

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	1	38,203,933	71.57
2	2	9,699,089	18.17
3	3	3,321,637	6.22
4	4	1,280,952	2.40

**NSTOPS:** Number of clinic stop variables (**CLI1-CLI15**) that are recorded in the record-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
5	5	516,185	0.97
6	6	211,502	0.40
7	7	86,294	0.16
8	8	35,660	0.07
9	9	14,594	0.03
10	10	6,065	0.01
11	11	2,591	0.00
12	12	1,286	0.00
13	13	635	0.00
14	14	335	0.00
15	15	395	0.00

**NTRIND:** Indicates whether the patient claimed nasopharyngeal radium irradiation treatment during active military service

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(missing)		2,328	0.00
0	NO	53,378,677	100.00
1	YES	148	0.00

**POS:** Military period in which the veteran served in

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		2,368	0.00
A	ARMY--ACTIVE DUTY	8,851	0.02
B	NAVY, MARINE--ACTIVE DUTY	2,620	0.00
C	AIR FORCE--ACTIVE DUTY	1,954	0.00
D	COAST GUARD--ACTIVE DUTY	384	0.00

**POS: Military period in which the veteran served in - continued**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
E	RETIRED, UNIFORMED FORCES	54	0.00
F	MEDICAL REMEDIAL LIST	----	0.00
H	OTHER USPHS BENEFICIARIES	62	0.00
I	OBSERVATION/EXAMINATION	394	0.00
J	OFFICE OF WORKERS COMP	----	0.00
M	BENEFICIARIES-FOREIGN GOV	36	0.00
N	HUMANITARIAN(NON-VET)	13,621	0.03
P	OTHERS REIMBURS.(NON-VET)	296	0.00
Q	OTHER FEDERAL-DEPENDENT	100	0.00
R	DONERS(NON-VET)	129	0.00
S	SPECIAL STUDIES(NON-VET)	11,868	0.02
T	OTHER NON-VETERANS	39,057	0.07
U	CHAMPVA--SPOUSE, CHILD	472	0.00
V	CHAMPUS	31,560	0.06
W	CZECHOSLOVAKIA/POLAND SVC	14	0.00
X	PERSIAN GULF WAR	3,959,968	7.42
Y	CAV/NPS	256	0.00
Z	MERCHANT MARINE	33,005	0.06
0	KOREAN	7,003,624	13.12
1	WORLD WAR I	1,901	0.00
2	WORLD WAR II	8,102,428	15.18
3	SPANISH AMERICAN	2,335	0.00
4	PRE-KOREAN	336,956	0.63
5	POST-KOREAN	4,007,715	7.51
6	OPERATION DESERT SHIELD	8,357	0.02
7	VIETNAM ERA	22,560,114	42.26

**POS:** Military period in which the veteran served in - continued

8	POST-VIETNAM	5,840,820	10.94
9	OTHER OR NONE	1,409,822	2.64

**POV:** Code for the purpose of the healthcare visit

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	C&P	447,547	0.84
3	SCHEDULED	26,711,612	50.04
4	NON-SCHEDULED	26,221,994	49.12

**POW:** Indicator of whether the patient was a prisoner of war

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		1,077,959	2.02
N	N	31,777,315	59.53
U	UNKNOWN	20,243,299	37.92
Y	Y	282,580	0.53

**POWLOC:** Indicator of the period of service and/or location in which the veteran was a prisoner of war

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,098,573	99.47
A	PERSIAN GULF	472	0.00
B	YUGOSLAVIA	1,415	0.00
4	WORLD WAR I	104	0.00
5	WORLD WAR II - EUROPE	208,087	0.39
6	WORLD WAR II - PACIFIC	31,654	0.06
7	KOREAN	26,087	0.05
8	VIETNAM	13,143	0.02
9	OTHER	1,618	0.00



**PS:** Recategorization of the POS (Military period in which the veteran served in) variable

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	SPANISH-AMERICAN	2,335	0.00
1	WWI	1,901	0.00
2	WWII	8,102,428	15.18
3	PRE-KOREA	336,956	0.63
4	KOREA	7,003,624	13.12
5	POST-KOREA	4,007,715	7.51
6	VIETNAM	22,560,114	42.26
7	POST VIETNAM	5,840,820	10.94
8	OTHER	1,556,935	2.92
9	DES. STORM (ACT)	8,357	0.02
10	DES. STORM (VET)	3,959,968	7.42

**RACE:** Race or national origin

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	HISPAN WHITE	1,667,636	3.12
2	HISPAN BLACK	136,533	0.26
3	AM. INDIAN	88,169	0.17
4	BLACK	5,107,826	9.57
5	ASIAN	144,369	0.27
6	WHITE	17,850,038	33.44
7	UNKNOWN	28,386,582	53.18

**RACE1:** Race 1 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		15,427,933	28.9
AP	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL- PROXY	----	0.00

**RACE1:** Race 1 with collection method - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	452,299	0.85
BO	WHITE-OBSERVER	18,881	0.04
BP	WHITE-PROXY	4,497	0.01
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	27,503,663	51.52
BU	WHITE-UNK BY PAT	2,234	0.00
CO	DECLINE TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	23	0.00
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	1,374,916	2.58
DO	UNKNOWN-OBSERVER	61	0.00
DP	UNKNOWN-PROXY	15	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	705,646	1.32
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	191,429	0.36
3O	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-OBSERVER	----	0.00
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	272,887	0.51
8O	ASIAN-OBSERVER	194,069	0.36
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	61	0.00
9O	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-OBSERVER	3,068	0.01
9P	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-PROXY	392	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	7,228,693	13.54
9U	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-UNK BY PAT	429	0.00

**RACE2:** Race 2 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		52,597,872	98.53
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	34,378	0.06
BO	WHITE-OBSERVER	----	0.00
BP	WHITE-PROXY	284	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	434,891	0.81
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	----	0.00
DO	UNKNOWN-OBSERVER	119	0.00
DP	UNKNOWN-PROXY	21	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	217,626	0.41
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	41,707	0.08
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	2,393	0.00
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	1,911	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	49,940	0.09

**RACE3:** Race 3 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,367,871	99.98
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	594	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	7,436	0.01
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	4,670	0.01
DU	UNKNOWN- UNK BY PAT	257	0.00
8S	ASIAN-SELF-ID	----	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	315	0.00

**RACE4:** Race 4 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,380,984	100.00
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	21	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	131	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	17	0.00

**RACE5:** Race 5 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,381,112	100.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	21	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	20	0.00

**RACE6:** Race 6 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,381,153	100.00

**RACE7:** Race 7 with collection method

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(blank)		53,381,153	100.00

**RAD:** Exposure to Ionizing Radiation through nuclear testing or in Japan

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)	.	2,328	0.00
1	NO RAD	53,242,885	99.74
2	RAD-JAP	35,417	0.07

**RAD:** Exposure to Ionizing Radiation through nuclear testing or in Japan

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
3	RAD-US	96,140	0.18
4	RAD-BOTH	4,383	0.01

**RELIG:** Religious preference

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	CATHOLIC	12,748,415	23.88
1	JEWISH	832,139	1.56
10	ASSEMBLY OF GOD	157,271	0.29
11	BRETHREN	23,116	0.04
12	CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST	383,717	0.72
13	CHURCH OF CHRIST	467,210	0.88
14	CHURCH OF GOD	179,024	0.34
15	DISCIPLES OF CHRIST	66,732	0.13
16	EVANGELICAL COVENANT	63,625	0.12
17	FRIENDS	7,680	0.01
18	JEHOVAH WITNESS	264,259	0.5
19	LATTER-DAY SAINTS	570,948	1.07
2	EASTERN ORTHODOX	119,077	0.22
20	ISLAM	143,287	0.27
21	NAZARENE	95,233	0.18
22	OTHER	1,044,343	1.96
23	PENTECOSTAL	817,037	1.53
24	PROTESTANT OTHER	2,850,498	5.34
25	PROTESTANT NO PREFERENCE	7,656,435	14.34
26	REFORMED	23,183	0.04
27	SALVATION ARMY	10,885	0.02
28	UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST	45,817	0.09
29	UNKNOWN/NO PREFERENCE	7,723,371	14.47

**RELIG:** Religious preference-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
3	BAPTIST	10,778,260	20.19
30	NATIVE AMERICAN	31,437	0.06
31	BUDDHIST	70,783	0.13
4	METHODIST	2,823,233	5.29
5	LUTHERAN	1,910,137	3.58
6	PRESBYTERIAN	724,229	1.36
7	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST	53,295	0.10
8	EPISCOPALIAN	557,184	1.04
9	ADVENTIST	139,293	0.26

**SEX:** Sex of patient

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
F	FEMALE	3,614,770	6.77
M	MALE	49,766,383	93.23

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
358	MANILA	17,210	0.03
402	TOGUS	325,717	0.61
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	181,822	0.34
436	FORT HARRISON	258,390	0.48
437	FARGO	152,942	0.29
438	SIOUX FALLS	197,720	0.37
442	CHEYENNE	135,654	0.25
459	HONOLULU	162,508	0.30
460	WILMINGTON	175,519	0.33

STA3N: Parent station identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
463	ALASKA HCS & RO	103,386	0.19
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	515,209	0.97
502	ALEXANDRIA	211,250	0.40
503	JAMES E VAN ZANDT VAMC	182,018	0.34
504	AMARILLO HCS	210,237	0.39
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	278,717	0.52
508	ATLANTA	642,411	1.20
509	AUGUSTA	355,872	0.67
512	BALTIMORE	565,830	1.06
515	BATTLE CREEK	282,213	0.53
516	BAY PINES	1,023,146	1.92
517	BECKLEY	145,787	0.27
518	BEDFORD	162,093	0.30
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	163,162	0.31
520	GULF COAST HCS	412,225	0.77
521	BIRMINGHAM	429,846	0.81
523	BOSTON	599,886	1.12
526	BRONX	273,953	0.51
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	1,497,158	2.80
529	BUTLER	117,550	0.22
531	BOISE	168,285	0.32
534	CHARLESTON	414,285	0.78
537	VA CHICAGO HCS	545,173	1.02
538	CHILLICOTHE	240,175	0.45
539	CINCINNATI	337,984	0.63
540	CLARKSBURG	207,669	0.39
541	CLEVELAND-WADE PARK	1,188,422	2.23
542	COATESVILLE	173,299	0.32

STA3N: Parent station identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
544	COLUMBIA SC	584,020	1.09
546	MIAMI	571,032	1.07
548	W PALM BEACH	527,701	0.99
549	DALLAS	1,040,609	1.95
550	ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	242,012	0.45
552	DAYTON	319,757	0.60
553	DETROIT VAMC	351,143	0.66
554	DENVER	503,673	0.94
556	NORTH CHICAGO	218,112	0.41
557	DUBLIN	193,365	0.36
558	DURHAM	340,075	0.64
561	EAST ORANGE	552,853	1.04
562	ERIE	220,933	0.41
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	385,993	0.72
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	335,378	0.63
568	FORT MEADE	199,571	0.37
570	CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS	244,804	0.46
573	N FL/S GA HCS	1,276,984	2.39
575	GRAND JUNCTION	92,881	0.17
578	HINES	546,248	1.02
580	HOUSTON	813,243	1.52
581	HUNTINGTON	293,359	0.55
583	INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST	424,091	0.79
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	122,025	0.23
586	JACKSON	402,856	0.75
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	1,313,744	2.46
590	HAMPTON	265,644	0.50



STA3N: Parent station identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	432,229	0.81
595	LEBANON	324,968	0.61
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	323,468	0.61
598	LITTLE ROCK	592,062	1.11
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	459,882	0.86
603	LOUISVILLE	402,749	0.75
605	LOMA LINDA	489,959	0.92
607	MADISON	268,612	0.50
608	MANCHESTER	181,220	0.34
610	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	244,308	0.46
612	NCHC MARTINEZ	657,055	1.23
613	MARTINSBURG	336,812	0.63
614	MEMPHIS	469,062	0.88
618	MINNEAPOLIS	569,536	1.07
619	MONTGOMERY	326,436	0.61
620	MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	300,565	0.56
621	MOUNTAIN HOME	352,679	0.66
623	MUSKOGEE	284,283	0.53
626	VA MID TENN HCS NASH TN	624,992	1.17
629	NEW ORLEANS	216,282	0.41
630	N.Y. HARBOR HCS	684,971	1.28
631	NORTHAMPTON	158,499	0.30
632	NORTHPORT	291,982	0.55
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	395,570	0.74
636	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	982,012	1.84
637	ASHEVILLE-OTTEEN	248,707	0.47
640	PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO	570,405	1.07

STA3N: Parent station identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
642	PHILADELPHIA	468,859	0.88
644	PHOENIX	594,657	1.11
646	PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR	480,927	0.90
648	PORTLAND	551,271	1.03
649	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	204,224	0.38
650	PROVIDENCE	277,200	0.52
652	RICHMOND	391,989	0.73
653	VA ROSEBURG HCS	203,112	0.38
654	SIERRA NEVADA HCS	244,087	0.46
655	SAGINAW	205,998	0.39
656	ST CLOUD	231,751	0.43
657	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	1,054,213	1.97
658	SALEM	271,282	0.51
659	SALISBURY	407,494	0.76
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	401,077	0.75
662	SAN FRANCISCO	372,235	0.70
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	624,764	1.17
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	559,397	1.05
666	SHERIDAN	91,547	0.17
667	SHREVEPORT	352,385	0.66
668	SPOKANE	206,154	0.39
671	SAN ANTONIO	856,125	1.60
672	SAN JUAN PR	835,474	1.57
673	TAMPA	1,495,746	2.80
674	VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS	806,885	1.51
676	TOMAH	165,572	0.31
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	516,792	0.97
679	TUSCALOOSA	191,708	0.36

**STA3N:** Parent station identifier-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
687	WALLA WALLA	112,655	0.21
688	WASHINGTON	525,211	0.98
689	WEST HAVEN	556,603	1.04
691	GREATER LA HCS	929,550	1.74
692	S.ORG REHAB WHITE CITY	150,602	0.28
693	WILKES BARRE	355,325	0.67
695	MILWAUKEE	543,002	1.02
756	EL PASO HCS	237,975	0.45
757	COLUMBUS-IOC	281,171	0.53

**STA5A:** Five-digit numeric identifier of the VA facility where care was provided

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
358	MANILA	17,210	0.03
402	TOGUS	255,150	0.48
402GA	CARIBOU	9,930	0.02
402GB	CALAIS CBOC	3,255	0.01
402GC	RUMFORD CBOC	7,345	0.01
402GD	SACO CBOC ME	18,190	0.03
402HB	BANGOR	26,017	0.05
402HC	PORTLAND ME	5,830	0.01
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	145,396	0.27
405GA	BENNINGTON CBOC	12,544	0.02
405HA	BURLINGTON (ORC)	15,147	0.03
405HC	ST.JOHSNBURY (ORC)	5,477	0.01
405HD	NEWPORT (ORC)	----	0.00
405HF	RUTLAND	3,254	0.01
405HG	WILDER	----	0.00
436	FORT HARRISON	140,868	0.26

**STA5A:** Five-digit numeric identifier of the VA facility where care was provided-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
436GA	ANACONDA PRIM CARE CLINIC	4,276	0.01
436GB	GREAT FALLS PRI CARE CLIN	15,430	0.03
436GC	MISSOULA PRIM CARE CLINIC	18,508	0.03
436GD	BOZEMAN CBOC	7,000	0.01
436GF	WHITEFISH CBOC	16,150	0.03
436GH	BILLINGS CBOC MT	27,301	0.05
436GI	GLASGOW CBOC	1,684	0.00
436GJ	MILES CITY CBOC	24,643	0.05
436GK	SIDNEY CBOC MT	2,530	0.00
437	FARGO	132,281	0.25
437GA	GRAFTON (CBC)	5,040	0.01
437GB	BISMARCK CBOC	8,475	0.02
437GC	FERGUS FALLS CBOC MN	2,701	0.01
437GD	MINOT CBOC	4,445	0.01
438	SIOUX FALLS	170,478	0.32
438GC	SIOUX CITY CBOC IA	15,117	0.03
438GD	ABERDEEN CBOC SD	12,125	0.02
442	CHEYENNE	111,839	0.21
442GB	SIDNEY CBOC	692	0.00
442GC	FT COLLINS CBOC	10,598	0.02
442GD	GREELEY CBOC CO	12,525	0.02
459	HONOLULU	127,133	0.24
459GA	MAUI CBOC HI	8,715	0.02
459GB	HILO	8,939	0.02
459GC	KAILUA-KONA	6,323	0.01
459GD	LIHUE	5,824	0.01

**STA5A:** Five-digit numeric identifier of the VA facility where care was provided-continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
459GE	GUAM GU	5,574	0.01
460	WILMINGTON	156,358	0.29
460GA	MILLSBORO CBOC	6,347	0.01
460HE	LYNWOOD (ORC)	5,282	0.01
460HG	VINELAND	7,532	0.01
463	ALASKA HCS & RO	86,397	0.16
463GA	FAIRBANKS CBOC AK	11,025	0.02
463GB	KENAI PENINSULA CBOC AK	5,964	0.01
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	433,881	0.81
501GA	ARTESIA (CBC)	12,069	0.02
501GB	FARMINGTON (CBC)	11,792	0.02
501GC	SILVER CITY	9,772	0.02
501GD	GALLUP	4,703	0.01
501GE	ESPANOLA (CBC)	8,654	0.02
501GH	TRUTH/CONSEQUENCES CBOC NM	4,485	0.01
501GI	ALAMOGORDO CBOC NM	2,967	0.01
501GJ	DURANGO CBOC NM	5,127	0.01
501GK	SANTE FE CBOC NM	11,236	0.02
501G2	LAS VEGAS (CBC)	3,887	0.01
501HB	RATON (ORC)	6,540	0.01
501PA	ALBUQUERQUE PR RTP	----	0.00
501SG	ALBUQ. AF BEDS IN VA FACILITIES	94	0.00
502	ALEXANDRIA	163,099	0.31
502GA	JENNINGS CBA	15,260	0.03
502GB	LAFAYETTE CBOC LA	18,891	0.04
502GC	BATON ROUGE CBOC	10,333	0.02
502GD	HOUMA CBOC	3,667	0.01

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
503	JAMES E. VAN ZANDT VAMC	125,206	0.23
503GA	JOHNSTOWN CBOC	23,036	0.04
503GB	DUBOIS CBOC	18,080	0.03
503GC	STATE COLLEGE CBOC	15,696	0.03
504	AMARILLO HCS	136,375	0.26
504BY	LUBBOCK TX-SOC	62,416	0.12
504BZ	CLOVIS (SOC)	7,322	0.01
504GA	CHILDRES(CBC)	2,389	0.00
504GB	LIBERAL CBOC KA	1,073	0.00
504HB	STRATFORD TX (ORC)	662	0.00
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	223,929	0.42
506GA	TOLEDO CBOC	46,371	0.09
506GB	FLINT CBOC MI	3,759	0.01
506GC	JACKSON CBOC MI	4,658	0.01
508	ATLANTA	567,993	1.06
508GA	ATLANTA CBOC (MIDTOWN)	16,025	0.03
508GE	NE GEORGIA/OAKWOOD CBOC	17,831	0.03
508GF	SMYRNA CBOC MARIETTA GA	19,906	0.04
508GH	LAWRENCEVILLE CBOC GA	20,656	0.04
509	AUGUSTA	209,077	0.39
509A0	LENWOOD	146,742	0.27
509GA	ATHENS CBOC	53	0.00
512	BALTIMORE	382,872	0.72
512A5	PERRY POINT	111,284	0.21
512GA	CAMBRIDGE CBC	19,387	0.04
512GC	GLEN BURNIE CBOC	12,402	0.02
512GD	BALTIMORE CBOC(LOCH RAVEN)	22,540	0.04
512GE	POCOMOKE CITY CBOC MD	3,565	0.01

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
512GF	FORT HOWARD CBOC MD	13,780	0.03
515	BATTLE CREEK	159,763	0.30
515BY	GRAND RAPIDS-SOC	97,243	0.18
515GA	MUSKEGON CBOC	7,653	0.01
515GB	LANSING CBOC MI	8,909	0.02
515GC	BENTON HARBOR CBOC	8,645	0.02
516	BAY PINES	653,222	1.22
516BZ	FT MYERS-SOC	168,829	0.32
516GA	SARASOTA (CBC)	57,308	0.11
516GB	SOUTH ST PETERSBURG CBOC	6,678	0.01
516GC	CLEARWATER CBOC	29,211	0.05
516GD	ELLENTON CBOC FL	32,103	0.06
516GE	PORT CHARLOTTE FL	39,626	0.07
516GF	NAPLES CBOC FL	24,859	0.05
516GH	AVON PARK CBOC FL	11,310	0.02
517	BECKLEY	145,116	0.27
517GA	GASSAWAY CBOC BECK WV	671	0.00
518	BEDFORD	131,532	0.25
518GA	LYNN CBOC	4,554	0.01
518GB	HAVERHILL CBOC	5,186	0.01
518GC	WINCHENDON CBOC MA	4,004	0.01
518GD	LOWELL CBOC MA	9,368	0.02
518GE	GLOUCESTER CBOC BEDFORD MA	3,236	0.01
518GG	FITCHBURG CBOC BEDFORD MA	4,213	0.01
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	104,856	0.2
519GA	ODESSA (CBC)	16,203	0.03
519GB	HOBBS (CBC) NM	5,341	0.01
519GD	FT. STOCKTON (CBC) TX	498	0.00

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
519HC	ABILENE TX (ORC)	21,639	0.04
519HD	STAMFORD TX	644	0.00
519HF	SAN ANGELO TX	13,981	0.03
520	GULF COAST HCS	187,262	0.35
520A0	GULFPORT	362	0.00
520BZ	PENSACOLA-SOC	133,975	0.25
520GA	MOBILE (CBC)	60,307	0.11
520GB	PANAMA CITY CBOC	30,319	0.06
521	BIRMINGHAM	349,365	0.65
521GA	HUNTSVILLE CBOC	22,664	0.04
521GB	DECATUR CBOC AL	10,450	0.02
521GC	FLORENCE CBOC AL	10,420	0.02
521GD	RAINBOW CTY CBOC	14,876	0.03
521GE	ANNISTON CBOC	17,731	0.03
521GF	JASPER CBOC	4,340	0.01
523	BOSTON	220,261	0.41
523A4	VA BOSTON HCS	141,926	0.27
523A5	BROCKTON VAMC	109,229	0.20
523BY	LOWELL-SOC	23,488	0.04
523BZ	BOSTON (OPC)	60,341	0.11
523GA	FRAMINGHAM CBOC	4,420	0.01
523GB	WORCESTER CBOC MA	37,132	0.07
523GC	QUINCY CBOC MA	2,482	0.00
523GE	DORCHESTER CBOC MA	607	0.00
526	BRONX	263,851	0.49
526GA	WHITE PLAINS CBOC	5,067	0.01
526GB	YONKERS CBOC	2,512	0.00
526GC	S BRONX CBOC BRONX NY	1,016	0.00



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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
526GD	QUEENS CBOC BRONX NY	1,507	0.00
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	357,359	0.67
528A4	BATAVIA DIVISION	36,739	0.07
528A5	CANANDIAGUA DIVISION	118,784	0.22
528A6	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 BATH	131,791	0.25
528A7	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 SYRACUSE	299,257	0.56
528A8	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 ALBANY	266,254	0.50
528GB	JAMESTOWN CBOC	7,590	0.01
528GC	DUNKIRK CBOC	4,453	0.01
528GD	NIAGRA FALLS CBOC	6,786	0.01
528GE	ROCHESTER CBOC UPS NY	77,646	0.15
528GK	LOCKPORT CBOC	5,451	0.01
528GL	MASSENA CBOC	7,553	0.01
528GM	ROME CBOC	35,088	0.07
528GN	BINGHAMTON CBOC VT	20,176	0.04
528GO	FORT DRUM CBOC NY	14,741	0.03
528GP	OSWEGO CBOC NY	5,780	0.01
528GQ	LACKAWANNA CBOC NY	5,516	0.01
528GR	OLEAN CBOC NY	6,734	0.01
528GT	VA CBOC GLENS FALLS NY	8,390	0.02
528GV	VA CBOC PLATTSBURGH NY	6,555	0.01
528GW	VA CBOC SCHENECTADY NY	4,871	0.01
528GX	VA CBOC TROY NY	4,399	0.01
528GY	VA CBOC CLIFTON PARK NY	7,060	0.01
528GZ	VA CBOC KINGSTON NY	5,028	0.01
528G1	VA CBOC MALONE NY	1,959	0.00
528G2	VA CBOC ELIZABETHTOWN NY	3,544	0.01
528G3	BAINBRIDGE CBOC NY	4,609	0.01

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
528G4	VA CBOC ELMIRA NY	13,707	0.03
528G5	AUBURN CBOC NY	4,559	0.01
528G6	FONDA CBOC NY	5,516	0.01
528G7	CATSKILL CBOC NY	4,937	0.01
528G8	WELLSVILLE CBOC NY	5,097	0.01
528G9	CORTLAND CBOC NY	6,994	0.01
528J1	WARSAW CBOC NY	2,235	0.00
529	BUTLER	110,255	0.21
529GA	MERCER CBOC	875	0.00
529GB	NEW CASTLE CBOC	1,500	0.00
529GC	KITTANNING CBOC	1,483	0.00
529GD	KNOX CBOC PA	1,431	0.00
529GE	VENANGO COUNTY CBOC	2,006	0.00
531	BOISE	159,491	0.30
531GD	ONTARIO CBOC OR	316	0.00
531GE	TWIN FALLS CBOC ID	8,478	0.02
534	CHARLESTON	288,401	0.54
534BY	SAVANNAH	50,754	0.10
534GB	MYRTLE BEACH CBOC SC	37,716	0.07
534GC	BEAUFORT CBOC SC	19,498	0.04
534GD	GOOSE CREEK CBOC	17,916	0.03
537	VA CHICAGO HCS	378,575	0.71
537A4	CHICAGO (LAKES<0504	----	0.00
537BY	CROWN POINT	94,785	0.18
537GA	CHICAGO HEIGHTS CBOC	8,629	0.02
537GD	LAKESIDE CBOC	58,112	0.11
537HA	WOODLAWN CBOC	5,071	0.01
538	CHILLICOTHE	185,865	0.35

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
538GA	ATHENS CBOC	10,673	0.02
538GB	PORTSMOUTH CBOC	12,863	0.02
538GC	MARIETTA CBOC	9,364	0.02
538GD	LANCASTER CBOC CHILL OH	21,410	0.04
539	CINCINNATI	304,359	0.57
539GA	BELLVUE CBOC	12,879	0.02
539GB	CINCINNATI CBOC OH	10,747	0.02
539GC	LAWRENCEBURG CBOC IN	9,494	0.02
540GD	540GD	505	----
540	CLARKSBURG	188,366	0.35
540GA	PARSONS WV	4,723	0.01
540GB	PARKERSBURG WV	12,004	0.02
540GC	GASSAWAY CBOC CBG WV	2,576	----
541	CLEVELAND-WADE PARK	482,944	0.90
541A0	CLEVELAND-BRECKSV.	288,424	0.54
541BY	CANTON-SOC	90,078	0.17
541BZ	YOUNGSTOWN	72,127	0.14
541GB	LORAIN CBOC	29,053	0.05
541GC	SANDUSKY CBOC	18,547	0.03
541GD	MANSFIELD CBOC	41,845	0.08
541GE	CLEVELAND CBOC OH	11,363	0.02
541GF	PAINESVILLE CBOC PH	27,175	0.05
541GG	AKRON CBOC	68,007	0.13
541GH	EAST LIVERPOOL CBOC	13,314	0.02
541GI	WARREN CBOC CLEVELAND OH	21,338	0.04
541GJ	NEW PHILADELPHIA CBOC	12,112	0.02
541GK	RAVENNA CBOC	12,095	0.02
542	COATESVILLE	144,131	0.27

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542GA	SPRINGFIELD PA (CBC)	12,380	0.02
542GE	SPRING CITY CBOC	8,266	0.02
542GG	PHILADELPHIA CBOC	8,522	0.02
544	COLUMBIA SC	441,654	0.83
544BZ	GREENVILLE SC-SOC	67,082	0.13
544GB	FLORENCE CBOC SC	22,960	0.04
544GC	ROCK HILL CBOC	19,970	0.04
544GD	ANDERSON CBOC SC	14,063	0.03
544GE	ORANGEBURG CBOC SC	6,845	0.01
544GF	SUMTER CBOC SC	11,446	0.02
546	MIAMI	399,376	0.75
546BZ	OAKLAND PARK-SOC	98,431	0.18
546GA	MIAMI (CBC)	18,774	0.04
546GB	KEY WEST (CBC)	9,663	0.02
546GC	HOMESTEAD VA (CBC)	5,514	0.01
546GD	PEMBROKE PINES CBOC	10,519	0.02
546GE	KEY LARGO CBOC	3,903	0.01
546GF	HALLANDALE CBOC FL	13,390	0.03
546GG	CORAL SPRINGS CBOC FL	6,918	0.01
546GH	DEERFIELD BEACH CBOC FL	4,544	0.01
548	W PALM BEACH	453,610	0.85
548GA	FT PIERCE CBOC	13,736	0.03
548GB	DELRAY BEACH CBOC	25,006	0.05
548GC	STUART CBOC	14,601	0.03
548GD	BOCA RATON CBOC FL	5,152	0.01
548GE	VERO BEACH CBOC FL	9,177	0.02
548GF	OKEECHOBEE CBOC FL	6,419	0.01
549	DALLAS	703,642	1.32
549A4	BONHAM VAMC	159,025	0.30

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
549BY	FORT WORTH	149,433	0.28
549GA	TYLER CBOC	7,570	0.01
549GC	BONHAM CBOC	5,533	0.01
549GD	DENTON CBOC	8,207	0.02
549GE	DECATUR CBOC TX	2,441	0.00
549GF	EASTLAND CBOC	2,169	0.00
549GH	GREENVILLE CBOC DAL TX	1,061	0.00
549GI	CLEBURNE CBOC	335	0.00
549HA	FORT WORTH TX	1,193	0.00
550	VA ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	150,614	0.28
550BY	PEORIA-SOC	48,501	0.09
550GA	DECATUR-IL	17,586	0.03
550GC	LAFAYETTE CBOC IN	8,272	0.02
550GD	SPRINGFIELD CBOC DLE IL	12,755	0.02
550GE	EFFINGHAM CBOC IL	4,284	0.01
552	DAYTON	271,193	0.51
552GA	MIDDLETOWN CBOC OH	11,243	0.02
552GB	LIMA CBOC OH	13,994	0.03
552GC	RICHMOND CBOC IN	10,014	0.02
552GD	SPRINGFIELD CBOC OH	13,313	0.02
553	DETROIT VAMC	339,714	0.64
553GA	YALE CBOC MI	5,498	0.01
553GB	PONTIAC CBOC MI	5,931	0.01
554	DENVER	323,989	0.61
554GB	AURORA CBOC CO	12,469	0.02
554GC	LAKESWOOD CBOC CO	11,059	0.02
554GD	PUEBLO CBOC CO	79,322	0.15
554GE	COLORADO SPGS CBOC CO	58,995	0.11

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
554GF	ALAMOSA CBOC CO	6,592	0.01
554GG	LA JUNTA CBOC CO	8,719	0.02
554GH	LAMAR CBOC CO	2,528	0.00
556	NORTH CHICAGO	203,505	0.38
556GA	EVANSTON CBOC	4,244	0.01
556GC	MCHENRY CBOC	6,158	0.01
556GD	KENOSHA CBOC WI	4,205	0.01
557	DUBLIN	158,178	0.30
557GA	MACON CBOC GA	19,382	0.04
557GB	ALBANY CBOC GA	15,805	0.03
558	DURHAM	296,464	0.56
558GA	GREENVILLE CBOC NC	18,777	0.04
558GB	RALEIGH CBOC NC	15,734	0.03
558GC	MOREHEAD CITY CBOC	9,100	0.02
561	EAST ORANGE	320,388	0.60
561A4	LYONS	114,903	0.22
561BY	NEWARK-SOC	8,242	0.02
561BZ	BRICK	53,463	0.10
561GA	TRENTON	6,523	0.01
561GB	ELIZABETH CBOC	5,266	0.01
561GD	HACKENSACK CBOC	21,106	0.04
561GE	JERSEY CITY CBOC	3,504	0.01
561GF	NEW BRUNSWICK CBOC	4,471	0.01
561GG	NEWARK CBOC NJ	381	0.00
561GH	MORRISTOWN NJ	4,493	0.01
561GI	FT. MONMOUTH CBOC	6,724	0.01
561GJ	PATERSON NJ CBOC	3,389	0.01
562	ERIE	177,783	0.33

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
562GA	CRAWFORD COUNTY CBOC	14,957	0.03
562GB	ASHTABULA COUNTY CBOC OH	10,360	0.02
562GC	MCKEAN COUNTY CBOC	4,642	0.01
562GD	VENANGO COUNTY CBOC	5,417	0.01
562GE	WARREN COUNTY CBOC	7,774	0.01
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	247,545	0.46
564BY	MT. VERNON-SOC	75,382	0.14
564GA	HARRISON CBOC	12,376	0.02
564GB	FT SMITH CBOC FAYETTL AR	50,690	0.09
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	309,188	0.58
565GA	JACKSONVILLE CBOC/UR NC	11,389	0.02
565GC	WILMINGTON CBOC NC	14,801	0.03
568	FORT MEADE	93,198	0.17
568A4	HOT SPRINGS	72,296	0.14
568GA	RAPID CITY VET HLTH CLIN	20,356	0.04
568GB	PIERRE CBOC FM SD	4,326	0.01
568HA	NEWCASTLE WY	292	0.00
568HB	RUSHVILLE	449	0.00
568HC	ALLIANCE	644	0.00
568HF	PINE RIDGE SD	993	0.00
568HH	SCOTTS BLUFF CO. ADMIN NE	2,703	0.01
568HJ	ROSEBUD IHS HOSPITAL SD	678	0.00
568HK	MCLAUGHLIN CLINIC SD	463	0.00
568HM	EAGLE BUTTE VET OUTR CLIN SD	1,456	0.00
568HP	WINNER LEGION HALL SD	1,717	0.00
570	CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS	217,873	0.41
570GA	ATWATER CBOC	11,887	0.02
570GB	TULARE CBOC	15,044	0.03

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573	N FL/S GA HCS	533,802	1.00
573A4	LAKE CITY VAMC FL	209,249	0.39
573BY	JACKSONVILLE-SOC	164,331	0.31
573BZ	DAYTONA BEACH-SOC	149,341	0.28
573GA	VALDOSTA GA CBOC	19,112	0.04
573GD	OCALA CBOC	32,207	0.06
573GE	ST. AUGUSTINE CBOC FL	16,457	0.03
573GF	TALLAHASSEE OCS	80,003	0.15
573GG	INVERNESS CBOC FL	29,547	0.06
573GH	LEESBURG CBOC FL	29,150	0.05
573GI	VILLAGES CBOC	13,785	0.03
575	GRAND JUNCTION	89,470	0.17
575GA	MONTROSE CBOC	3,411	0.01
578	HINES	478,400	0.90
578GA	JOLIET VA CBC	12,064	0.02
578GB	OAK PARK CBOC	2,058	0.00
578GC	MANTENO CBOC HINES IL	7,654	0.01
578GD	AURORA CBOC IL	10,999	0.02
578GE	ELGIN CBOC	7,956	0.01
578GF	LASALLE CBOC	12,730	0.02
578GG	OAK LAWN CBOC IL	14,387	0.03
580	HOUSTON	685,095	1.28
580BY	BEAUMONT-SOC	55,436	0.10
580BZ	LUFKIN	44,132	0.08
580GC	GALVESTON COUNTY CBOC	28,580	0.05
581	HUNTINGTON	239,557	0.45
581GA	PRESTONSBURG	20,890	0.04
581GB	CHARLESTON CBOC WV	30,012	0.06



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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
581GD	WILLIAMSON CBOC WV	1,484	0.00
581GE	LOGAN CBOC WV	1,416	0.00
583	INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST	402,584	0.75
583GA	TERRE HAUTE CBOC	10,369	0.02
583GB	BLOOMINGTON CBOC	11,138	0.02
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	88,871	0.17
585GA	PORTAGE HEALTH SYSTEM	3,186	0.01
585GB	RHINELANDER CBOC WI	11,611	0.02
585GC	MENOMINEE CBOC	7,378	0.01
585GD	IRONWOOD CBOC	2,378	0.00
585HA	MARQUETTE	4,567	0.01
585HB	SAULT ST MARIE TRIBAL HLTH	4,034	0.01
586	JACKSON	362,609	0.68
586GA	KOSCIUSKO MS CBOC	3,793	0.01
586GB	MERIDIAN CBOC	9,626	0.02
586GC	GREENVILLE CBOC JS MS	5,207	0.01
586GD	HATTIESBURG CBOC	11,487	0.02
586GE	NATCHEZ CBOC MS	5,733	0.01
586GF	COLUMBUS CBOC MS	4,401	0.01
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	375,982	0.7
589A4	TRUMAN VH COLUMBIA MO	234,902	0.44
589A5	COLMERY-ONEIL VAMC HCS KS	197,895	0.37
589A6	E-KS HCS EISENHOWER VAMC	134,964	0.25
589A7	VAMC WICHITA KS	280,012	0.52
589GB	BELTON CBOC	3,053	0.01
589GC	PAOLA/LOUIS CBOC PAOLA KS	2,832	0.01
589GD	NEVADA CBOC	4,177	0.01
589GE	KIRKSVILLE CBOC MO	5,933	0.01

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
589GF	FT LEONARD WOOD CBOC MO	9,843	0.02
589GH	LAKE OZARK CBOC OSAGE MO	8,529	0.02
589GI	ST. JOSEPH CBOC MO	5,238	0.01
589GJ	WYANDOTTE CBOC OK	5,684	0.01
589GK	ABILENE CBOC ABILENE KS	452	0.00
589GM	CHANUTE CBOC CHANUTE KS	1,158	0.00
589GN	EMPORIA CBOC EMPORIA KS	620	0.00
589GP	GARNETT CBOC GARNETT KS	479	0.00
589GQ	HOLTON CBOC HOLTON KS	198	0.00
589GR	JUNC CITY CBOC JUNC KS	535	0.00
589GS	RUSSELL CBOC RUSSELL KS	131	0.00
589GT	SENECA CBOC SENECA KS	258	0.00
589GU	LAWRENCE CBOC LAWRENCE KS	527	0.00
589GV	FT.SCOTT ORC FT.SCOTT KS	1,099	0.00
589GW	SALINA CBOC (WICHITA) KS	7,674	0.01
589GX	MEXICO CBOC MO	6,643	0.01
589GY	ST JAMES CBOC MO	3,223	0.01
589GZ	CAMERON CBOC MO	3,056	0.01
589G1	WARRENSBURG CBOC MO	5,232	0.01
589G2	DODGE CITY CBOC KS	2,502	0.00
589G3	LIBERAL CBOC KS	340	0.00
589G4	HAYS CBOC KS	6,610	0.01
589G5	PARSONS CBOC KS	2,525	0.00
589G6	SALINA CBOC (TOPEKA) KS	1,438	0.00
590	HAMPTON	265,644	0.50
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	398,100	0.75
593GA	LAS VEGAS CBOC	4,561	0.01

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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
593GB	HENDERSON CBOC	16,091	0.03
593GC	PAHRUMP CBOC	13,477	0.03
595	LEBANON	245,328	0.46
595GA	CAMP HILL CBOC PA	36,122	0.07
595GB	SCHUYLKILL CY CBOC LEB PA	5,664	0.01
595GC	LANCASTER CBOC LEB PA	8,414	0.02
595GD	READING CBOC	15,433	0.03
595GE	YORK CBOC PA	14,007	0.03
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	73,383	0.14
596A4	LEXINGTON-COOPER DR	230,749	0.43
596GA	SOMERSET CBOC KY	18,842	0.04
596HA	LEXINGTON	493	0.00
596PA	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN PR RTP	----	0.00
598	LITTLE ROCK	355,762	0.67
598A0	N. LITTLE ROCK	203,154	0.38
598GA	MOUNTAIN HOME CBOC	11,816	0.02
598GB	EL DORADO CBOC AK	5,443	0.01
598GC	HOT SPRINGS CBOC AR	12,172	0.02
598GD	MENA CBOC AR	3,715	0.01
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	427,901	0.8
600GA	ANAHEIM CBOC	8,205	0.02
600GB	SANTA ANA CBOC	11,784	0.02
600GC	CABRILLO CBOC	7,083	0.01
600GD	SANTA FE SPRINGS CBOC CA	4,909	0.01
603	LOUISVILLE	267,503	0.5
603GA	FORT KNOX CBOC	14,166	0.03
603GB	NEW ALBANY CBOC	37,858	0.07
603GC	LOUISVILLE CBOC KY	38,725	0.07

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603GD	DUPONT CBOC	39,474	0.07
603GE	STANDIFORD FIELD CBOC	4,700	0.01
603PB	LOUISVILLE SARRTP	323	0.00
605	LOMA LINDA	443,526	0.83
605GA	VICTORVILLE (CBC)	9,646	0.02
605GB	SUN CITY CBOC	11,050	0.02
605GC	PALM DESERT CBOC	13,036	0.02
605GD	CORONA CBOC CA	5,709	0.01
605GE	UPLAND CBOC CO	6,992	0.01
607	MADISON	223,643	0.42
607GC	JANESVILLE CBOC	5,868	0.01
607GD	BARABOO CBOC	3,134	0.01
607GE	BEAVER DAM CBOC	3,801	0.01
607GF	FREEPORT CBOC	3,739	0.01
607HA	ROCKFORD OPC	28,427	0.05
608	MANCHESTER	164,543	0.31
608GA	PORTSMOUTH (CBC)	4,625	0.01
608GC	WOLFEBORO CBOC NH	4,684	0.01
608GD	CONWAY CBOC NH	2,481	0.00
608HA	TILTON (ORC)	4,887	0.01
610	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	89,445	0.17
610A4	NORTHERN IN HCS	120,422	0.23
610GA	SOUTH BEND CBOC	24,345	0.05
610GB	MUNCIE-ANDERSON CBOC	10,096	0.02
612	MARTINEZ	----	0.00
612A4	SACRAMENTO VAMC	202,010	0.38
612BY	OAKLAND VA OPC	71,496	0.13
612B4	REDDING VA OPC	80,749	0.15

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612GD	FAIRFIELD CBOC	12,275	0.02
612GE	MARE ISLAND CBOC	14,676	0.03
612GF	MARTINEZ(OPC)	193,312	0.36
612GG	CHICO CBOC	26,657	0.05
612GH	MCCLELLAN CBOC MARTINEZ CA	55,877	0.10
613	MARTINSBURG	276,802	0.52
613GA	CUMBERLAND	14,867	0.03
613GB	HAGERSTOWN CBOC	16,931	0.03
613GC	STEPHENS CITY CBOC VA	12,753	0.02
613GD	FRANKLIN CBOC	925	0.00
613GE	PETERSBURG CBOC	4,061	0.01
613GF	HARRISONBURG CBOC VA	10,468	0.02
613HK	MARTINSBURG MOC	----	0.00
614	MEMPHIS	393,949	0.74
614GA	SMITHVILLE CBOC	11,051	0.02
614GB	JONESBORO CBOC	7,968	0.01
614GC	BYHALIA CBOC MI	2,518	0.00
614GD	SAVANNAH CBOC TN	3,735	0.01
614GE	COVINGTON CBOC TN	22,574	0.04
614GF	MEMPHIS SOUTH CLINIC TN	26,469	0.05
614PA	MEMPHIS TN	798	0.00
618	MINNEAPOLIS	512,197	0.96
618BY	SUPERIOR	28,752	0.05
618GA	MANKATO CBOC WI	4,191	0.01
618GB	HIBBING CBOC MN	5,309	0.01
618GD	ST. PAUL CBOC	5,839	0.01
618GE	EAU CLAIRE CBOC	7,655	0.01
618GG	ROCHESTER CBOC MN	5,593	0.01

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619	MONTGOMERY	165,123	0.31
619A4	TUSKEGEE	123,989	0.23
619GA	COLUMBUS OPC	20,592	0.04
619GB	DOTHAN (CBC)	16,731	0.03
619GC	DOTHAN MENTAL HLT CLNC(CBC)	----	0.00
620	MONTRORSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	96,434	0.18
620A4	CASTLE PNT VA HUDSON HCS NY	145,071	0.27
620GA	NEW CITY (ROCKLAND) CBOC	18,354	0.03
620GB	CARMEL CBOC-PUTNAM CNTY	7,288	0.01
620GD	MIDDLETOWN CBOC NY	11,299	0.02
620GE	PORT JERVIS CBOC	8,873	0.02
620GF	HARRIS CBOC	3,605	0.01
620GG	POUGHKEEPSIE CBOC	7,999	0.01
620GH	EASTERN DUTCHESS MONTRORSE NY CBOC	1,642	0.00
621	MOUNTAIN HOME	336,031	0.63
621GA	ROGERSVILLE CBOC	2,382	0.00
621GB	MOUNTAIN CITY CBOC	1,572	0.00
621GC	NORTON CBOC	3,141	0.01
621GD	ST. CHARLES VA	9,553	0.02
623	MUSKOGEE	170,911	0.32
623BY	TULSA-SOC	110,364	0.21
623GA	MCALESTER CBOC OK	3,008	0.01
626	NASHVILLE	278,131	0.52
626A4	VA TENNESSEE VALLEY HCS	185,867	0.35
626BY	KNOXVILLE(SOC)	45,477	0.09
626GA	STEWART CO. COM. MED CTR	1,710	0.00
626GC	URGENTCARE INC. CBOC	6,116	0.01

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626GD	FORT CAMPBELL CBOC	8,089	0.02
626GE	CLARKSVILLE CBOC TN	16,095	0.03
626GF	CHATTANOOGA SOC TN	63,791	0.12
626GG	TULLAHOMA CBOC TN	10,886	0.02
626GH	COOKEVILLE CBOC TN	6,806	0.01
626GI	VINE HILL CBOC	2,024	0.00
629	NEW ORLEANS	121,204	0.23
629BY	BATON ROUGE-SOC	61,441	0.12
629GA	HOUMA CBOC LA	18,032	0.03
629GB	HAMMOND CBOC	5,319	0.01
629GC	SLIDELL CBOC	6,032	0.01
629GD	ST JOHN VA OUTPATIENT CLINIC	4,254	0.01
630	N.Y. HARBOR HCS	285,248	0.53
630A4	BROOKLYN DIVISION	318,003	0.6
630A5	ST ALBANS PRIM & EXT	45,931	0.09
630BZ	OPIATE SUBSTITUTION SOC	15,106	0.03
630B2	SOHO CARE CENTER SOC	119	0.00
630GA	HARLEM (CBC)	961	0.00
630GB	STATEN ISLAND CBOC	9,830	0.02
630GC	BROOKLYN CBOC	9,773	0.02
631	NORTHAMPTON	104,064	0.19
631BY	SPRINGFIELD-SOC	40,392	0.08
631GA	NORTHAMPTON-CBC	12	0.00
631GB	SPRINGFIELD MA (CBC)	8,517	0.02
631GC	PITTSFIELD MA	119	0.00
631GD	GREENFIELD CBOC MA	5,514	0.01
632	NORTHPORT	267,458	0.50
632GA	PLAINVIEW (CBC)	11,495	0.02

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632HA	LYNBROOK (ORC)	1,160	0.00
632HB	RIVERHEAD (ORC)	3,188	0.01
632HC	ISLIP (ORC)	525	0.00
632HD	PATCHOQUE (ORC)	7,363	0.01
632HF	LINDENHURST (ORC)	793	0.00
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	345,471	0.65
635GA	LAWTON (CBC)	33,432	0.06
635GB	WICHITA FALLS CBC TX	9,107	0.02
635GC	PONCA CITY CBOC	2,282	0.00
635GD	KONOWA CBOC OK	3,764	0.01
635HB	ARDMORE (ORC)	1,514	0.00
636	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	236,435	0.44
636A4	VA CPHN GRAND ISLAND	77,319	0.14
636A5	VA CPHN LINCOLN	78,448	0.15
636A6	VA CPHN DES MOINES IA	199,303	0.37
636A7	VA CPHN KNOXVILLE IA	50,646	0.09
636A8	VA CPHN IOWA CITY IA	230,252	0.43
636GA	NORFOLK (CBOC)	1,500	0.00
636GB	NORTH PLATTE CBOC NE	14,655	0.03
636GC	VA CBOC MASON CITY IA	20,282	0.04
636GD	MARSHALLTOWN CBOC IA	----	0.00
636GE	OTTUMWA CBOC IA	14	0.00
636GF	BETTENDORF CBOC IA	29,321	0.05
636GG	QUINCY CBOC IL	6,492	0.01
636GH	WATERLOO CBOC IA	11,985	0.02
636GI	GALESBURG CBOC IL	6,065	0.01
636GJ	DUBUQUE CBOC IA	8,901	0.02
636GK	FORT DODGE CBOC IA	10,379	0.02



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636PB	OMAHA PR RTP	----	0.00
637	ASHEVILLE-OT EEN	248,707	0.47
640	PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO	330,474	0.62
640A0	PALO ALTO-MENLO PK	41,618	0.08
640A4	LIVERMORE	46,200	0.09
640BY	SAN JOSE	57,657	0.11
640GA	CAPITOLA CBOC	1,672	0.00
640GB	SONORA CBOC CA	7,935	0.01
640HA	STOCKTON (ORC)	17,231	0.03
640HB	MODESTO (ORC)	24,085	0.05
640HC	MONTEREY (ORC)	43,522	0.08
6409A	6409A	11	0.00
642	PHILADELPHIA (OLD)	414,020	0.78
642GA	FORT DIX (CBC)	20,269	0.04
642GB	CAPE MAY (CBC)	5,937	0.01
642GC	WILLOW GROVE CBOC PA	18,948	0.04
642GD	VETERANS HEALTH CLINIC	9,685	0.02
644	PHOENIX	520,133	0.97
644BY	MESA	36,014	0.07
644GA	SUN CITY	25,473	0.05
644GB	SHOW LOW CBOC	10,826	0.02
644GC	BUCKEYE CBOC AZ	1,033	0.00
644GD	PAYSON CBOC AZ	1,178	0.00
646	PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR	273,511	0.51
646A4	PITTSBURGH-ASPINWALL	31,273	0.06
646A5	PITTSBURGH-HIGHLAND DR	132,862	0.25
646GA	ST. CLAIRSVILLE OH	9,610	0.02
646GB	GREENSBURG CBOC PA	11,016	0.02

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646GC	ALIQUIPPA CBOC PA	6,992	0.01
646GD	WASHINGTON CBOC PA	9,667	0.02
646GE	UNIONTOWN CBOC	5,996	0.01
648	PORTLAND	445,415	0.83
648A4	VANCOUVER	72,310	0.14
648GA	BEND CBOC	13,290	0.02
648GB	SALEM CBOC OR	16,632	0.03
648GD	NORTH COAST CBOC OR	3,624	0.01
649	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	164,400	0.31
649GA	KINGMAN CBOC	13,448	0.03
649GB	BELLEMONT CBOC AZ	3,197	0.01
649GC	LAKE HAVASU CITY CBOC AZ	11,164	0.02
649GD	BLACK CANYON CITY CBOC AZ	5,212	0.01
649GE	COTTENWOOD CBOC AZ	6,803	0.01
650	PROVIDENCE	250,914	0.47
650GA	NEW BEDFORD (CBC)	9,510	0.02
650GB	HYANNIS CBOC	10,790	0.02
650GC	OAK BLUFF CBOC MA	5,864	0.01
650GD	MIDDLETOWN CBOC RI	5,212	0.01
650GE	NANTUCKET CBOC	122	0.00
652	RICHMOND	377,871	0.71
652GA	FREDERICKSBURG CBOC VA	14,118	0.03
653	ROSEBURG	134,702	0.25
653BY	EUGENE-SOC	49,039	0.09
653GA	BANDON	13,682	0.03
653GB	BROOKINGS CBOC	5,689	0.01
654	RENO	222,736	0.42
654GA	VA SIERRA FOOTHILLS CBOC	13,202	0.02

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654GB	MINDEN CBOC NV	8,149	0.02
655	SAGINAW	175,504	0.33
655GA	GAYLORD (CBC)	13,122	0.02
655GB	TRAVERSE CITY CBOC MI	11,490	0.02
655GC	OSCODA CBOC MI	5,882	0.01
656	ST CLOUD	212,090	0.40
656GA	BRAINERD CBOC	11,390	0.02
656GB	MONTEVIDEO CBOC MN	8,271	0.02
657	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	345,791	0.65
657A0	ST LOUIS-JEFFERSON BRKS	143,079	0.27
657A4	JJP VAMC POPLAR BLUFF MO	108,918	0.2
657A5	VAMC MARION DIV MARION IL	265,331	0.5
657GA	BELLEVILLE CBOC	6,327	0.01
657GB	ST. LOUIS CBOC	6,513	0.01
657GC	EFFINGHAM CBOC MO	----	0.00
657GD	ST. CHARLES CBOC	4,872	0.01
657GE	SPRINGFIELD CBOC STL IL	759	0.00
657GF	WEST PLAINS CBOC MO	9,562	0.02
657GG	PARAGOULD CBOC AR	5,531	0.01
657GH	CAPE GIRARDEAU CBOC MO	10,972	0.02
657GI	FARMINGTON CBOC MO	6,270	0.01
657GJ	EVANSVILLE CBOC IN	86,064	0.16
657GK	MT VERNON CBOC IL	10,234	0.02
657GL	PADUCAH CBOC KY	27,358	0.05
657GM	EFFINGHAM IL CBOC	13,072	0.02
657GN	SALEM CBOC MO	330	0.00
657GO	HANSON CBOC KY	3,227	0.01
658	SALEM	254,679	0.48

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658GA	TAZEWELL CBOC	1,995	0.00
658GB	DANVILLE CBOC	13,807	0.03
658HA	STUARTS DRAFT (ORC)	160	0.00
658HB	PULASKI (ORC)	40	0.00
658HC	LYNCHBURG (ORC)	372	0.00
658HD	HILLSVILLE (ORC)	51	0.00
658HE	MARTINSVILLE (ORC)	50	0.00
658HG	COVINGTON	85	0.00
658HH	MARION	43	0.00
659	SALISBURY	283,048	0.53
659BY	WINSTON-SALEM-SOC	98,767	0.19
659GA	CHARLOTTE CBOC	25,679	0.05
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	345,516	0.65
660GA	POCATELLO (CBC)	21,317	0.04
660GB	OGDEN CBOC	12,899	0.02
660GC	ELY CBOC NV	1,195	0.00
660GD	ROOSEVELT CBOC	2,240	0.00
660GE	OREM CBOC UT	6,662	0.01
660GF	GREEN RIVER CBOC WY	374	0.00
660GG	ST. GEORGE CBOC	9,359	0.02
660GI	NEPHI CBOC UT	1,515	0.00
662	SAN FRANCISCO	309,418	0.58
662BU	VA COMPREHEN HMLS CTR	11,142	0.02
662GA	SANTA ROSA (CBC)	20,383	0.04
662GC	EUREKA CBOC	17,739	0.03
662GD	UKIAH CBOC CA	10,145	0.02
662GE	SAN BRUNO CBOC CA	3,407	0.01
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	----	0.00

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663A4	AMERICAN LAKE	217,487	0.41
663GB	BREMERTON CBOC WA	7,139	0.01
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	405,636	0.76
664BY	MISSION VALLEY VAOPC	102,221	0.19
664GA	EL CENTRO CA	2,182	0.00
664GB	VISTA CBOC	22,781	0.04
664GC	CHULA VISTA CBOC	12,423	0.02
664GD	ESCONDIDO CBOC CA	14,154	0.03
666	SHERIDAN	60,950	0.11
666GB	CASPER(CBC)	14,391	0.03
666GC	RIVERTON COBC	5,825	0.01
666GD	POWELL CBOC WY	3,450	0.01
666GE	GILLETTE CBOC WY	2,961	0.01
666GF	ROCK SPRINGS CBOC WY	3,970	0.01
667	SHREVEPORT	297,312	0.56
667GA	TEXARKANA	19,899	0.04
667GB	MONROE CBC	16,976	0.03
667GC	LONGVIEW CBOC	18,198	0.03
668	SPOKANE WA	203,718	0.38
668HK	SPOKANE MOC WA	2,436	0.00
671	SAN ANTONIO	452,690	0.85
671A4	KERRVILLE	58,548	0.11
671BY	SAN ANTONIO-SOC	117,138	0.22
671BZ	CORPUS CHRISTI-SOC	61,849	0.12
671B0	MCALLEN-SOC	77,081	0.14
671GA	BROWNSVILLE (CBC)	19,221	0.04
671GB	VICTORIA (OCS)	24,584	0.05
671GD		310	0.00

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671GE	LAREDO (CBC)	14,912	0.03
671GF	SOUTH BEXAR CNTY (CBC)	12,171	0.02
671GG	ALICE CBOC	402	0.00
671GH	BEEVILLE CBOC	1,053	0.00
671GI	KINGSVILLE CBOC	293	0.00
671GJ	UVALDE CBOC	1,811	0.00
671GK	SAN ANTONIO CBOC TX	10,742	0.02
671GL	NEW BRAUNFELS CBOC TX	1,643	0.00
671GN	SEGUIN CBOC (GUADALUPE COUNTY)	319	0.00
671PA	SAN ANTONIO PR RTP	1,358	0.00
672	SAN JUAN PR	598,469	1.12
672BZ	MAYAGUEZ-SOC	102,741	0.19
672B0	PONCE-SOC	103,494	0.19
672GA	ST CROIX	4,321	0.01
672GB	ST THOMAS	2,635	0.00
672GC	ARECIBO CBOC PR	17,293	0.03
672GE	GUAYAMA CBOC PR	6,521	0.01
673	TAMPA	734,284	1.38
673BU	ORLANDO VADOM FL	1,860	0.00
673BY	ORLANDO-SOC	383,070	0.72
673BZ	PORT RICHEY-SOC	136,131	0.26
673GA	BREVARD CBOC	170,861	0.32
673GB	LAKELAND CBOC FL	21,981	0.04
673GC	BROOKSVILLE CBOC	23,911	0.04
673GD	SANFORD CBOC FL	6,207	0.01
673GE	KISSIMMEE CBOC FL	11,486	0.02
673GF	ZEPHYRHILLS CBOC FL	5,955	0.01

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674	VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS	425,147	0.80
674A4	WACO	141,564	0.27
674BY	AUSTIN-SOC	168,635	0.32
674GA	PALESTINE CBOC	14,534	0.03
674GB	BROWNWOOD CBOC	17,795	0.03
674GC	BYRAN CBOC CENTEX	21,312	0.04
674GD	CEDAR PARK TX CBOC	17,498	0.03
674GE	MARLIN TX CBOC	400	0.00
676	TOMAH	137,468	0.26
676GA	WAUSAU CBOC WI	8,822	0.02
676GC	LACROSSE CBOC WI	11,459	0.02
676GD	WISCONSIN RAPIDS CBOC WI	6,169	0.01
676GE	LOYAL CBOC WI	1,654	0.00
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	464,525	0.87
678GA	SIERRA VISTA (CBC)	15,353	0.03
678GB	YUMA (CBC)	14,530	0.03
678GC	CASA GRANDE CBOC	9,804	0.02
678GD	SAFFORD CBOC	5,553	0.01
678GE	GREEN VALLEY CBOC AZ	7,027	0.01
679	TUSCALOOSA	191,307	0.36
679BU	TUSCALOOSA VA FACILITY DOM	401	0.00
687	WALLA WALLA	75,160	0.14
687GA	RICHLAND CBOC	15,098	0.03
687GB	LEWISTON CBOC ID	213	0.00
687HA	YAKIMA	22,184	0.04
688	WASHINGTON DC	495,679	0.93
688GA	ALEXANDRIA CBOC VA	3,833	0.01
688GB	WASHINGTON CBOC SE	14,033	0.03

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688GC	LANDOVER CBOC WASH DC	5,202	0.01
688GD	CHARLOTTE HALLS 688GD	6,452	0.01
688PA	WASHINGTON	12	0.00
689	WEST HAVEN	360,521	0.68
689A4	NEWINGTON	170,159	0.32
689GA	WATERBURY CBOC	6,644	0.01
689GB	STAMFORD CBOC	3,781	0.01
689GC	WINDHAM CBOC	3,250	0.01
689GD	WINSTEAD CBOC	3,746	0.01
689GE	DANBURY CBOC CT	2,232	0.00
689HC	NEW LONDON CT (ORC)	6,270	0.01
691	GREATER LA HCS	465,768	0.87
691AB	SEPULVEDA	----	0.00
691A4	SEPULVEDA OPC (DIV)	208,254	0.39
691BU	LOS ANGELES-DOM	----	0.00
691GB	SANTA BARBARA CBOC	32,005	0.06
691GC	WEST LA (CBC)	10,453	0.02
691GD	BAKERSFIELD CBOC	36,183	0.07
691GE	LA CBOC	123,071	0.23
691GF	EAST LA CBOC	15,541	0.03
691GG	ANTELOPE VALLEY CBOC	9,593	0.02
691GK	SAN LUIS OBISPO CBOC	13,723	0.03
691GM	PORT HUENEMA CBOC-OXNARD	12,664	0.02
691GN	LYNWOOD CBOC LYNWOOD CA	53	0.00
691GO	PASADENA CBOC CA	2,234	0.00
692	S.ORG REHAB WHITE CITY	138,130	0.26
692GA	KLAMATH FALLS CBOC OR	12,472	0.02
693	WILKES BARRE	242,037	0.45



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693B4	ALLENTOWN-SOC	67,112	0.13
693GA	SAYRE (CBC)	22,296	0.04
693GB	WILLIAMSPORT (CBC)	10,567	0.02
693GC	TOBYHANNA (CBC)	1,979	0.00
693GE	SCHUYLKILL CY CBOC WB PA	1,603	0.00
693GF	BERWICK CBOC PA	6,161	0.01
693GG	NORTHHAPTON COUNTY CBOC	3,462	0.01
693PA	WILKES BARRE PR RTP	108	0.00
695	MILWAUKEE	431,418	0.81
695BY	APPLETON	67,604	0.13
695GA	UNION GROVE CBOC	19,774	0.04
695GC	CLEVELAND CBOC WI	17,150	0.03
695GD	GREEN BAY CBOC WI	7,040	0.01
695PA	MILWAUKEE PR RTP	16	0.00
756	EL PASO HCS	224,108	0.42
756GA	LAS CRUCES	13,867	0.03
757	COLUMBUS-IOC	250,139	0.47
757GA	ZANESVILLE CBOC	15,317	0.03
757GB	GROVE CITY CBOC OH	11,366	0.02
757GC	MARION CBOC OH	4,349	0.01

**SVC PCT:** Patient's percentage (from 0 to 100) of service-connected disability

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	0	32,121,903	60.17
1	1	14	0.00
3	3	42	0.00
4	4	----	0.00

**SVCPCT: Patient's percentage (from 0 to 100) of service-connected disability-continued**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
5	5	61	0.00
6	6	----	0.00
8	8	15	0.00
9	9	13	0.00
10	10	3,050,112	5.71
12	12	----	0.00
15	15	76	0.00
20	20	2,000,820	3.75
25	25	29	0.00
29	29	----	0.00
30	30	1,892,018	3.54
38	38	----	0.00
40	40	1,660,045	3.11
49	49	----	0.00
50	50	1,496,797	2.80
52	52	12	0.00
55	55	----	0.00
60	60	1,914,599	3.59
70	70	2,233,524	4.18
75	75	----	0.00
80	80	1,597,294	2.99
90	90	769,775	1.44
100	100	4,643,975	8.70

**VISN: Veterans Integrated Service Network**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	1	2,443,040	4.58
2	2	1,497,158	2.80
3	3	2,104,324	3.94
4	4	2,707,067	5.07
5	5	1,427,853	2.67
6	6	2,406,356	4.51
7	7	3,137,943	5.88
8	8	5,730,083	10.73
9	9	2,466,309	4.62
10	10	2,367,509	4.44
11	11	2,028,482	3.80
12	12	2,408,744	4.51
15	15	2,367,957	4.44
16	16	4,066,149	7.62
17	17	2,703,619	5.06
18	18	2,442,256	4.58
19	19	1,483,222	2.78
20	20	2,120,229	3.97
21	21	2,268,304	4.25
22	22	2,871,017	5.38
23	23	2,333,532	4.37

## **Part III: FY2006 VHA Medical SAS Inpatient Encounters Dataset Variables**

**AGOIND:** Agent Orange Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,514,875	99.91
0	NOT EXPOSED TO AGENT ORANGE	5,367	0.08
1	EXPOSED TO AGENT ORANGE	215	0.00

**AGOLOC:** Agent Orange Location

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,017,266	92.28
K	KOREAN DEMILITARIZED ZONE	582	0.01
V	VIETNAM ERA	502,609	7.71

**AG8R:** Age Group (9 Groups)

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	LESS THAN 25 YEARS OLD	38,460	0.59
2	25 - 34 YEARS OLD	66,355	1.02
3	35 – 44 YEARS OLD	191,442	2.94
4	45 – 54 YEARS OLD	875,558	13.43
5	55 – 64 YEARS OLD	2,014,736	30.9
6	65 – 74 YEARS OLD	1,346,238	20.65
7	75 – 84 YEARS OLD	1,543,586	23.67
8	85 – 94 YEARS OLD	434,013	6.66
9	95+ YEARS OLD	10,069	0.15

**COMBAT:** Patient Combat Eligibility Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		193	0.00
0 or missing	NOT A COMBAT VETERAN	6,494,863	99.61

**COMBAT:** Patient Combat Eligibility Indicator - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	COMBAT VETERAN	25,401	0.39

**COMBAT\_CARE:** Care related to Combat Eligibility Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,520,284	100.00
0	ENCOUNTER RELATED TO COMBAT VET STATUS	144	0.00
1	ENCOUNTER NOT RELATED TO COMBAT VET STATUS	29	0.00

**ELIG:** Eligibility code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
-1	PURPLE HEART	19,326	0.30
0	SC 0%	282,592	4.33
1	SC 50% +	1,832,473	28.10
2	AA/HOUSEBND	333,273	5.11
3	SC 40%	148,254	2.27
4	NSC,PENSION	457,006	7.01
5	NSC	2,738,009	41.99
7	SC 30%	173,741	2.66
8	SC 20%	183,250	2.81
9	SC 10%	278,456	4.27
11	CHAMPVA	11,146	0.17
12	COLLATERAL	127	0.00
13	EMPLOYEE	780	0.01
14	OTH FEDERAL	8,694	0.13
15	ALLIED VET	425	0.01
16	HUMANITARIAN	5,463	0.08

**ELIG:** Eligibility code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
17	SHARING	42,336	0.65
19	REIMBURSABLE	5,106	0.08

**ENV:** Environmental Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,520,326	100.00
0	NO	128	0.00
1	YES	----	0.00

**ERIND:** Patient Emergency Response Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,428,571	98.59
K	HURRICANE KATRINA	91,886	1.41

**ETHNIC:** Ethnicity

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
DO	DECLINED TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	692,449	10.62
DP	DECLINE TO ANSWER-PROXY	2,862	0.04
DS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	3,994	0.06
DU	DECLINE TO ANSWER-UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	141,409	2.17
HO	HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	40,784	0.63
HP	HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	1,974	0.03
HS	HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	19,791	0.30
HU	HISPANIC OR LATINO- UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	335,954	5.15

**ETHNIC:** Ethnicity - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
NO	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-OBSERVER	948	0.01
NP	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-PROXY	30,879	0.47
NS	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-SELF ID	4,952,723	75.96
NU	NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO-UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	21,527	0.33
UO	UNKNOWN -OBSERVER	5,254	0.08
UP	UNKNOWN -PROXY	2,033	0.03
US	UNKNOWN -SELF ID	175,268	2.69
UU	UNKNOWN - UNKNOWN BY PATIENT	53,669	0.82

**HOMEPSA:** Primary Service Area

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
654	VA RENO	36,034	0.55
655	SAGINAW	26,863	0.41
657	VA HEARTLAND – EAST, VISN 15	113,319	1.74
658	SALEM	32,149	0.49
659	SALISBURY	41,634	0.64
660	SALT LAKE CITY	28,294	0.43
662	SAN FRANCISCO	171,648	2.63
663	VA PUGET SOUND HCS	54,675	0.84
664	SAN DIEGO	68,076	1.04
667	SHREVEPORT	70,688	1.08
668	SPOKANE	12,177	0.19
670	SYRACUSE	38,701	0.59
671	ALM MEM VA MEDICAL CENTER	85,909	1.32
672	SAN JUAN	135,792	2.08
673	TAMPA	152,579	2.34



**HOMEPSA: Primary Service Area - continued**

674	TEMPLE	159,000	2.44
677	TOPEKA	57,685	0.88
678	S. ARIZONA VA HS	103,876	1.59
680	TUSKEGEE	11,372	0.17
686	ST. JOSEPH CBOC	36,536	0.56
687	WALL WALLA	8,804	0.14
688	WASHINGTON	70,246	1.08
689	WEST HAVEN	31,117	0.48
691	GREATER LA HEALTHCARE SYSTEM	383,022	5.87
693	WILKES BARRE	27,971	0.43
695	MILWAUKEE	61,740	0.95

**HOMEVISN: VISN of residence**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		959	0.01
0	0	1,093	0.02
1	1	209,654	3.22
2	2	106,201	1.63
3	3	192,703	2.96
4	4	284,857	4.37
5	5	165,730	2.54
6	6	334,441	5.13
7	7	452,054	6.93
8	8	558,552	8.57
9	9	238,473	3.66
10	10	287,972	4.42
11	11	211,781	3.25
12	12	265,394	4.07

**HOMEVISN:** VISN of residence - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
15	15	430,216	6.60
16	16	535,602	8.21
17	17	396,568	6.08
18	18	367,673	5.64
19	19	121,244	1.86
20	20	203,273	3.12
21	21	241,561	3.70
22	22	454,238	6.97
23	23	460,218	7.06

**HOMLESS:** Homeless Code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	NO	6,445,447	98.85
1	YES	75,010	1.15

**HOMSTATE:** State of Residence

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		----	0.00
1	ALABAMA	112,576	1.73
2	ALASKA	3,657	0.06
4	ARIZONA	241,852	3.71
5	ARKANSAS	118,679	1.82
6	CALIFORNIA	645,137	9.89
8	COLORADO	62,940	0.97
9	CONNECTICUT	40,275	0.62
10	DELAWARE	15,701	0.24
11	WASHINGTON,DC	40,754	0.63

**HOMSTATE:** State of Residence - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
12	FLORIDA	418,046	6.41
13	GEORGIA	220,929	3.39
15	HAWAII	3,828	0.06
16	IDAHO	23,810	0.37
17	ILLINOIS	264,093	4.05
18	INDIANA	81,480	1.25
19	IOWA	114,594	1.76
20	KANSAS	142,955	2.19
21	KENTUCKY	94,894	1.46
22	LOUISIANA	94,743	1.45
23	MAINE	21,136	0.32
24	MARYLAND	78,509	1.20
25	MASSACHUSETTS	103,867	1.59
26	MICHIGAN	115,420	1.77
27	MINNESOTA	139,243	2.14
28	MISSISSIPPI	90,698	1.39
29	MISSOURI	211,897	3.25
30	MONTANA	15,390	0.24
31	NEBRASKA	82,658	1.27
32	NEVADA	47,768	0.73
33	NEW HAMPSHIRE	18,621	0.29
34	NEW JERSEY	62,220	0.95
35	NEW MEXICO	85,306	1.31
36	NEW YORK	252,413	3.87
37	NORTH CAROLINA	184,374	2.83
38	NORTH DAKOTA	16,783	0.26
39	OHIO	289,741	4.44
40	OKLAHOMA	79,156	1.21

**HOMSTATE:** State of Residence - continued

Internal Value			%
41	OREGON	87,116	1.34
42	PENNSYLVANIA	219,339	3.36
44	RHODE ISLAND	16,647	0.26
45	SOUTH CAROLINA	136,240	2.09
46	SOUTH DAKOTA	80,586	1.24
47	TENNESSEE	115,744	1.78
48	TEXAS	588,531	9.03
49	UTAH	24,524	0.38
50	VERMONT	9,108	0.14
51	VIRGINIA	157,263	2.41
53	WASHINGTON	90,203	1.38
54	WEST VIRGINIA	87,089	1.34
55	WISCONSIN	116,595	1.79
56	WYOMING	16,183	0.25
59	BRITISH COLUMBIA	----	0.00
60	US SAMOA	249	0.00
61	MANITOBA	13	0.00
62	NEW BRUNSWICK	----	0.00
65	NOVA SCOTIA	----	0.00
66	GUAM	727	0.01
68	MARSHALL ISLANDS	----	0.00
69	NOVA SCOTIA	----	0.00
72	PUERTO RICO	135,792	2.08
75	ONTARIO	23	0.00
77	PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	----	0.00
78	VIRGIN ISLANDS	783	0.01
85	AF AMER-EXC CAN	58	0.00

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**HOMSTATE:** State of Residence - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
87	AF, EUR, ME, CAN	223	0.00
88	AF PACIFIC	607	0.01
90	FOREIGN COUNTRY	136	0.00
91	CANADA & MEXICO	186	0.00
93	EUROPE	----	0.00
96	PHILIPPINES	300	0.00

**INS:** Insurance coverage

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		14	0.00
0	NO INSURANCE	2,917,345	44.74
1	MAJOR MEDICAL	249,484	3.83
2	DENTAL	2,265	0.03
3	HMO	43,026	0.66
4	PPO	157,361	2.41
5	MEDICARE	3,005,715	46.1
6	MEDICAID	34,738	0.53
7	CHAMPUS	45,005	0.69
8	WORKMANS COMP	4,134	0.06
9	INDEMNITY	11,978	0.18
10	PRESCRIPTION	17,432	0.27
11	MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTAL	17,547	0.27
12	ALL OTHER	14,413	0.22

**MARITAL:** Marital status

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
A	SEPARATED	----	0.00

**MARITAL:** Marital status - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
D	DIVORCED	1,857,725	28.49
M	MARRIED	2,731,812	41.9
N	NEVER/SINGLE	1,140,355	17.49
S	SINGLE	----	0.00
U	UNKNOWN	41,139	0.63
W	WIDOWED	749,423	11.49

**MEANS:** Means Test Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
AN	COPAY EXMT NSC	3,015,876	46.25
AS	COPAY EXMT SC/SPEC	2,739,225	42.01
C	MT COPAY REQ	465,161	7.13
G	GMT COPAY REQ	139,687	2.14
N	NON-VET	74,543	1.14
U	NOT DONE	67,223	1.03
X	NOT APPL	18,742	0.29

**MULTI:** Multiple/Single Station Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
M	MULTIPLE STATIONS	1,282,592	19.67
S	SINGLE STATION	5,237,865	80.33

**NTRENC:** Nose Throat Radium Treatment Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		6,520,457	100.00

**POS:** Period of Service

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		14	0.00
A	ARMY--ACTIVE DUTY	2,220	0.03
B	NAVY, MARINE--ACTIVE DUTY	767	0.01
C	AIR FORCE--ACTIVE DUTY	293	0.00
D	COAST GUARD--ACTIVE DUTY	----	0.00
I	OBSERVATION/EXAMINATION	----	0.00
M	BENEFICIARIES-FOREIGN GOV	----	0.00
N	HUMANITARIAN(NON-VET)	780	0.01
P	OTHERS REIMBURS.(NON-VET)	36	0.00
R	DONERS(NON-VET)	----	0.00
S	SPECIAL STUDIES(NON-VET)	356	0.01
T	OTHER NON-VETERANS	2,059	0.03
U	CHAMPVA--SPOUSE, CHILD	60	0.00
V	CHAMPUS	2,278	0.03
W	CZECHOSLOVAKIA/POLAND SVC	----	0.00
X	PERSIAN GULF WAR	193,402	2.97
Y	CAV/NPS	118	0.00
Z	MERCHANT MARINE	3,910	0.06
0	KOREAN	1,024,556	15.71
1	WORLD WAR I	97	0.00
2	WORLD WAR II	1,341,470	20.57
3	SPANISH AMERICAN	----	0.00
4	PRE-KOREAN	44,441	0.68
5	POST-KOREAN	525,910	8.07
6	OPERATION DESERT SHIELD	303	0.00
7	VIETNAM ERA	2,770,680	42.49
8	POST-VIETNAM	518,029	7.94
9	OTHER OR NONE	88,648	1.36

**POW:** Prisoner of War

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		74,402	1.14
N	N	3,952,930	60.62
U	UNKNOWN	2,440,208	37.42
Y	Y	52,917	0.81

**PS:** Period of Service Recode

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	SPANISH-AMERICAN	----	0.00
1	WWI	97	0.00
2	WWII	1,341,470	20.57
3	PRE-KOREA	44,441	0.68
4	KOREA	1,024,556	15.71
5	POST-KOREA	525,910	8.07
6	VIETNAM	2,770,680	42.49
7	POST VIETNAM	518,029	7.94
8	OTHER	101,560	1.56
9	DES. STORM (ACT)	303	0.00
10	DES. STORM (VET)	193,402	2.97

**RACE:** Race Code

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	HISPAN WHITE	247,833	3.80
2	HISPAN BLACK	19,348	0.30
3	AM. INDIAN	18,067	0.28
4	BLACK	817,541	12.54



**RACE:** Race Code - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
5	ASIAN	16,008	0.25
6	WHITE	2,629,079	40.32
7	UNKNOWN	2,772,581	42.52

**RACE1:** Race Code 1

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		531,233	8.15
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	42,462	0.65
BO	WHITE-OBSERVER	4,892	0.08
BP	WHITE-PROXY	678	0.01
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	4,157,460	63.76
BU	WHITE-UNK BY PAT	362	0.01
CO	DECLINE TO ANSWER-OBSERVER	13	0.00
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	309,729	4.75
DO	UNKNOWN-OBSERVER	11	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	182,482	2.80
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	13,176	0.20
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	40,801	0.63
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	18,743	0.29
9O	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-OBSERVER	436	0.01
9P	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-PROXY	282	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	1,217,626	18.67
9U	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-UNK BY PAT	71	0.00

**RACE2: Race Code 2**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,394,205	98.06
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	2,777	0.04
BP	WHITE-PROXY	68	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	63,070	0.97
CS	DECLINE TO ANSWER-SELF ID	----	0.00
DO	UNKNOWN-OBSERVER	18	0.00
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	47,069	0.72
DU	UNKNOWN-UNK BY PAT	4,747	0.07
3S	AMERICAN IND OR ALASKA NAT-SELF ID	351	0.01
8S	ASIAN-SELF ID	244	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	7,906	0.12

**RACE3: Race Code 3**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,518,059	99.96
AS	NAT HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PAC ISL-SELF ID	12	0.00
BS	WHITE-SELF ID	662	0.01
DS	UNKNOWN-SELF ID	1,637	0.03
DU	UNKNOWN- UNK BY PAT	85	0.00
9S	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN-SELF ID	----	0.00

**RACE4: Race Code 4**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		6,520,457	100.00

**RACE5: Race Code 5**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		6,520,457	100.00

**RACE6: Race Code 6**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		6,520,457	100.00

**RACE7: Race Code 7**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Blank)		6,520,457	100.00

**RAD: Claimed Radiation Exposure Indicator**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,520,383	100.00
0	NO RAD	67	0.00
1	RAD-JAP	----	0.00

**RELIG: Religion Code**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	CATHOLIC	1,525,272	23.39
1	JEWISH	65,652	1.01
2	EASTERN ORTHODOX	13,974	0.21
3	BAPTIST	1,499,329	22.99
4	METHODIST	386,925	5.93
5	LUTHERAN	263,987	4.05
6	PRESBYTERIAN	95,590	1.47

**RELIG:** Religion Code -continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
7	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST	12,343	0.19
8	EPISCOPALIAN	73,725	1.13
9	ADVENTIST	20,481	0.31
10	ASSEMBLY OF GOD	22,142	0.34
11	BRETHREN	3,348	0.05
12	CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST	30,778	0.47
13	CHURCH OF CHRIST	64,562	0.99
14	CHURCH OF GOD	27,757	0.43
15	DISCIPLES OF CHRIST	10,403	0.16
16	EVANGELICAL COVENANT	10,360	0.16
17	FRIENDS	1,384	0.02
18	JEHOVAH WITNESS	31,159	0.48
19	LATTER-DAY SAINTS	60,911	0.93
20	ISLAM	17,343	0.27
21	NAZARENE	12,873	0.20
22	OTHER	114,832	1.76
23	PENTECOSTAL	111,635	1.71
24	PROTESTANT OTHER	352,097	5.40
25	PROTESTANT NO PREFERENCE	958,406	14.70
26	REFORMED	3,424	0.05
27	SALVATION ARMY	1,673	0.03
28	UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST	4,604	0.07
29	UNKNOWN/NO PREFERENCE	711,934	10.92
30	NATIVE AMERICAN	4,339	0.07
31	BUDDHIST	7,215	0.11

**SCCI:** Service Connected Condition Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
(Missing)		6,496,652	99.63
0	TREATMENT NOT RELATED TO SERVICE-CONNECTED CONDITION	21,229	0.33
1	TREATMENT RELATED TO SERVICE-CONNECTED CONDITION	2,576	0.04

**SEX:** Sex

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
F	FEMALE	222,948	3.42
M	MALE	6,297,509	96.58

**STA3N:** Parent Station

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
358	MANILA	285	0.00
402	TOGUS	11,349	0.17
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	14,167	0.22
436	FORT HARRISON	7,949	0.12
437	FARGO	24,260	0.37
438	SIOUX FALLS	57,450	0.88
442	CHEYENNE	7,890	0.12
459	HONOLULU	1,285	0.02
460	WILMINGTON	20,718	0.32
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	89,261	1.37

STA3N: Parent Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
502	ALEXANDRIA	20,166	0.31
503	JAMES E VAN ZANDT VAMC	10,504	0.16
504	AMARILLO HCS	22,652	0.35
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	50,419	0.77
508	ATLANTA	70,436	1.08
509	AUGUSTA	200,708	3.08
512	BALTIMORE	43,958	0.67
515	BATTLE CREEK	17,689	0.27
516	BAY PINES	35,337	0.54
517	BECKLEY	10,421	0.16
518	BEDFORD	11,917	0.18
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	3,029	0.05
520	GULF COAST HCS	17,244	0.26
521	BIRMINGHAM	44,481	0.68
523	BOSTON	107,711	1.65
526	BRONX	34,758	0.53
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	102,731	1.58
529	BUTLER	3,866	0.06
531	BOISE	15,366	0.24
534	BRONX	40,668	0.62
537	VA CHICAGO HCS	51,134	0.78
538	CHILLICOTHE	32,854	0.50
539	CINCINNATI	45,819	0.70
540	CLARKSBURG	23,509	0.36
541	CLEVELAND-WADE PARK	126,178	1.94
542	COATESVILLE	8,882	0.14
544	COLUMBIA SC	31,396	0.48

STA3N: Parent Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
546	MIAMI	51,706	0.79
548	W PALM BEACH	47,154	0.72
549	DALLAS	140,925	2.16
550	ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	42,122	0.65
552	DAYTON	90,519	1.39
553	DETROIT VAMC	28,147	0.43
554	DENVER	54,103	0.83
556	NORTH CHICAGO	26,508	0.41
557	DUBLIN	13,733	0.21
558	DURHAM	73,817	1.13
561	EAST ORANGE	46,649	0.72
562	ERIE	9,283	0.14
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	13,712	0.21
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	16,837	0.26
568	FORT MEADE	40,915	0.63
570	CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS	22,824	0.35
573	N FL/S GA HCS	96,741	1.48
575	FAYETTEVILLE AR	6,548	0.10
578	HINES	74,069	1.14
580	HOUSTON	145,552	2.23
581	HUNTINGTON	20,724	0.32
583	INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST	40,675	0.62
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	3,790	0.06
586	JACKSON	71,642	1.10
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	255,838	3.92
590	HAMPTON	56,140	0.86
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	2,474	0.04
595	LEBANON	14,103	0.22

STA3N: Parent Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	36,925	0.57
598	LITTLE ROCK	107,637	1.65
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	113,944	1.75
603	LOUISVILLE	28,361	0.43
605	LOMA LINDA	130,880	2.01
607	MADISON	25,415	0.39
608	MANCHESTER	3,142	0.05
610	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	10,718	0.16
612	NCHC MARTINEZ	31,358	0.48
613	MARTINSBURG	47,883	0.73
614	MEMPHIS	48,740	0.75
618	MINNEAPOLIS	128,254	1.97
619	MONTGOMERY	12,695	0.19
620	MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	17,641	0.27
621	MOUNTAIN HOME	42,182	0.65
623	MUSKOGEE	27,664	0.42
626	VA MID TENN HCS NASH TN	49,613	0.76
630	N.Y. HARBOR HCS	65,987	1.01
631	NORTHAMPTON	4,519	0.07
632	NORTHPORT	33,283	0.51
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	37,350	0.57
636	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	195,297	3.00
637	ASHEVILLE-OTTEEN	42,338	0.65
640	PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO	106,085	1.63
642	PHILADELPHIA	56,477	0.87
644	PHOENIX	64,603	0.99
646	PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR	109,557	1.68
648	PORTLAND	96,188	1.48



STA3N: Parent Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
649	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	62,718	0.96
650	PROVIDENCE	14,412	0.22
652	RICHMOND	49,687	0.76
653	VA ROSEBURG HCS	8,570	0.13
654	SIERRA NEVADA HCS	30,279	0.46
655	SAGINAW	14,141	0.22
656	ST CLOUD	19,580	0.30
657	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	176,866	2.71
658	SALEM	38,603	0.59
659	SALISBURY	42,235	0.65
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	29,124	0.45
662	SAN FRANCISCO	59,147	0.91
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	72,105	1.11
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	78,515	1.20
666	SHERIDAN	5,312	0.08
667	SHREVEPORT	71,591	1.10
668	SPOKANE	7,652	0.12
671	SAN ANTONIO	95,386	1.46
672	SAN JUAN PR	135,732	2.08
673	TAMPA	197,794	3.03
674	VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS	172,337	2.64
676	TOMAH	8,351	0.13
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	122,266	1.88
679	TUSCALOOSA	57,902	0.89
687	WALLA WALLA	3,018	0.05
688	WASHINGTON	76,417	1.17
689	WEST HAVEN	41,803	0.64
691	GREATER LA HCS	126,323	1.94

**STA3N: Parent Station - continued**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
693	WILKES BARRE	21,595	0.33
695	MILWAUKEE	80,563	1.24

**STA6A: Station**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
358	MANILA	285	0.00
402	TOGUS	11,347	0.17
402HB	BANGOR	----	0.00
405	WHITE RIVER JCT	14,165	0.22
405HA	BURLINGTON (ORC)	----	0.00
436	FORT HARRISON	7,910	0.12
436GB	GREAT FALLS PRI CARE CLIN	----	0.00
436GC	MISSOULA PRIM CARE CLINIC	----	0.00
436GF	WHITEFISH CBOC	----	0.00
436GH	BILLINGS CBOC MT	----	0.00
436GJ	MILES CITY CBOC	27	0.00
437	FARGO	24,258	0.37
437GC	FERGUS FALLS CBOC MN	----	0.00
437GD	MINOT CBOC	----	0.00
438	SIOUX FALLS	57,448	0.88
438GD	ABERDEEN CBOC SD	----	0.00
442	CHEYENNE	7,888	0.12
442GC	FT COLLINS CBOC	----	0.00
459	HONOLULU	1,226	0.02
459GB	HILO	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
459GD	LIHUE	----	0.00
459GE	GUAM GU	57	0.00
460	WILMINGTON	20,718	0.32
501	NEW MEXICO HCS	89,253	1.37
501GA	ARTESIA (CBC)	----	0.00
501GB	FARMINGTON (CBC)	----	0.00
501GD	GALLUP	----	0.00
501GK	SANTE FE CBOC NM	----	0.00
502	BATON ROUGE CBOC	20,163	0.31
502GA	ALEXANDRIA	----	0.00
502GC	JENNINGS CBA	----	0.00
503	LUBBOCK TX-SOC	10,501	0.16
503GA	AMARILLO HCS	----	0.00
504	JAMES E. VAN ZANDT VAMC	22,651	0.35
504BY	JOHNSTOWN CBOC	----	0.00
506	ANN ARBOR HCS	49,766	0.76
506GA	TOLEDO CBOC	653	0.01
508	ATLANTA	70,432	1.08
508GA	ATLANTA CBOC (MIDTOWN)	----	0.00
508GE	NE GEORGIA/OAKWOOD CBOC	----	0.00
508GF	SMYRNA CBOC MARIETTA GA	----	0.00
509	AUGUSTA	128,846	1.98
509A0	LENWOOD	71,862	1.1
512	BALTIMORE	34,453	0.53
512A5	PERRY POINT	9,461	0.15
512GA	CAMBRIDGE CBC	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
512GC	GLEN BURNIE CBOC	----	0.00
512GD	BALTIMORE CBOC(LOCH RAVEN)	31	0.00
512GF	LANSING CBOC MI	----	0.00
515	FORT HOWARD CBOC MD	17,663	0.27
515BY	BATTLE CREEK	20	0.00
515GB	GRAND RAPIDS-SOC	----	0.00
515GC	BENTON HARBOR CBOC	----	0.00
516	BAY PINES	35,297	0.54
516BZ	FT MYERS-SOC	32	0.00
516GA	SARASOTA (CBC)	----	0.00
516GB	SOUTH ST PETERSBURG CBOC	----	0.00
516GF	NAPLES CBOC FL	----	0.00
517	BECKLEY	10,421	0.16
518	BEDFORD	11,800	0.18
518GC	FITCHBURG CBOC BEDFORD MA	----	0.00
518GD	WINCHENDON CBOC MA	115	0.00
518GG	LOWELL CBOC MA	----	0.00
519	WEST TEXAS HCS	3,028	0.05
519HC	ABILENE TX (ORC)	----	0.00
520	GULF COAST HCS	17,221	0.26
520A0	GULFPORT	12	0.00
520BZ	PENSACOLA-SOC	----	0.00
520GA	MOBILE (CBC)	----	0.00
520GB	PANAMA CITY CBOC	----	0.00
521	BIRMINGHAM	44,479	0.68
521GB	BOSTON	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
521GF	JASPER CBOC	----	0.00
523	DECATUR CBOC AL	7,087	0.11
523A4	VA BOSTON HCS	85,450	1.31
523A5	BROCKTON VAMC	13,975	0.21
523BY	LOWELL-SOC	----	0.00
523BZ	BOSTON (OPC)	16	0.00
523GB	WORCESTER CBOC MA	1,180	0.02
526	BRONX	34,757	0.53
526GA	WHITE PLAINS CBOC	---	0.00
528	UPSTATE N.Y. HCS	33,378	0.51
528A4	BATAVIA DIVISION	1,812	0.03
528A5	CANANDIAGUA DIVISION	3,839	0.06
528A6	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 BATH	7,221	0.11
528A7	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 SYRACUSE	36,479	0.56
528A8	HCS UPSTATE NY V2 ALBANY	19,903	0.31
528GB	JAMESTOWN CBOC	----	0.00
528GE	ROCHESTER CBOC UPS NY	58	0.00
528GM	ROME CBOC	----	0.00
528GN	BINGHAMTON CBOC VT	----	0.00
528GO	FORT DRUM CBOC NY	----	0.00
528GT	VA CBOC GLENS FALLS NY	----	0.00
528GX	BAINBRIDGE CBOC NY	----	0.00
528GZ	VA CBOC KINGSTON NY	----	0.00
528G3	VA CBOC TROY NY	16	0.00
528G4	VA CBOC ELMIRA NY	----	0.00
528G6	FONDA CBOC NY	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
528G8	WELLSVILLE CBOC NY	----	0.00
531	BOISE	15,364	0.24
531GE	TWIN FALLS CBOC ID	----	0.00
534	CHARLESTON	40,625	0.62
534BY	SAVANNAH	12	0.00
534GB	MYRTLE BEACH CBOC SC	15	0.00
534GC	BEAUFORT CBOC SC	----	0.00
534GD	GOOSE CREEK CBOC	----	0.00
537	VA CHICAGO HCS	50,966	0.78
537BY	CROWN POINT	38	0
537GA	CHICAGO HEIGHTS CBOC	----	0.00
537GD	LAKESIDE CBOC	118	0.00
537HA	WOODLAWN CBOC	----	0.00
538	CHILLICOTHE	32,854	0.5
539	CINCINNATI	45,795	0.7
539GA	BELLEVUE CBOC	24	0.00
540	CLARKSBURG	23,509	0.36
541	CLEVELAND-WADE PARK	105,361	1.62
541A0	CLEVELAND-BRECKSV.	20,677	0.32
541BY	CANTON-SOC	57	0.00
541BZ	RAVENNA CBOC	----	0.00
541GB	PAINESVILLE CBOC PH	----	0.00
541GC	AKRON CBOC	----	0.00
541GD	WARREN CBOC CLEVELAND OH	38	0.00
541GF	NEW PHILADELPHIA CBOC	12	0.00
541GG	YOUNGSTOWN	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
541GI	LORAIN CBOC	----	0.00
541GJ	SANDUSKY CBOC	----	0.00
541GK	MANSFIELD CBOC	----	0.00
542	COATESVILLE	8,874	0.14
542GA	SPRINGFIELD PA (CBC)	----	0.00
542GE	SPRING CITY CBOC	----	0.00
542GG	PHILADELPHIA CBOC	----	0.00
544	COLUMBIA SC	31,393	0.48
544BZ	GREENVILLE SC-SOC	----	0.00
544GC	MIAMI	----	0.00
546	ROCK HILL CBOC	51,668	0.79
546BZ	PEMBROKE PINES CBOC	26	0.00
546GA	OAKLAND PARK-SOC	11	0.00
546GD	MIAMI (CBC)	----	0.00
548	W PALM BEACH	47,151	0.72
548GA	FT PIERCE CBOC	----	0.00
548GC	STUART CBOC	----	0.00
548GF	OKEECHOBEE CBOC FL	----	0.00
549	DALLAS	122,192	1.87
549A4	BONHAM VAMC	18,716	0.29
549BY	FORT WORTH	17	0.00
550	VA ILLIANA HCS DANVILLE IL	42,072	0.65
550BY	SPRINGFIELD CBOC DLE IL	46	0.00
550GA	PEORIA-SOC	----	0.00
550GD	DECATUR-IL	----	0.00
552	DAYTON	90,518	1.39

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
552GC	DENVER	----	0.00
553	DETROIT VAMC	28,147	0.43
554	RICHMOND CBOC IN	53,708	0.82
554GB	AURORA CBOC CO	----	0.00
554GC	LAKESWOOD CBOC CO	----	0.00
554GD	PUEBLO CBOC CO	360	0.01
554GE	COLORADO SPGS CBOC CO	28	0.00
554GF	ALAMOSA CBOC CO	----	0.00
556	NORTH CHICAGO	26,508	0.41
557	DURHAM	13,731	0.21
557GA	MACON CBOC GA	----	0.00
558	DUBLIN	73,817	1.13
561	EAST ORANGE	38,431	0.59
561A4	LYONS	8,211	0.13
561BY	NEWARK-SOC	----	0.00
561BZ	BRICK	----	0.00
561GD	HACKENSACK CBOC	----	0.00
562	ERIE	9,283	0.14
564	FAYETTEVILLE AR	13,704	0.21
564BY	MT. VERNON-SOC	----	0.00
564GA	HARRISON CBOC	----	0.00
564GB	FT SMITH CBOC FAYETTL AR	----	0.00
565	FAYETTEVILLE NC	16,837	0.26
568	FORT MEADE	33,185	0.51
568A4	HOT SPRINGS	7,696	0.12
568GA	RAPID CITY VET HLTH CLIN	32	0.00



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Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
568GB	PIERRE CBOC FM SD	----	0.00
568HF	PINE RIDGE SD	----	0.00
570	CENTRAL CALIFORNIA HCS	22,822	0.35
570GA	ATWATER CBOC	----	0.00
570GB	TULARE CBOC	----	0.00
573	N FL/S GA HCS	74,779	1.15
573A4	LAKE CITY VAMC FL	21,899	0.34
573BY	JACKSONVILLE-SOC	17	0.00
573BZ	DAYTONA BEACH-SOC	14	0.00
573GA	VALDOSTA GA CBOC	----	0.00
573GD	OCALA CBOC	----	0.00
573GE	ST. AUGUSTINE CBOC FL	----	0.00
573GF	TALLAHASSEE OCS	23	0.00
573GH	LEESBURG CBOC FL	----	0.00
575	GRAND JUNCTION	6,548	0.1
578	HINES	74,062	1.14
578GA	JOLIET VA CBC	----	0.00
578GB	OAK PARK CBOC	----	0.00
578GC	MANTENO CBOC HINES IL	----	0.00
578GD	AURORA CBOC IL	----	0.00
578GE	ELGIN CBOC	----	0.00
578GG	OAK LAWN CBOC IL	----	0.00
580	HOUSTON	12	0.00
580BY	BEAUMONT-SOC	12	0.00
580BZ	LUFKIN	----	0.00
580GC	GALVESTON COUNTY CBOC	20,721	0.32

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
581	HUNTINGTON	----	0.00
581GA	PRESTONSBURG	40,675	0.62
583	INDIANAPOLIS-10TH ST	3,790	0.06
585	IRON MOUNTAIN	----	0.00
586	JACKSON	71,638	1.10
586GB	MERIDIAN CBOC	----	0.00
586GD	HATTIESBURG CBOC	----	0.00
586GF	COLUMBUS CBOC MS	----	0.00
589	VAMC HEARTLAND-W KANSAS MO	73,894	1.13
589A4	TRUMAN VH COLUMBIA MO	37,264	0.57
589A5	COLMERY-ONEIL VAMC HCS KS	73,471	1.13
589A6	E-KS HCS EISENHOWER VAMC	38,771	0.59
589A7	VAMC WICHITA KS	32,430	0.5
589GB	BELTON CBOC	----	0.00
589GF	FT LEONARD WOOD CBOC MO	----	0.00
589GM	CHANUTE CBOC CHANUTE KS	----	0.00
589GW	SALINA CBOC (WICHITA) KS	----	0.00
589GZ	CAMERON CBOC MO	----	0.00
589G6	SALINA CBOC (TOPEKA) KS	----	0.00
590	HAMPTON	56,140	0.86
593	VA SOUTHERN NEVADA HCS	2,472	0.04
593GA	LAS VEGAS CBOC	----	0.00
595	LEBANON	14,103	0.22
596	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN	2,706	0.04
596A4	LEXINGTON-COOPER DR	34,180	0.52
596GA	SOMERSET CBOC KY	17	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
596PA	LEXINGTON-LEESTOWN PR RTP	22	0.00
598	LITTLE ROCK	96,998	1.49
598A0	N. LITTLE ROCK	10,630	0.16
598GA	MOUNTAIN HOME CBOC	----	0.00
598GB	EL DORADO CBOC AK	----	0.00
598GC	HOT SPRINGS CBOC AR	----	0.00
600	VA LONG BEACH HCS CA	113,941	1.75
600GA	ANAHEIM CBOC	----	0.00
600GB	SANTA ANA CBOC	----	0.00
600GC	CABRILLO CBOC	----	0.00
603	LOUISVILLE	27,634	0.42
603GA	FORT KNOX CBOC	----	0.00
603GC	LOUISVILLE CBOC KY	----	0.00
603GD	DUPONT CBOC	82	0.00
603PB	LOUISVILLE SAR RTP	636	0.01
605	MADISON	130,879	2.01
605GC	PALM DESERT CBOC	----	0.00
607	LOMA LINDA	25,413	0.39
607HA	NORTHERN INDIANA HCS	----	0.00
608	ROCKFORD OPC	3,140	0.05
608GA	MANCHESTER	----	0.00
610	PORTSMOUTH (CBC)	5,056	0.08
610A4	NORTHERN IN HCS	5,661	0.09
610GA	SOUTH BEND CBOC	----	0.00
612A4	SACRAMENTO VAMC	14,600	0.22
612BY	OAKLAND VA OPC	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
612B4	REDDING VA OPC	----	0.00
612GD	FAIRFIELD CBOC	147	0.00
612GE	MARE ISLAND CBOC	443	0.01
612GF	MARTINEZ(OPC)	16,125	0.25
612GG	CHICO CBOC	----	0.00
612GH	MCCLELLAN CBOC MARTINEZ CA	32	0.00
613	MEMPHIS	47,880	0.73
613GA	STEPHENS CITY CBOC VA	----	0.00
613GC	FRANKLIN CBOC	----	0.00
613GD	MARTINSBURG	----	0.00
614	CUMBERLAND	48,707	0.75
614GC	BYHALIA CBOC MI	----	0.00
614GE	COVINGTON CBOC TN	21	0.00
614GF	MEMPHIS SOUTH CLINIC TN	----	0.00
614PA	MEMPHIS TN	----	0.00
618	MINNEAPOLIS	128,221	1.97
618BY	SUPERIOR	33	0
619	MONTGOMERY	9,604	0.15
619A4	CARMEL CBOC-PUTNAM CNTY	3,083	0.05
619GA	MIDDLETOWN CBOC NY	----	0.00
620	MONTROSE VA HUDSON HCS NY	6,095	0.09
620A4	CASTLE PNT VA HUDSON HCS NY	11,528	0.18
620GB	TUSKEGEE	----	0.00
620GD	COLUMBUS OPC	17	0.00
621	MUSKOGEE	42,182	0.65
623	MOUNTAIN HOME	27,624	0.42

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
623BY	TULSA-SOC	40	0.00
626	NASHVILLE	35,147	0.54
626A4	VA TENNESSEE VALLEY HCS	13,307	0.20
626BY	KNOXVILLE(SOC)	----	0.00
626GC	URGENTCARE INC. CBOC	529	0.01
626GF	CHATTANOOGA SOC TN	----	0.00
626GG	TULLAHOMA CBOC TN	623	0.01
626GI	VINE HILL CBOC	----	0.00
630	N.Y. HARBOR HCS	37,103	0.57
630A4	BROOKLYN DIVISION	26,564	0.41
630A5	ST ALBANS PRIM & EXT	2,284	0.04
630BZ	OPIATE SUBSTITUTION SOC	----	0.00
630GC	BROOKLYN CBOC	33	0.00
631	NORTHAMPTON	4,500	0.07
631BY	SPRINGFIELD-SOC	18	0.00
631GC	NORTHPORT	----	0.00
632	PITTSFIELD MA	33,281	0.51
632HD	VA NEB-WESTERN IA HCS	----	0.00
635	OKLAHOMA CITY	37,348	0.57
635GB	WICHITA FALLS CBC TX	----	0.00
636	PATCHOQUE (ORC)	69,831	1.07
636A4	VA CPHN GRAND ISLAND	16,935	0.26
636A5	VA CPHN LINCOLN	94	0.00
636A6	VA CPHN DES MOINES IA	34,687	0.53
636A7	VA CPHN KNOXVILLE IA	46,012	0.71
636A8	VA CPHN IOWA CITY IA	27,732	0.43

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
636GF	BETTENDORF CBOC IA	----	0.00
636GG	QUINCY CBOC IL	----	0.00
636GI	GALESBURG CBOC IL	----	0.00
637	ASHEVILLE-OTEEN	42,338	0.65
640	PALO ALTO-PALO ALTO	85,122	1.31
640A0	PALO ALTO-MENLO PK	12,063	0.19
640A4	LIVERMORE	8,803	0.14
640BY	SAN JOSE	76	0.00
640GB	SONORA CBOC CA	----	0.00
640HA	STOCKTON (ORC)	----	0.00
640HB	MODESTO (ORC)	----	0.00
640HC	MONTEREY (ORC)	----	0.00
642	PHILADELPHIA (OLD)	56,474	0.87
642GA	FORT DIX (CBC)	----	0.00
644	PHOENIX	64,591	0.99
644BY	MESA	----	0.00
644GA	SUN CITY	----	0.00
646	GREENSBURG CBOC PA	84,223	1.29
646A4	PITTSBURGH-UNIV DR	21,419	0.33
646A5	PITTSBURGH-ASPINWALL	3,914	0.06
646GB	PITTSBURGH-HIGHLAND DR	----	0.00
648	PORTLAND	84,455	1.30
648A4	VANCOUVER	11,730	0.18
648GB	SALEM CBOC OR	----	0.00
648GD	NORTHERN ARIZONA HCS	----	0.00
649	NORTH COAST CBOC OR	62,710	0.96

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
649GD	BLACK CANYON CITY CBOC AZ	----	0.00
650	PROVIDENCE	14,412	0.22
652	RICHMOND	49,686	0.76
652GA	FREDERICKSBURG CBOC VA	----	0.00
653	ROSEBURG	8,562	0.13
653BY	EUGENE-SOC	----	0.00
653GA	BANDON	----	0.00
654	RENO	30,279	0.46
655	SAGINAW	14,138	0.22
655GA	GAYLORD (CBC)	----	0.00
656	VA HEARTLAND-E VH MO	19,579	0.3
656GA	ST CLOUD	----	0.00
657	BRAINERD CBOC	69,160	1.06
657A0	ST LOUIS-JEFFERSON BRKS	55,674	0.85
657A4	JJP VAMC POPLAR BLUFF MO	5,127	0.08
657A5	VAMC MARION DIV MARION IL	46,891	0.72
657GA	BELLEVILLE CBOC	----	0.00
657GG	EVANSVILLE CBOC IN	----	0.00
657GH	PARAGOULD CBOC AR	----	0.00
657GJ	CAPE GIRARDEAU CBOC MO	----	0.00
658	SALEM	38,602	0.59
658GB	DANVILLE CBOC	----	0.00
659	SALISBURY	42,202	0.65
659BY	WINSTON-SALEM-SOC	21	0.00
659GA	CHARLOTTE CBOC	12	0.00
660	SALT LAKE CITY HTHCARE	29,120	0.45

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
660GB	OGDEN CBOC	----	0.00
662	SAN FRANCISCO	59,141	0.91
662BU	VA COMPREHEN HMLS CTR	----	0.00
662GA	SANTA ROSA (CBC)	----	0.00
663	PUGET SOUND HCS	66,600	1.02
663A4	AMERICAN LAKE	5,505	0.08
664	VA SAN DIEGO HCS CA	76,757	1.18
664BY	MISSION VALLEY VAOPC	1,751	0.03
664GA	EL CENTRO CA	----	0.00
664GC	CHULA VISTA CBOC	----	0.00
664GD	ESCONDIDO CBOC CA	----	0.00
666	SHERIDAN	5,309	0.08
666GB	CASPER(CBC)	----	0.00
666GC	RIVERTON COBC	----	0.00
667	SHREVEPORT	71,577	1.10
667GA	TEXARKANA	----	0.00
667GB	MONROE CBC	----	0.00
667GC	LONGVIEW CBOC	----	0.00
668	SPOKANE WA	7,652	0.12
671	SAN ANTONIO	90,644	1.39
671A4	KERRVILLE	4,537	0.07
671BY	SAN ANTONIO-SOC	125	0.00
671BZ	CORPUS CHRISTI-SOC	20	0.00
671B0	MCALLEN-SOC	13	0.00
671GA	BROWNSVILLE (CBC)	----	0.00
671GB	VICTORIA (OCS)	12	0.00



**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
671GF	SOUTH BEXAR CNTY (CBC)	----	0.00
671GH	BEEVILLE CBOC	----	0.00
671PA	SAN ANTONIO PR RTP	25	0.00
672	SAN JUAN PR	135,687	2.08
672BZ	MAYAGUEZ-SOC	----	0.00
672B0	PONCE-SOC	21	0.00
672GA	ST CROIX	----	0.00
672GC	ARECIBO CBOC PR	----	0.00
672GE	GUAYAMA CBOC PR	----	0.00
673	TAMPA	195,639	3.00
673BY	ORLANDO-SOC	2,091	0.03
673BZ	PORT RICHEY-SOC	23	0.00
673GA	BREVARD CBOC	----	0.00
673GB	LAKELAND CBOC FL	27	0.00
673GC	BROOKSVILLE CBOC	----	0.00
673GE	KISSIMMEE CBOC FL	----	0.00
6739AB	CEDAR PARK TX CBOC	----	0.00
674	VA CENTRAL TEXAS HCS	118,634	1.82
674A4	WACO	53,634	0.82
674BY	AUSTIN-SOC	58	0.00
674GA	PALESTINE CBOC	----	0.00
674GB	BROWNWOOD CBOC	----	0.00
674GD	CEDAR PARK TX CBOC	----	0.00
676	TOMAH	8,351	0.13
678	SOUTHERN ARIZONA HCS	122,244	1.87
678GA	SIERRA VISTA (CBC)	12	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
678GB	YUMA (CBC)	----	0.00
678GC	CASA GRANDE CBOC	----	0.00
678GD	SAFFORD CBOC	----	0.00
678GE	GREEN VALLEY CBOC AZ	----	0.00
679	TUSCALOOSA	57,879	0.89
679BU	TUSCALOOSA VA FACILITY DOM	23	0.00
687	WASHINGTON CBOC SE	2,984	0.05
687GA	YAKIMA	27	0.00
687HA	WASHINGTON DC	----	0.00
688	WALLA WALLA	74,364	1.14
688GB	RICHLAND CBOC	1,971	0.03
688PA	WASHINGTON	82	0.00
689	WEST HAVEN	41,227	0.63
689A4	NEWINGTON	575	0.01
689GA	WATERBURY CBOC	----	0.00
691	GREATER LA HCS	125,108	1.92
691A4	SEPULVEDA OPC (DIV)	1,091	0.02
691GB	SANTA BARBARA CBOC	----	0.00
691GC	WEST LA (CBC)	----	0.00
691GD	BAKERSFIELD CBOC	----	0.00
691GE	LA CBOC	118	0.00
691GF	EAST LA CBOC	----	0.00
691GG	ANTELOPE VALLEY CBOC	----	0.00
693	WILKES BARRE	21,586	0.33
693B4	ALLENTOWN-SOC	----	0.00
693GA	SAYRE (CBC)	----	0.00

**STA6A:** Station - continued

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
693PA	WILKES BARRE PR RTP	----	0.00
695	MILWAUKEE	80,559	1.24
695BY	APPLETON	----	0.00

**SVCPT:** Percent of Service Connected

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
0	0	3,895,899	59.75
3	3	----	0.00
10	10	278,378	4.27
15	15	----	0.00
20	20	182,905	2.81
30	30	173,467	2.66
40	40	145,343	2.23
50	50	134,823	2.07
60	60	199,190	3.05
70	70	243,616	3.74
80	80	185,845	2.85
90	90	107,287	1.65
100	100	973,698	14.93

**VETIND:** Veteran Indicator

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
		14	0.00
0		70,372	1.08
1		6,450,071	98.92

**VISN: Veterans Integrated Service Network**

Internal Value	Formatted Value	N	%
1	1	209,020	3.21
2	2	102,731	1.58
3	3	198,318	3.04
4	4	278,494	4.27
5	5	168,258	2.58
6	6	330,078	5.06
7	7	472,019	7.24
8	8	564,464	8.66
9	9	226,545	3.47
10	10	295,370	4.53
11	11	203,911	3.13
12	12	269,830	4.14
15	15	432,704	6.64
16	16	512,558	7.86
17	17	408,648	6.27
18	18	364,529	5.59
19	19	110,926	1.70
20	20	202,899	3.11
21	21	251,263	3.85
22	22	452,136	6.93
23	23	465,756	7.14