# VISN 72023 ANNUAL REPORT 

## COMMITMENTTO EXCELLENCE

Georgia - Alabama - South Carolina

## WHO WE SERVE

### 1.25M Veterans

VETERANS BY ERA

VISN 7 is one of the fastest growing VA networks, of which more than half are Persian Gulf-era Veterans followed by the Vietnam-era Veterans.

VETERANS BY AGE

| Unknown | $<35$ | $35-44$ | $45-54$ | $55-64$ | $65-74$ | $75-84$ | $85+$ |
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| $0.01 \%$ | $8.32 \%$ | $13.40 \%$ | $14.80 \%$ | $19.53 \%$ | $20.89 \%$ | $17.74 \%$ | $5.31 \%$ |

VISN 7 also has the fastest growing number of women Veterans served in the VA.
+93K women enrolled in FY23


INVESTING IN VETERANS \& EMPLOYEES

## 8. <br> 24K Employees

1.4K Employees Hired

672K Enrollees
\$275M Invested in infastructure
87.5\% of Veterans in VISN 7 trust the VA


## CONNECT VETERANS TO THE SOONEST \& BEST CARE

2nd in Nation for overall Telehealth use \& 3rd in Nation for Tele-Mental Health use improving access to care VISN 7 Clinical Contact Center Modernization began - Coming Soon in 2024!

- 3rd in Nation for Whole Health Growth serving 182K+ Veterans Successfully placed over $\mathbf{2 . 8 K}$ Veterans in permanent housing in 2023, with Tuscaloosa, Augusta, and Dublin leading the way
Each VISN 7 facility has a designated Maternity Care Coordinator \& LGBTQ + Veteran Care Coordinator

Screened 390K+ Veterans for toxic exposure through the PACT Act

## ACCELERATE VA'S JOURNEY TO A HIGH

 RELIABILITY ORGANIZATION16 HeRO Awards were presented to individuals and teams from across VISN 7

- Opened 5 new care sites in 2023


## PREVENT VETERAN SUICIDE

335 from across the country participated in the VISN 7 virtual suicide prevention conference
VISN 7 Medical Centers hired Community Engagement and Partnership Coordinators that established 39 coalitions with a focus on preventing suicide

