

VEA CLIENTS

VEA PENSIONERS* **165,727**

**DISABILITY COMPENSATION
PAYMENT RECIPIENTS** **77,344**

Special Rate 26,627
Intermediate Rate 682
EDA Rate 3,342
General Rate 46,693

WAR WIDOWERS **38,776**

Receiving ISS 26,714
Not receiving ISS 12,062

SERVICE PENSIONERS **77,843**

Veterans 40,822
Partners/Widows 37,021

DVA HEALTH CARDS **240,130**

Gold Cards 96,553
White Cards 143,577

**includes age pensioners administered by DVA*

MRCA CLIENTS

VETERANS **55,174**

Permanent Impairment Payees* 32,873
Incapacity Payees 7,526

Open Rehabilitation Cases 4,565

DEPENDANTS **452**

Widow/ers 222
Children 230

DVA HEALTH CARDS **34,235**

Gold Cards 9,146
White Cards 25,089

MRCA EXPENDITURE (2021-22)

Compensation and Support \$1.36bn
Health \$329m

** receiving either a commuted or periodic (MRCA only) permanent impairment payment*

VEA RATES** (PER FN)

DISABILITY COMPENSATION PAYMENT

Special Rate \$1,578.70
Intermediate Rate \$1,072.10
EDA \$860.90
General Rate (100%) \$561.40

WAR WIDOW PENSION \$1,044.30

SERVICE PENSION

Partnered (each) \$773.80
Single \$1,026.50

INCOME SUPPORT SUPPLEMENT

Ceiling rate \$309.60

VEA EXPENDITURE (2021-22)

Compensation and Support \$4.48bn
Health \$3.63bn

*** includes energy supplement*

DRCA CLIENTS

VETERANS **59,763**

Permanent Impairment Payees* 19,308
Incapacity Payees 2,730

Open Rehabilitation Cases 875

DVA HEALTH CARDS **3,767**

White Cards 3,767

DRCA EXPENDITURE (2021-22)

Compensation and Support \$255.2m
Health \$42.9m



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STATS AT A GLANCE

September 2022

DVA CLIENTS

TOTAL DVA CLIENTS **341,639**

DVA CLIENT AGE PROFILES

	MRCA	DRCA	VEA
Under 30	19.9%	0.0%	10.4%
30 - 34	19.1%	0.1%	4.8%
35 - 39	17.4%	2.5%	4.3%
40 - 44	12.4%	8.2%	3.7%
45 - 49	9.2%	12.8%	3.9%
50 - 54	8.7%	17.3%	5.7%
55 - 59	6.1%	14.8%	5.7%
60 - 64	4.3%	13.6%	6.5%
65 - 69	2.1%	10.3%	7.6%
70 - 74	0.7%	9.6%	14.3%
75 - 79	0.1%	6.1%	12.7%
80 - 84	0.0%	2.5%	5.5%
85 or over	0.0%	2.2%	14.7%

DVA HEALTH CARDS **278,554**

Gold Cards issued 106,232
White Cards issued 172,322

TREATMENT CARD COST (2021-22)*

	Gold	White
Active Users	108,622	77,252
Cost per Active User	\$26,141	\$3,992

**In 2021, DVA adopted a new model for estimating average treatment card cost. Rather than all cards issued, this model uses Active Users, a measure of the quarterly exposure of card holders that have ever had health expenditure covered to date (further refined in 2022 to only include those with health expenditure over the past 5 years). Care should be taken when comparing these figures with previous years.*