

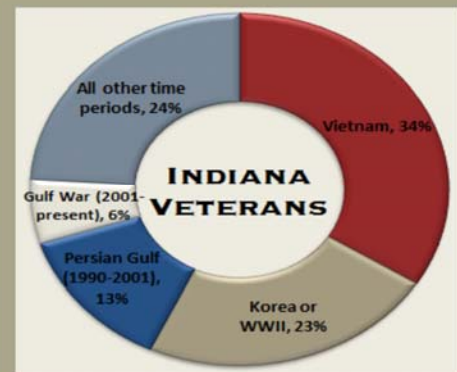
TWIST OF FATE: MANY OF OUR HEROES NOW NEED OUR HELP



According to an Indiana Business Research Center, Indiana University Kelley School of Business analysis of 2010 Census data, 493,551 veterans live in Indiana.



Veterans that served in Vietnam, Korea and WWII account for more than half [57%] of all Hoosier veterans.



MORE THAN 1,600 VETERANS CALLED CONNECT2HELP 2-1-1 FOR HELP IN THE LAST YEAR

Mary called Connect2Help 2-1-1 for help for her **68 year-old uncle who was a veteran**. He was in the early stages of dementia and was living on the street; he also was not receiving medical care. **C2H 2-1-1 was able to help her uncle find shelter**, and also connected him to other veterans' programs for health services and other on-going needs.

Top 5 Veterans' Needs

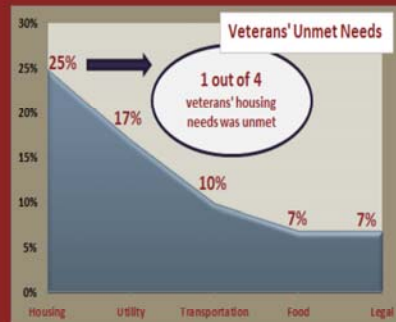


Basic needs dominated veterans' calls to 2-1-1 for help. Housing calls were higher for veterans [17%] than ALL 2-1-1 callers [15%]. Veterans' mental health needs [9%] were almost double those of ALL 2-1-1 callers [5%].

Veterans' Barriers



Many veterans called 2-1-1 for help because of underlying situations, such as disabilities, unemployment or homelessness.



Unfortunately, there are not enough community resources to help all veterans in need. 1 out of every 4 veterans' housing needs was "unmet," according to C2H 2-1-1. This is even higher than the 1 in 5 unmet housing needs for ALL 2-1-1 callers.

To get help or to give help to our veterans,
call 2-1-1