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COUNTY VETERAN SERVICE COMMISSION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE DETAILS, 2024 July 2026

One of the core functions of county veterans service commissions (VSC) is to assist needy veterans and their families in obtaining financial assistance.

This Data Exchange shows the direct financial assistance figures from each VSC, along with the county’s veteran population, how many of those veterans applied for direct financial assistance, and how many of those who applied received assistance.

Questions about any specific county’s figures should be directed to the VSC itself. [A directory of county VSCs can be found here.](#)

COUNTY	Veteran Population	Financial Assistance Applicants	Financial Assistance Recipients	Actual Financial Assistance Expenditures	Total Expenditure	Percent of Total Expenditure Utilized for Financial Assistance
Adams	1,760	28	18	\$187,459	\$290,569	64.5%
Allen	6,151	1,737	1,733	\$137,877	\$630,299	21.9%
Ashland	3,118	38	36	\$44,742	\$418,904	10.7%
Ashtabula	6,811	34	31	\$97,694	\$921,344	10.6%
Athens	2,794	34	32	\$27,447	\$670,536	4.1%
Auglaize	2,602	24	24	\$26,339	\$400,841	6.6%
Belmont	3,983	49	41	\$26,659	\$833,765	3.2%
Brown	2,993	33	31	\$54,762	\$432,866	12.7%
Butler	19,284	305	229	\$317,450	\$2,524,727	12.6%
Carroll	1,738	30	30	\$15,360	\$278,710	5.5%
Champaign	2,585	220	220	\$117,000	\$341,815	34.2%
Clark	10,223	162	158	\$178,030	\$937,843	19.0%
Clermont	12,553	654	615	\$616,932	\$1,929,221	32.0%
Clinton	2,976	119	98	\$80,500	\$512,518	15.7%
Columbiana	6,792	198	130	\$67,873	\$1,124,975	6.0%
Coshocton	2,198	66	48	\$30,958	\$347,969	8.9%
Crawford	2,693	32	28	\$31,452	\$501,484	6.3%
Cuyahoga	61,535	858	809	\$1,703,623	\$8,203,753	20.8%
Darke	2,680	48	44	\$49,981	\$736,815	6.8%
Defiance	2,241	109	106	\$38,975	\$427,432	9.1%
Delaware	9,660	231	218	\$331,373	\$1,756,240	18.9%
Erie	4,845	182	181	\$337,099	\$963,642	35.0%
Fairfield	10,114	187	180	\$495,025	\$1,159,677	42.7%
Fayette	1,619	98	95	\$138,597	\$401,448	34.5%
Franklin	59,335	15,146	15,200	\$4,720,785	\$9,245,283	51.1%

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Fulton	2,467	3	3	\$2,195	\$440,068	0.5%
Gallia	1,654	13	10	\$25,570	\$386,291	6.6%
Geauga	4,209	5	3	\$10,378	\$303,316	3.4%
Greene	16,882	44	39	\$91,195	\$1,074,517	8.5%
Guernsey	2,547	106	104	\$94,057	\$523,267	18.0%
Hamilton	37,943	809	527	\$296,654	\$1,451,702	20.4%
Hancock	4,019	24	22	\$76,837	\$1,121,245	6.9%
Hardin	1,599	52	52	\$20,682	\$314,162	6.6%
Harrison	975	190	189	\$24,234	\$481,656	5.0%
Henry	1,631	22	19	\$40,465	\$268,707	15.1%
Highland	2,713	32	32	\$27,864	\$461,509	6.0%
Hocking	1,800	42	42	\$62,403	\$587,727	10.6%
Holmes	980	96	94	\$66,679	\$499,856	13.3%
Huron	3,519	No Data	24	\$58,480	\$597,850	9.8%
Jackson	1,983	240	202	\$95,661	\$516,298	18.5%
Jefferson	4,193	145	144	\$87,156	\$835,010	10.4%
Knox	3,509	95	93	\$97,919	\$1,014,204	9.7%
Lake	12,807	291	280	\$494,515	\$1,446,468	34.2%
Lawrence	3,843	464	454	\$116,209	\$615,057	18.9%
Licking	11,711	752	674	\$535,711	\$2,840,014	18.9%
Logan	2,932	433	425	\$139,057	\$694,028	20.0%
Lorain	18,444	1,469	1,440	\$1,334,717	\$3,449,573	38.7%
Lucas	21,559	2,545	1,817	\$846,465	\$1,951,177	43.4%
Madison	2,382	27	27	\$24,089	\$207,168	11.6%
Mahoning	12,514	481	450	\$623,121	\$2,374,091	26.2%
Marion	3,596	595	594	\$204,983	\$622,206	32.9%
Medina	10,082	272	272	\$380,605	\$981,940	38.8%
Meigs	1,372	59	54	\$71,508	\$251,385	28.4%
Mercer	2,030	22	12	\$7,904	\$343,542	2.3%
Miami	7,551	45	42	\$50,687	\$833,739	6.1%
Monroe	872	6	6	\$6,855	\$465,592	1.5%
Montgomery	39,603	691	377	\$535,503	\$2,402,518	22.3%
Morgan	984	16	15	\$18,259	\$214,239	8.5%
Morrow	2,157	15	15	\$17,935	\$370,705	4.8%
Muskingum	5,130	251	223	\$342,648	\$894,898	38.3%
Noble	874	70	70	\$54,709	\$315,810	17.3%
Ottawa	2,812	62	49	\$69,622	\$718,177	9.7%

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Paulding	1,055	20	20	\$16,675	\$210,980	7.9%
Perry	2,346	299	296	\$115,000	\$494,541	23.3%
Pickaway	3,775	420	412	\$115,864	\$870,436	13.3%
Pike	1,792	295	290	\$15,036	\$264,045	5.7%
Portage	9,435	222	193	\$272,008	\$1,345,994	20.2%
Preble	2,514	288	281	\$72,193	\$474,290	15.2%
Putnam	1,416	30	27	\$35,254	\$482,411	7.3%
Richland	7,731	458	449	\$192,987	\$847,607	22.8%
Ross	5,886	2,005	1,911	\$244,896	\$597,385	41.0%
Sandusky	3,623	107	105	\$89,162	\$447,301	19.9%
Scioto	4,299	446	443	\$106,111	\$666,431	15.9%
Seneca	3,045	10	9	\$31,822	\$529,539	6.0%
Shelby	2,724	372	370	\$180,673	\$725,314	24.9%
Stark	21,555	206	188	\$365,186	\$2,160,640	16.9%
Summit	28,053	520	473	\$831,624	\$3,018,316	27.6%
Trumbull	13,933	61	60	\$98,914	\$1,402,712	7.1%
Tuscarawas	4,950	16	8	\$10,729	\$660,642	1.6%
Union	3,360	72	68	\$242,521	\$949,445	25.5%
Van Wert	1,558	15	13	\$13,647	\$299,126	4.6%
Vinton	636	315	312	\$69,477	\$229,479	30.3%
Warren	12,050	108	108	\$73,892	\$2,835,754	2.6%
Washington	4,237	259	253	\$131,000	\$873,583	15.0%
Wayne	5,422	69	67	\$169,711	\$1,090,230	15.6%
Williams	2,039	38	37	\$21,181	\$442,224	4.8%
Wood	6,493	40	21	\$47,480	\$638,391	7.4%
Wyandot	1,270	10	10	\$11,486	\$185,740	6.2%
TOTAL	654,360	37,807	35,654	\$20,502,052	\$91,604,944	22.4%

Source: Ohio Department of Veterans Services, 2024 Annual Report of Statistics