### **2026 Budget Brief**



### VERMONT VETERANS' HOME

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An Agency of the State of Vermont

# It all starts with the Promise



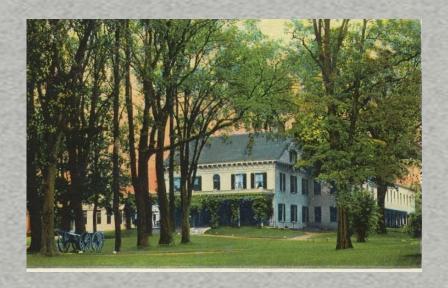
- The State of Vermont Fulfills the Promise, it is our turn to ensure their service is not forgotten
- They answered the call and defended our Country, for that reason, our staff at the Vermont Veterans' Home are here for them
- Our State is here for them
- This is their Veterans' Residential Campus
- This is their home!!





### **OUR HISTORY**

- Incorporated by the VT Legislature by Act. No.
   180 in the Acts of 1884
- In 1887 the property, conveyed to the Board of Trustees by deed of the Trenor W. Park; First "inmate" was admitted on May 18, 1887
- Was a self-contained working farm for Veterans
- Governed by the Vermont Veterans' Home Board of Trustees





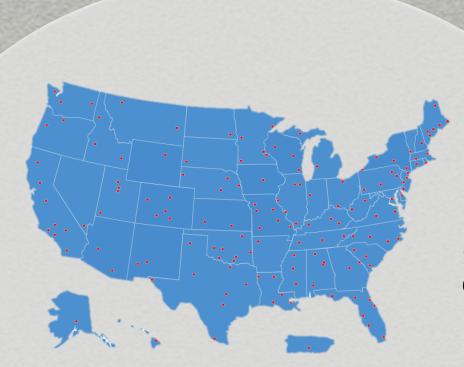
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### What is a State Veterans' Home



- •State Veterans Homes are facilities that provide nursing home, domiciliary or adult day care. <u>They are owned, operated and managed by state governments.</u>
- •To participate in the State Veterans Home program, VA must formally recognize and certify a facility as a State Veterans Home. VA then surveys all facilities each year to make sure they continue to meet VA standards.
- VA does not manage State Veterans Homes.
- http://www.va.gov/GERIATRICS/pages/State\_Veterans\_Homes.

168 State Veterans' Homes Over 30,000 beds



### **VA** Reimbursement



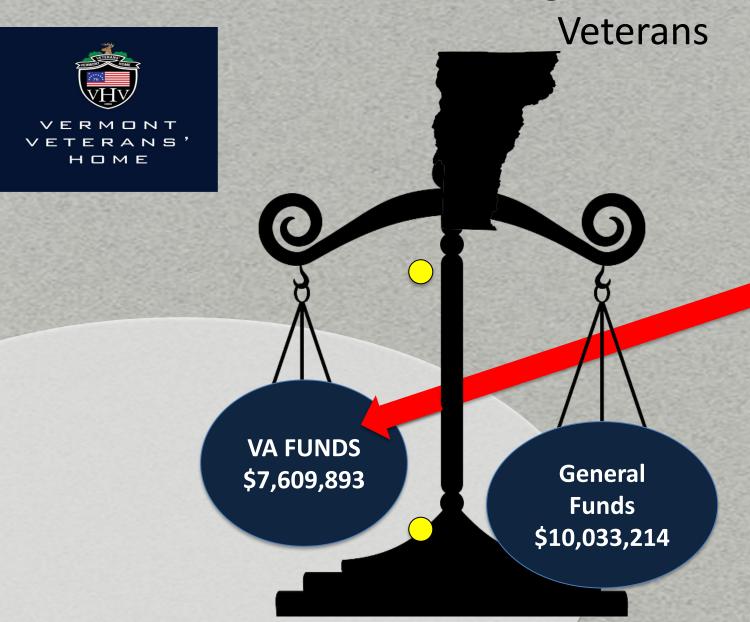


### Provided for Veterans only.

- Two types: <u>Basic Per Diem</u> and <u>Full Cost of Care</u>
- Basic Per Diem is paid for each Veteran residing at the facility, current rate is \$144.10 for the nursing home and \$62.20 for the Dom
  - Remainder of the cost of their nursing home stay is covered by Medicare, Medicaid, Private Pay or Long-Term Care Insurance.
  - Remainder of the cost of their Dom stay is paid via private funds.



### The shared cost of caring for our most vulnerable Vermont



Vermont would not receive these VA Funds without a State Veterans' Home

### VA Reimbursement Cont.





• Full Cost of Care is paid for any Veteran who is 70% or More Service-Connected Disabled, as determined by the VA. \$555.55 per Veteran per day.

- This rate includes (Nursing Home Only):
- Room and Board
- MEDICATIONS
- Medical Supplies
- Physician Visits including community physicians
- Facility Cannot Bill Other Insurances

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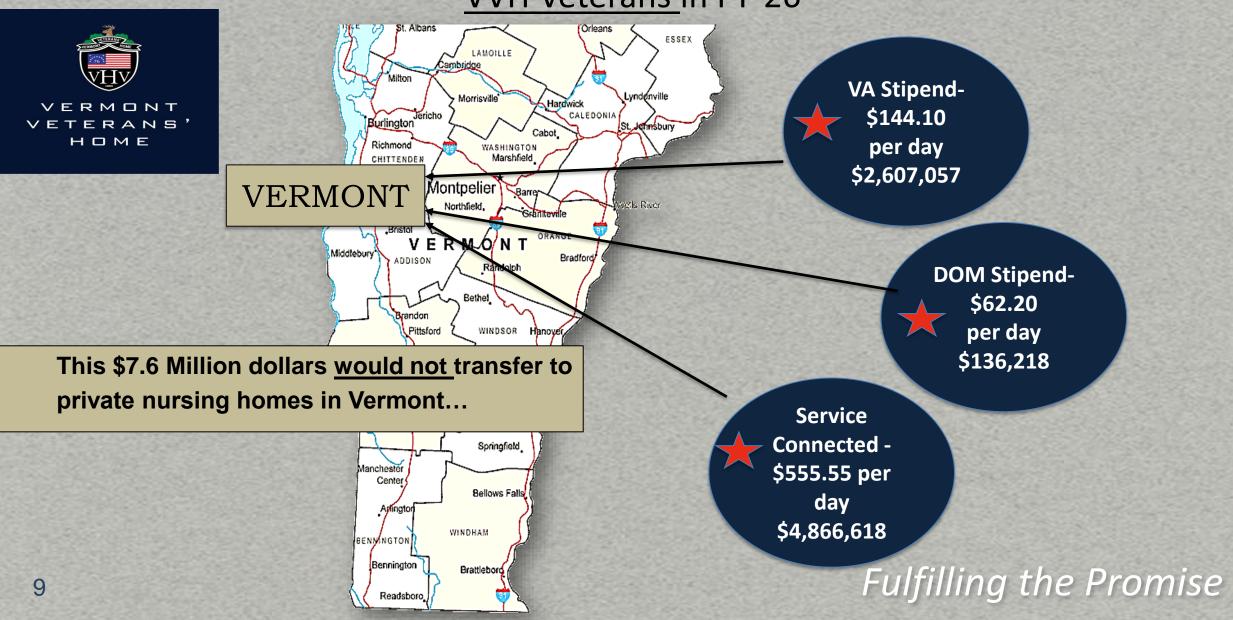
While serving in the military



For Service Connected Disabled



# Vermont will receive approximately \$7,609,893 from the VA to care for its VVH Veterans in FY-26



### **VVH TODAY**



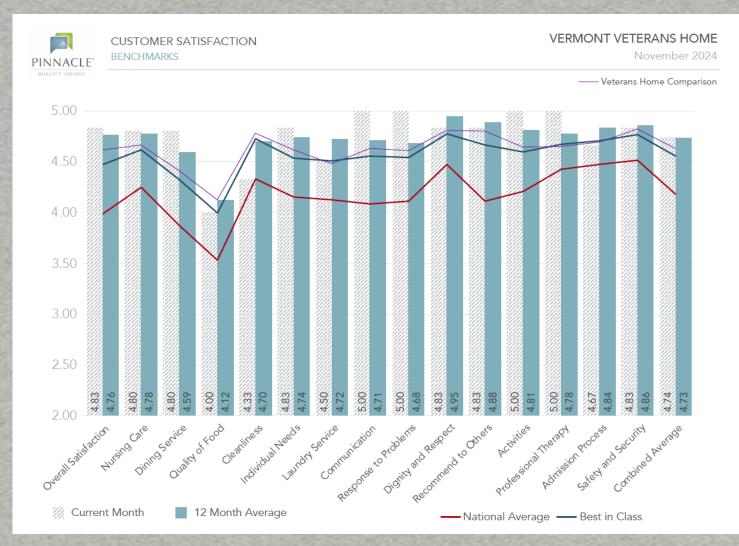


- A Premier Residential and Healthcare Campus for Veterans, their Spouses/Widows, and Gold Star Parents
- Licensed for 130 Bed Skilled Nursing Facility
- Current capacity is 99 due to closure of a wing in anticipation of future construction
- 8 Bed Domiciliary "The Dom"/Assisted Living
- Budgeted for 196 Budgeted State Employees + 59 Temp
- Services Provided:
  - Short-Term Rehabilitation Physical, Occupational, Speech Therapy
  - Long Term Care
  - Internationally Recognized Memory Care Program
  - Hospice and Palliative Care
  - Respite Care
  - Outpatient Rehabilitation Services
  - Guest Room for family members filling the Promise

### PINNACLE Performance Measures



In FY 2024 VVH
provided 36,152 days
of care to Vermont's
most vulnerable
Veterans last year



**Overall Satisfaction Nursing Care Dining Service Quality of Food** Cleanliness **Individual Needs Laundry Service** Communication **Response to Problems Dignity and Respect Recommend to Others Activities Professional Therapy Admission Process Safety and Security Combined Average** 

### PINNACLE Performance Measures



What is valued most?

### **RECOMMENDED IMPROVEMENTS:**

No, I think they are doing a great job.

I would say that they understand and communicate with him. It is that they understand his needs.



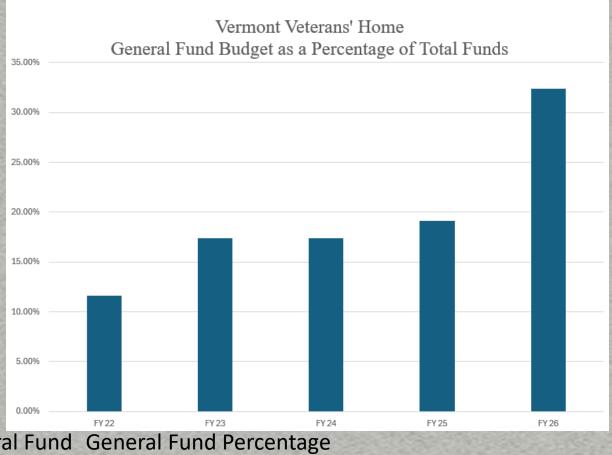
Recommend Facility to Others:	5	It appears they really go overboard for the veterans. They seem to care that they served in the military, and that means something to the residents.
Recommend Facility to Others:	5	I would tell them that it has been a very pleasant experience for my mother and me.
Recommend Facility to Others:	5	It is over-the-top care. There is no comparison to other assisted living places. The respect and care they give the veterans, it made me cry. I could not believe the difference between a normal home and the Veterans Home. They treat them with respect and honor them.

What is valued most?

It is important that she is safe and that she is being watch over. It is important that she can have a relationship with her cousin, who is also there.

### General Fund Request History





	Total Funds	General Fund	General Fund Percen
FY 22	24,447,520	2,843,321	11.6%
FY 23	23,392,108	4,068,733	17.4%
FY 24	24,166,504	4,199,478	17.4%
FY 25	22,553,988	4,320,687	19.1%
FY 26	30,974,772	10,033,214	32.4%

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Source: Vantage Detail Budget Reports



## Vermont Veterans' Home Budget FY 26 Government Funding

Increase of \$5,712,527 From FY 2025's \$4,320,687





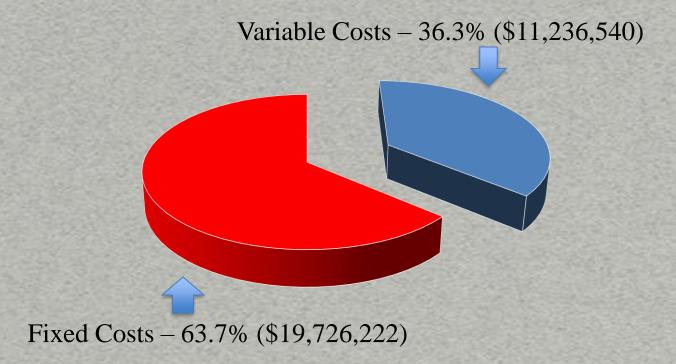
 Government Funding
 % of Expense

 General Fund
 \$ 10,033,214
 32.4%

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# Vermont Veterans' Home Budget support request FY26 Cost Percentages







In FY 2024 VVH provided 36,152 days of care to Vermont's most vulnerable Veterans last year.

### Requested support from the State of Vermont for Budget FY 26



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Collected Revenues account for 67.6% of total budget

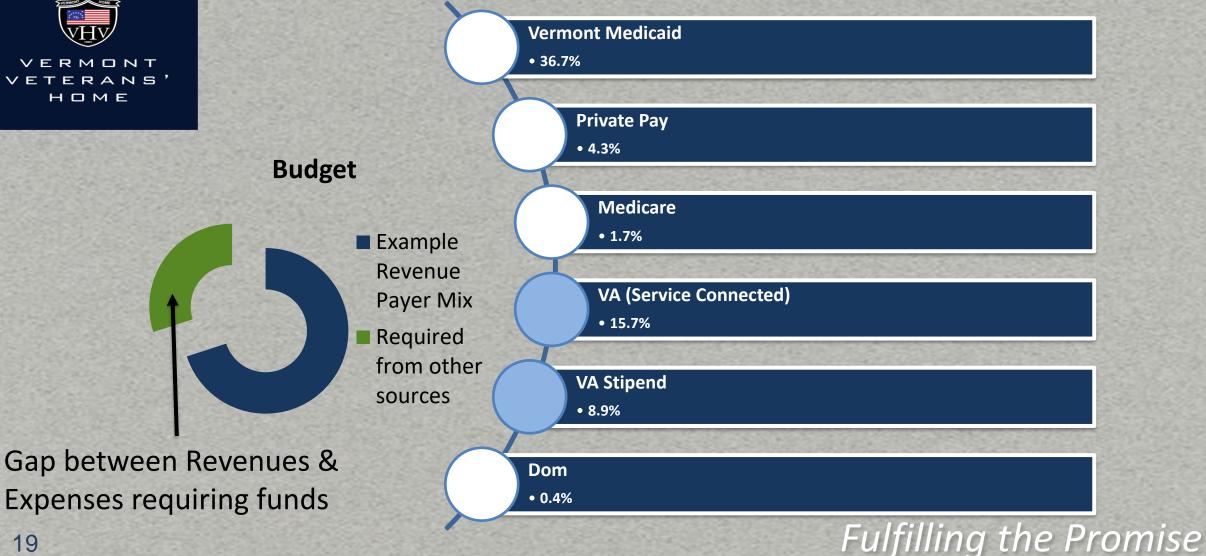
Minimal Control

	Operating Expenses			% of Total
	Salaries	\$	7,635,473	24.6%
	Overtime		569,395	1.8%
	Benefits		9,710,847	<u>31.4%</u>
	Sub Total Salaries & Benefits	\$	17,915,715	57.8%
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	Medicaid Tax	\$	639,470	2.1%
	Utilities		974,000	3.1%
	State Allocations		988,669	<u>3.2%</u>
	Sub Total Tax & Allocations	\$	2,602,139	8.4%
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	Total Salary, Benefits & Allocations	\$	20,517,854	66.2%
	Non-Salary Expenses			
	Food	\$	647,000	2.1%
	Other Operating		9,797,908	31.7%
7	Sub Total Non-Salary	\$	10,444,908	33.8%
	Total Operating Expenses	\$	30,962,762	100.0%
	Gain (Loss) from Operations	<b>\$</b> (1	10,033,214)	

Other Operating Expense Examples: Drugs, Physician Fees, Contracted Rehab Service, Medical Supplies, Maintenance Supplies, Repairs, Advertising, Telephone, IT supplies and Audit.

# VETERANS' HOME

## We collect approximately 68 cents out of every Dollar required



Salary and Non-Salary Budget History Comparison FY23 to FY26



	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	<u>FY 2026</u>	Increase or (Decrease) over FY 2023
Salary & Benefits	\$ 16,836,865	\$ 15,279,365	\$ 17,495,222	\$ 17,915,715	<mark>6.4%</mark>
Non-Salary	6,555,243	8,887,139	5,149,462	13,047,047	<u>99.0%</u>
Total Budget Request	\$ 23,392,108	\$ 24,166,504	\$ 22,644,684	\$ 30,962,762	32.4%

## The Vermont Veterans' Strategic Plan



- Serve More Vermont Veterans
- Capitalize on the Bennington Asset
- Expand Geographic Reach
- Offer New Services
- Increase Collaboration
- Improve Communication
- Enhance Leadership
- Cultivate an Excellent Team
- Preserve Financial Health

Strategic Plan exec summary.pdf (vermont.gov)



### Key Factors for Budget Request



The Home's Veterans:

- Average Age 81.1
  - Youngest 55
  - Oldest 100
- Males 81
- Females 14
- 82 Veterans, including 2
   Women
- Represent all branches of the Military
- World War II 4
- Korea 9
- Vietnam 49
- Gulf War 5
- Cold War 15

This results in:

- Higher Acuity/Care Needs
- PTSD, Mental Health, substance abuse and difficult to manage behaviors



Receiving the Vermont Veterans Medal



Key Factors for Budget Request

- 66.3%(\$20,517,854) of The Home's budget is fixed cost
  - 57.9% Salary Benefits\$17,915,715
  - 3.2% State Allocations\$988,669
  - 3.1% Utilities \$974,000
  - 2.1% Bed Tax \$639,470
- 32.4% (\$10,033,214) of our budgetary funding is General Funds
- 67.6%(\$20,929,548) of our budgetary funding comes from Medicare, Medicaid, Private and VA Funds





### FY 2026 Challenges

- Meeting The Home's Financial Goals
  - Decreased census currently 30 beds are offline due to staffing challenges and the cost of agency/traveling nursing staff.
- Labor Costs
  - No control over salary and benefit increases and not included in the pay act.
  - Staffing –we currently 62 open positions 50 clinical and 12 non-clinical (Dietary & Housekeeping)
- Veteran Care Perception
  - Outside groups/individuals providing false information on the cost of care and potential cost saving measures for the home.
  - People believe that the care here is free and the State or the VA picks up all our costs



### STAFFING CHALLENGES

As of January 8, 2025 we have the following open clinical positions:

❖ RN	15	Average hourly rate \$48.91
❖ LPN	5	Average hourly rate \$32.55
LNA	30	Average hourly rate \$24.67

Current Agency Staff Numbers as of January 8, 2025:

LPN 16 Current average hourly rate \$76.34
 LNA 14 Current average hourly rate \$62.12





Revenue

Based on an average daily census (ADC) of 90

Private Room \$345 Semiprivate \$325 per day

Vermont Medicaid Interim Payment Rate of \$475.00

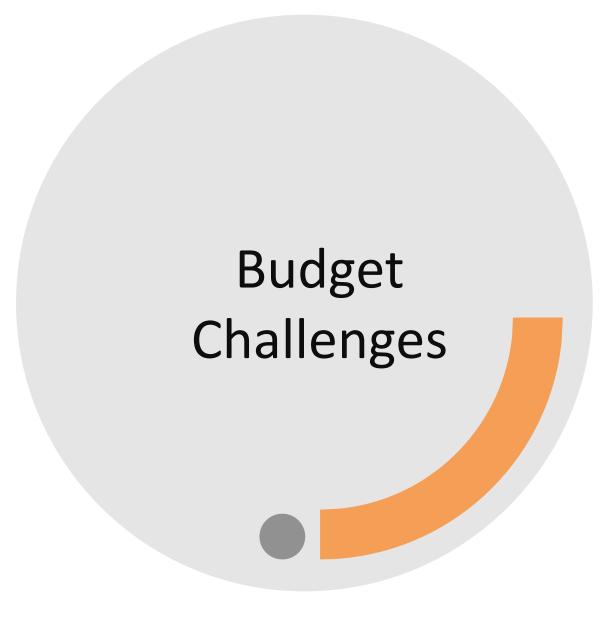
Service-Connected VA Daily Rate \$555.55

•VA Stipend Daily Rate \$144.10

•VA DOM Stipend Daily Rate \$62.20

### • Expense Challenges:

- Agency Staffing
  - Average annual cost for an LNA is over \$137,000 vs \$92,773 for State employee
  - Spent \$6,817,000 in FY24 for Clinical Agency Staff for 46.2 FTEs (\$147,554 average)
- Recruitment of clinical staff
  - RNs
  - LPNs
  - LNAs
- Pass Through Expenses
  - Vermont Agencies expenses increasing greater than Finance & Management's guidelines and VVH has to absorb the expense increases





### **Cost Cutting Measures**

- Continuous Spending Review
  - Ensuring costs are in line with daily census
  - Reducing contracted Psychologist Contracted Hours
    - Transitioning to inhouse
- LNA Class
  - Had 100% graduation rate of summer 2024 class 7 LNAs hired
  - Fall class contains 8 LNAs
- Continual monitoring of Veterans needed 24/7 one-to-one supervision.
  - Continue to succeed in this area, have one Veteran who has one-on-one supervision in the evenings only.

### Admissions & Marketing Focus of Effort



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Follow us on Instagram: vermontveteranshome







We look forward to the return of these events now that COVID rules for nursing home allow for the to take place

**Summer Concert Series-** concerts were held this past summer on our front lawn, Many from the local community and surrounding area attended. This is a tremendous gift to the community for their resolute support of VVH.

**Fathers Day Car Show-** this annual event continues to grow in popularity as visitor's routinely attend from the four contiguous states.

Wreaths Across America- This annual event occurs at VVH each December on National Wreaths Across America Day, our mission to *Remember, Honor and Teach* is carried out by coordinating a wreath-laying ceremony to coincide with Arlington National Cemetery, as well as over 1,400 additional locations in all 50 U.S. states, at sea, and abroad.

**Veterans Motorcycle Ride -** The Annual Veterans Ride occurs on VVH property with a barbeque and music for attendees.

Holiday Tree Lighting- A Community event hosted by VVH for the Local community and their children; music, snack, the tree, and Santa.

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## International Impact



Letter to Governor Scott from the Director of Namaste Internal Rishi Jawaheer

Namaste Care International



15 October 2024

Governor Phil Scott Executive Office 109 State Street, Pavilion MONTPELIER VT 05609

Dear Governor Scott

I am writing to you as the director and co-founder of Namaste Care International, a non-profit organisation based in the UK that supports care services across 13 countries. We had the pleasure of hosting our most recent international conference at London South Bank University on 25 September 2024.

I would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your assistance in funding Christina Cosgrove and her colleague to attend and speak at our conference. We have received numerous positive comments from around the world in relation to Christina's presentation on the Vermont Veterans Home. Her story and dedication to the service for over 27 years, striving for the best care and support for the best care and support for the veterans was inspirational to our audience. Christina has an amazing array of experience and speaks with great passion. She has provided incredible feedback and support to Namaste Champions in our member countries and our international audience.

I myself have a group of care services in the UK, having been in this sector for over 25 years. I feel the services and facilities offered by the Vermont Veterans Home are truly world-class and set a high benchmark for others to follow. Using the 84 acre site as a tool in her presentation Christina brought to life the remarkable human connection and communication that takes place. She also described and demonstrated the many opportunities for activity and stimulation, including the shooting range, and interactions with animals and nature.

I would very much like to recommend Christina for an award in recognition of her exemplary long service and extraordinary contribution to the community. She is a true example to us all.

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### Our job to serve and care for our Veterans will never be done



### **VVH Tomorrow**



### VERMONT NATIONAL GUARD







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# Questions.....



"We know that Veteran's benefits, in this administration, are not entitlements. Veteran benefits are the on-going compensation that was earned in the uniform of the United States of America."

Vice President Mike Pence Elizabeth Dole Foundation 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convening Washington, DC

#### **Vermont Veterans' Home**

SFY 2026 Budget Narrative

#### **Mission Statement:**

The Vermont Veterans' Home provides best of class healthcare services and advocacy to veterans, their spouses, and gold star parents, while honoring their choices and respecting their right of self-determination.

#### **Facility Overview**

The Vermont Veterans Home is the second oldest State Veterans Home in the country, opening on April 1, 1887. What started out as a 200-acre working farm for 25 Civil War Veterans is now an 83-acre residential and healthcare facility caring for 90 Veterans from World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Gulf War, and peacetime, their spouses and widows, and Gold Star Parents in our nursing home and 8 Veterans in our domiciliary. The property includes a 140,000 square foot facility, with a trout pond, deer park, an airsoft rifle and pistol range, and Veterans' cemetery. The facility provides long term care, short term rehab, Alzheimer's/dementia care, respite care, hospice/palliative care, residential/domiciliary care, and outpatient rehabilitation services.

Our deer herd is a major attraction in Bennington with a steady stream of visitors. The deer enjoy interacting with members of the community, especially if they are provided treats such as apples and bananas. The deer park has been the source of much enjoyment for those residing in or passing through Bennington.

The trout pond is spring fed and stocked annually by the Bennington Elks. Two fishing derbies also sponsored by the Bennington Elks are held for the Veterans and members of the community. Veterans are able to fish as they desire with staff or family members. The pond is catch and release and not open for public fishing with the exception of the fishing derbies.

#### **Departments:**

#### **ADMINISTRATION:**

This department oversees the daily operation of the facility, ensuring regulatory compliance with Federal and State statutes. This Department includes the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Director of Nursing and Assistant Director of Nursing. This department also provides clerical support to various other departments within the facility.

#### **NURSING**

This department includes the facility's Registered Nurses (RN), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN), and Licensed Nursing Assistants (LNA). Members of this department provide the 24-hour care and supervision the Veterans and Members require for the skilled nursing facility, and intermittent oversight of the Veterans and Members who reside in the facility's residential care/Domiciliary section.

#### **MEDICAL**

The facility contracts with the local Veterans Administration Community Based Outpatient Clinic for Physicians and Physician's Assistants to provide medical care for our Veterans and Members. A Geriatric Psychiatrist from the White River Junction Veterans Medical Center joined our list of providers and providers mental health services 4 hours every other week. The facility also has contracts with a Medical Director, a pharmacy, a rehabilitation company, and various individual medical providers in order to meet the needs of our Veterans and Members.

#### **DIETARY**

This department includes the Dietitians, Cooks and Utility Workers, who prepare over 120,000 meals annually for our Veterans and Members. They also ensure nutritious snacks are provided and that the Veterans and Members receive the physician ordered diet. The dietary staff also provides refreshments for various facility activities.

#### MAINTAINENCE, LAUNDRY and HOUSEKEEPING

This department is responsible for the daily upkeep of the facility and surrounding grounds, including but not limited to preventative maintenance, mowing of lawns, plowing of driveways, feeding and care of the deer herd. All Veteran and Member laundry and facility linens are washed and dried on site by the laundry staff.

#### RECREATION SERVICES

Daily activities are planned and run by members of this department. Activity programs are offered 7 days a week as well as both on and off site. Programs include, bingo, current events, holiday parties, and an air rifle and pistol range. The facility maintains a wheelchair accessible vans to transport Veterans to and from various community locations such as the Dorset Playhouse, the Bennington Elks and various community medical providers.

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#### BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

This professional department includes Licensed Independent Clinical Social Workers (LICSW), Masters' level social workers (MSW), Bachelor's level social workers and behavioral health aides. This department provides for the emotional and psychosocial wellbeing of our Veterans and Members. They provide individual services and well as support groups. The facility has a caregiver support group for family members of our Veterans and Members with cognitive impairments, a support group called 'Veterans View', a creative writing group, a substance abuse support group, a Buddhist mediation group and yoga. The behavioral health department also arranges for community services for our short-term Veterans and Members who are discharged home after their stay with us.

#### **FINANCE**

This department ensures the accurate billing of Medicare, Medicaid, third party insurances, and private funds for services rendered. They also complete facility time an attendance and are responsible for maintaining the facility's financial statements and other records. Members of this department will also assist Veterans and Members with Medicaid applications and managing their personal funds as needed.

### **Services Provided:**

#### LONG TERM CARE

The facility is licensed for 130 skilled nursing facility beds but only operating at a capacity of 99. This will be discussed later. We are able to provide traditional nursing care services for individuals who are no longer able to reside independently or with family in the community. Long term care includes 24-hour care and supervision by licensed nursing personal, meals, medications, laundry services, housekeeping services, social work services, recreations services, chaplain services, and medical care.

#### SHORT TERM REHAB

Veterans or Members recovering from orthopedic or cardiac surgery, stroke or other major illness come to the facility immediately following a hospitalization to receive rehabilitation services which allow them to return home. In addition to the care and services provided to our long-term care Veterans and Members those individuals admitted for short term rehab receive services from physical, occupational and speech therapy. Our social work staff assists with arranging any and all necessary community services to help the Veteran or Member transition back to their previous living environment.

#### **ALZHEIMER'S/DEMENTIA CARE**

The facility maintains a 30-bed memory care neighborhood called Cardinal Point. This secure neighborhood provides our Veterans and Members with the ability to move around freely both inside and outside of the facility while ensuring for their safety. The Namaste Program, which provides care in a relaxing and comforting environment, was started at this facility with the help of consultant Joyce Simard. In an integral part of our memory care program. This program has been the subject of a book, "The Namaste Care Program for People with Dementia" now in its second edition and has been featured in various national healthcare publications. Ms. Simard travels the world education others on the benefits of the Namaste Program. More information on this program can be found at: <a href="http://www.joycesimard.com/namaste-care-simard.html">http://www.joycesimard.com/namaste-care-simard.html</a>

#### RESPITE CARE

Respite Care is just that, a respite for the caregiver of an individual requiring extensive medical care in the community. Community caregivers will have their loved one stay with us while they take a short vacation, have their own medical needs attended to or for just some time away from the demands of being a 24-hour caregiver. Respite care Veterans and Members have stayed for as little as a few days to a few months prior to returning home again.

#### PALLATIVE/HOSPICE CARE

Palliative or end-of-life care is provided to the facility's long-term care Veterans and Members who are at the end of life and for those individuals admitted to the facility especially for end-of life care. The facility has a dedicated room for end-of-life care called the Reagan Room. This private room and nearby living room provide ample private space for family and friends to visit with the Veteran or Member. Support services from Social Services and the Chaplin are provided in addition to high quality nursing care. Several staff members are trained in massage and Rikki; these services are provided to the Veteran or Member as requested.

The facility now has contracts with two Medicare Hospice providers. Veterans and Members now have the choice between the two providers when considering end of life care. These contracts allow us to offer end of life services and receive a higher reimbursement for the services provided. Additionally, this contract will deliver additional support services for the Veteran and their family members during the dying process.

#### RESIDENTIAL/DOMICILLARY CARE

The facility has an 8-bed residential/domiciliary (Dom) care offering. This is similar to assisted living care. Veterans and Members who reside in the "Dom" require little assistance with bathing, dressing, and medication management. Meals, laundry services, social services, recreational programs, chaplain services, and limited nursing care are provided.

#### **OUTPATIENT REHABILITATION SERVICES**

Rehabilitation services such as physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech and language therapy are provided to Veterans and Members residing in the community. These individuals do not need or require 24-hour care and supervision; however, they could benefit from some additional therapy services to improve their independence in the community. These services are arranged directly with our contract rehabilitation company. Therapy services are provided at a frequency determined by the medical professionals, usually a few times a week.

#### **GUEST ROOM**

The facility has a guest room that family member may use free of charge overnight. Reservations are required and are on a first come first serve basis. The room was renovated with a generous donation from the Vermont American Legion. It is now like a hotel room with a queen size bed, couch and a table with chairs. Meals can be purchased through our Dietary department. Additionally, with this generous donation, VVH will expand its guest room inventory by an additional two rooms in unused space on the third floor of the original house. This was completed prior to COVID -19 pandemic.

#### **CAPACITY**

As mentioned previously, the actual capacity of the Vermont Veterans' Home is 99, due to the closure of American Wing (A Wing). This was done in anticipation of breaking ground in January 2025 for the replacement. However, due to considerable construction increases we are returning the VA grant and will be submitting in the spring of 2026 a request that will be more in expectations with current construction costs. American Wing cannot be brought back on-line due to the numerous plumbing, heating, ventilation, and air conditioning issues. If these costs could be overcome, it would be staffed by agency nurses which are more expensive than employed nurses and would not be economically feasible.

#### **Revenue Sources**

Revenue to operate this facility is derived from three (3) sources which include: Federal Funds, Special Funds and General Funds. Federal Funds consists of Medicare, Veteran's Administration (VA) Per Diem and VA Stipend. Special Funds consists of Vermont Medicaid, Private Pay and Commercial Insurance. General Funds are from the Legislature. It is important to note that over sixty-seven percent (67.6%) or \$20,929,548 of the facility's revenue comes from sources other than General Funds.

#### **General Funds**

Our General Fund request is \$10,033,214, which is an increase of \$5,712,527 or 132.2% higher than our FY2025 request of \$4,320,687. VVH may be back for a budget adjustment in January 2026 after reviewing expenses related to Agency Nurse staffing.

#### Medicare

Medicare revenue is obtained for those Veterans and Members who are eligible for care and services paid for through the federal Medicare program. In order for care and services to be paid for at this facility an individual must have had a qualifying hospital stay, a 3-day hospital stay in the 30-days prior to admission to the facility or have been discharged from another skilled nursing facility for which Medicare paid for care and services within 60-days of their admission to this facility. Once that criterion is met Medicare will pay for a short period of time, not to exceed 100 days. Medicare pays 100% of the cost of care for the first 20 days of admission to the facility. From days 21 to 100 there is a per day Medicare copay paid with private funds, Medicaid or commercial insurance. Currently this co-pay amount is \$204.00. Individuals must have a Medicare skilled need for care and services to be covered by Medicare. When they no longer meet this need, Medicare discontinues payment; there is no guaranteed number of Medicare covered days. A daily rate of reimbursement is determined for each individual based on the care and services provided. Due to the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) implementation of reimbursement called Patient Driven Payment Model (PDPM), every seven (7) days after the initial 20 days, reimbursement rates are decreased by 2.0%. We are expecting an average daily reimbursement rate of \$475 per day.

#### Medicaid

Medicaid revenue is received from the State of Vermont for Veterans and Members who have been deemed eligible for Medicaid coverage. On June 28, 2022, the Vermont Agency of Human Services (AHS) received approval for the State to renew the expansion of the Medicaid program under section 1115(a). Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) Section 6.3(c) states that reimbursement is no longer subject to the upper payment limits specified in 42 CFR 447.362. Basically, the upper payment limit is the maximum that Medicaid could reimburse if the patient were Medicare. This waiver is effective from July 1, 2022 through December 31, 2027. In our FY25 budget, VVH used an interim daily rate of \$475.00. In VVH's budget proposal for FY26, there is \$3,914,481 included for Vermont Medicaid Settlement for FY24 to be received in FY26.

#### **Private Pay**

When Veterans and Members are not eligible for Medicare, Medicaid, Veterans' Administration Benefits, or other commercial insurance they are responsible for the daily per diem rate which is \$345.00 for a private room and \$325.00 for a semi-private room. This daily rate includes room, board, activities, and social work services. All other services including pharmacy and rehabilitation services are an additional charge. The Veterans' Administration Stipend, which is explained below, decreases the daily rate for Veterans only, to \$200.90 for a private room and \$180.90 for a semi-private room.

#### **Veterans Administration Per Diem**

For Veterans who are determined to be 70% or more service- connected disabled by the Veterans' Administration (VA), the VA will pay a daily rate of \$555.55. This rate includes room, board, medical care, pharmacy, laboratory services, rehabilitation services, activities, social work, and transportation. Specialty medical equipment can be provided by the VA as long as the equipment needed is related to their service-connected disability.

#### **Veterans Administration Stipend**

The VA will pay a daily stipend to all Veterans admitted to the nursing home, with the exception of Veterans who are 70% or more service-connected disabled. This stipend is used to reduce the out of pocket expense when a Veteran is private pay and to offset the shortfall between the actual cost of care and Medicaid reimbursement for Vermont Medicaid Veterans. The daily stipend of \$144.10 is included in our FY 26 budget.

#### **Commercial Insurance**

Commercial insurances such as AARP, TriCare, and Blue Cross Blue Shield will pay the co-pay starting at day 21 of a Medicare stay and, in some cases, pay a per diem rate which varies per policy. In some instances, a pre-authorization is needed, and if the facility is not within the provider's network, they will not approve admission to the facility for the individual Veterans.

#### **Key Budget Issues**

#### **CENSUS**

Over the past 4 years the average daily census at the Vermont Veterans' Home has steadily declined from 119.9 in 2020 to 91.6 in FY 2024. In FY 2025 we budgeted our census at 100 because at the time of budget development, we were estimating a groundbreaking in January 2025 on an 18-month reconstruction of our American Wing for which we received a 100% VA grant for in the amount of \$16,464,000.00. In April/May 2024 we closed American Wing and moved residents to other three remaining

wings. However, in June/July 2024 we received the first cost estimate of \$24,715,870. After a few internal meetings and discussions with the VA Construction Grant Program personnel, we have returned the grant monies to the VA and will be submitting by April 2026 a new VA construction grant that will be more realistic but will require State matching funds of 35% of the total projected cost. Most likely not until sometime in 2028 or 2029 would construction start.

#### **Fixed Costs**

\$20,517,854 or 66.3% of the FY 2026 budget are fixed costs which include:

Salaries and Benefits	\$ 17,915,715
Medicaid Bed Tax	639,470
State Allocations	988,669
(ADS, HR, Insurances)	
Utilities	974,000

The reason for the decrease from 88.8% to 66.3%, is that VVH has included all estimated expenses and has not eliminated any for budget adjustment. Had we decreased expenses to meet the 3.0% threshold, fixed cost percentage would have been 81.1%.

## **Cost of Care**

Veterans continue to require higher levels of care when compared to just 5 years ago. Today's nursing home residents were hospital patients just a few short years ago. Medications are becoming increasingly expensive and often times fall on the facility to pay for. Currently, over 77% of our Pharmacy expenses are for Service-Connected Veterans. This has increased slightly from 75.9% in FY20, due to Vietnam era veterans who were injured or exposed to Agent Orange during their service to our country. **Per Federal regulations for State Veterans Homes, VVH is required to cover the cost of pharmacy expenses for Service Connected-Veterans. Without a change in federal regulations VVH cannot obtain medications for these Veterans from the VA or bill any other insurance they may have which would offset this cost.** With increased frequency, a Veteran's or Member's insurance will not cover the cost of medication, and there is not a more cost effective alternative available.

## **Worker's Compensation**

The Worker's Compensation allocation from the State is \$422,631 which is a decrease of \$26,829 or 6.0% from FY2025's budgeted expense of \$449,460.

#### **Accounts Receivable**

Veterans, Members, and their families continue to voice their opinion that care and services at the facility should be free of charge. A

member of the facility's business office meets with the Veteran, Member and/or responsibly party prior to admission to explain their financial responsibility to the facility.

#### **Overtime**

Overtime is being budgeted at actual FY 2024's amount of \$569,395. The reason for the continued decline is that VVH, along with other nursing homes, have been facing a decline in workers. In the budget there are 64 open positions at VVH, with 56 being in the clinical departments - RNs, LPNs and LNAs. We are budgeting our vacancy savings at \$6,295,184, which is an increase of \$729,837 from the FY25 budget of \$5,565,347. This will be evaluated again in December 2024 as we prepare for our FY 2025 Budget Adjustment request.

### **Budget Assumptions**

The FY2026 budget assumes an average daily census of 90 which is a decrease of 10 residents per day due to the closure of the American Wing along with the multiyear delay in the project. Since the American Way wing is out of service, payor mix has changed for all payors, except for Medicare. Our budget assumes that the Domiciliary to be at 87.5% occupancy. Below in Table 1 shows recent trends in average daily census.

Table 1

Payor	Actual FY21	Actual FY 22	Actual FY 23	Actual FY 24	Budget FY 25	Budget FY 26			
VT Medicaid	49	43	47	44	48	43			
NY Medicaid	2	1	1	0	0	0			
Private Pay	24	24	22	20	22	20			
Medicare	2	3	4	2	3	3			
VA	<u>23</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>24</u>			
Total	100	93	100	92	100	90			
Domiciliary	6	6	7	7	8	7			
Grand Total	106	99	107	99	108	97			

Vermont Medicaid reflects a decrease in net revenues, anticipated daily census is decreasing from 57 to 48 while private pay is decreasing from 24 to 22. Table 2 below shows the net revenue comparison from FY25 to FY26.

Table 2

Payor	FY 25	FY 26	Increase (Decrease)
VT Medicaid	\$ 8,322,000	\$ 7,455,125	(\$ 866,875)
Private Pay	1,566,091	1,320,570	(245,521)
Medicare	520,125	520,125	-

Payor	FY 25	FY 26	Increase (Decrease)
VA	4,938,242	4,866,618	(71,624)
Total SNF	\$ 15,346,458	\$ 14,162,438	(\$ 1,184,020)
Domiciliary	163,812	109,354	(\$54,458)
<b>Total Net Revenue</b>	\$15,510,270	\$14,271,792	(\$ 1,238,478)
VA Stipend	\$ 2,813,727	\$ 2,743,275	(\$ 70,452)
<b>Grand Total Net</b>	\$ 18,323,997	\$ 17,015,067	(\$ 1,308,930)
Vermont Medicaid	-	\$ 3,914,481	\$ 3,914,481
Settlement			
General Fund	\$ 4,320,687	\$ 10,033,214	\$ 5,712,527
<b>Total Income</b>	\$ 22,644,684	\$ 30,962,762	\$ 8,318,078

Our daily charge for a semi-private room increased in and remains the at \$325 and the private room daily charge at \$345. Reimbursement rates the payor sources are as follows in Table 3.

Table 3

Payor	Reimbursement Rate
Vermont Medicaid	\$ 475.00
Private Pay	\$ 180.90
Medicare	\$ 475.00
VA	\$ 555.55
Domiciliary	\$ 42.80
VA Stipend	\$ 144.10
Dom VA Stipend	\$ 62.20

Salary expenses are budgeted for a decrease of \$528,364 and an increase in Benefits of \$948,857. The increase in Benefits is due to changes in Health Insurance and the allocation for Retirement Expense. Table 4 shows the changes in Salary Expense.

Table 4

Line item	Budget FY25	<b>Budget FY26</b>	Increase
			(Decrease)
Salaries	\$ 10,458,250	\$ 11,031,310	\$ 573,060
Temp Employees	1,626,659	1,543,030	(83,629)
Overtime	510,650	569,395	58,745
Shift Differential	317,458	312,286	(5,172)
Market Factor	1,385,562	1,044,031	(341,531)
Vacancy Turnover	(5,565,347)	(6,295,184)	(729,837)
Total	\$ 8,733,232	\$ 8,204,868	(\$ 528,364)

Table 5 shows the changes in Benefit Expense.

Table 5

Line item	Budget FY25	Budget FY26	Increase (Decrease)
FICA	\$ 876,824	\$ 923,059	\$ 46,235
Health Insurance	4,150,348	4,592,105	441,757
Retirement	3,025,759	3,461,548	435,789
Dental	163,776	163,776	-
Life	52,250	48,709	(3,541)
LTD	6,909	7,188	279
EAP	6,664	7,215	551
FMLI	-	29,557	29,557
Child Care Contribution	-	35,059	35,059
Worker's Compensation	449,460	422,631	(26,829)
Unemployment	30,000	20,000	(10,000)
TOTAL	\$ 8,761,990	\$ 9,710,847	\$ 948,857

**Non-Salary** increases total \$7,897,585 and are summarized as follows:

Line Item	FY 2025 Budget	FY 2025 Budget	Increase (Decrease)
Contracted & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party	\$ 118,000	\$ 6,123,160	\$ 6,005,160
Per Diem & Other Personal Service	18,000	10,000	(8,000)
Equipment	32,000	38,000	6,000
IT/Telecom Services Equipment	706,499	704,951	(1,548)
IT Repair & Maintenance Services	5,000	159,000	154,000
Other Operating Expenses	727,585	1,134,470	406,885
Other Rental	107,100	165,700	58,600
Other Purchased Services	584,175	584,876	701
Property & Maintenance	306,500	945,490	638,990
Supplies	2,497,203	3,130,900	633,697
Travel	47,400	50,500	3,100
TOTAL	\$ 5,149,462	\$ 13,047,047	\$ 7,897,585

#### Fiscal Year 2026 Budget Development Form: Vermont Veterans' Home

	General \$\$	Transp \$\$	Educat \$\$	Clean Water \$\$	Special \$\$	Glob Commit \$\$	Federal \$\$	Int. Service \$\$	Interdept'I Transfer \$\$	All other \$\$	Total \$\$
Approp #1 [3300010000]: Vermont Veterans' Home - Care and Support	4,320,687	0	0	0	10,051,903	0	8,272,094	0	0	0	22,644,684
Other Changes: (Please insert changes to your base appropriation that occurred after the passage of the FY 2025 budget]											C
FY 2025 Other Changes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Approp. After FY 2025 Other Changes	4,320,687	0	0		10,051,903	0	8,272,094	0	0	0	22,644,684
CURRENT SERVICE LEVEL/CURRENT LAW	5,712,527	0	0	0	2,747,627	0	(142,076)	0	0	0	8,318,078
Personal Services	420,493	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	420,493
500000: Salary & Wages: Classified Employees	573,060										573,060
500010: Salary & Wages: Exempt Employees											
501500: Health Insurance: Classified Employees	441,757										441,757
501510: Health Insurances: Exempt Employees											
502000: Retirement: Classified Employees	435,789										435,789
502010: Retirement: Exempt Employees											
All Other Employee Payroll Related Fringe Benefits	00 557										0
504040: VT Family & Medical Leave Insurance Premium	29,557										29,557
504045: Child Care Contribution	35,059										35,059
05200: Workers' Compensation Insurance Premium	(26,829)										(26,829
08000: Vacancy Turnover Savings	(729,837)										(729,837
00040: Temporary Employees	(83,629)										(83,629 58,745
00060: Overtime 00070: Shift Differential	58,745										
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03000/503010: Life	(3,541)										(3,541
i03500/503510: LTD	(3,541)										(3,541
504000/504010: ETD	551										551
505500: Unemployment Comp	(10,000)										(10,000
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Operating Expenses	5,292,034	0	0	0	2,747,627	0	(142,076)	0	0	0	7,897,585
15010: Fee-for-Space Charge	0 (22,222)										(22.22
16000: Insurance Other Than Employee Benefits	(23,066)										(23,066
16010: Insurance - General Liability	(5,911)										(5,911
16671: VISION/ISD	5,188										5,188
16685: ADS Allocated Charge	21,264 21,378										21,264
19006: Human Resources Services	5,000										21,378
23620: Single Audit Allocation	1,308,930				(1 166 954)		(142.076)				5,000
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07600: Other Contr & 3rd Pty Services (Physicians)	938,000										938,000
23330/523340/523345: PT, OT, ST	440,000										440,000
13005/513050: Computer Hardware and Software	154,000										154.000
14550/515000: Auto Rental and Other Rental	58,600										58,600
20700: Food	247,000										247.000
21100: Electricity	100,000										100,000
16099: Property Insurance	0										100,000
16813: Advertising	(19,000)										(19,000
roperty & Maintenance	638,990										638.990
20200: Building/Maintenance Supplies	137,000										137,000
21830/521831: Drugs, Legend Drugs	202,200										202,200
ther Contracted & 3rd Party Service	41,000										41,000
05700: Catamount Health Assessment	(8,000)										(8,000
22400: Other Equipment	6,000										6,000
16600/522216: Other IT Tecom Services	(28,000)										(28,000
23199/526110/524000: Other Operating Expense	(38,115)										(38,115
ther Purchased Services	17,000										17,000
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ubtotal of Increases/Decreases	5,712,527	0	0	0	2,747,627	0	(142,076)	0	0	0	8,318,078
Y 2026 Governor Recommend	10,033,214	0	0	0	12,799,530	0	8,130,018	0	0	0	30,962,762
ermont Veterans' Home - Care and Support Services FY 2025	4,320,687	0	0	0	10,051,903	0	8,272,094	0	0	0	22,644,684
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## **State of Vermont**

# FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget: Rollup Report

Organization: 03300 - Vermont Veterans' Home

**Budget Object Group: 1. PERSONAL SERVICES** 

Budget Object Rollup Name	FY2024 Actuals	FY2025 Original As Passed Budget	FY2025 Governor's BAA Recommended Budget	FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget	Difference Between FY2026 Governor's Recommend and FY2025 As Passed	Percent Change FY2026 Governor's Recommend and FY2025 As Passed
Salaries and Wages	9,943,951	8,733,232	8,733,232	8,204,868	(528,364)	-6.1%
Fringe Benefits	6,105,804	8,761,990	8,726,058	9,710,847	948,857	10.8%
Contracted and 3rd Party Service	10,138,886	118,000	8,667,157	6,123,160	6,005,160	5,089.1%
PerDiem and Other Personal Services	16,887	18,000	18,000	10,000	(8,000)	-44.4%
Budget Object Group Total: 1. PERSONAL SERVICES	26,205,529	17,631,222	26,144,447	24,048,875	6,417,653	36.4%

## **Budget Object Group: 2. OPERATING**

Budget Object Rollup Name	FY2024 Actuals	FY2025 Original As Passed Budget	FY2025 Governor's BAA Recommended Budget	FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget	Difference Between FY2026 Governor's Recommend and FY2025 As Passed	Percent Change FY2026 Governor's Recommend and FY2025 As Passed
Equipment	98,459	32,000	32,000	38,000	6,000	18.8%
IT/Telecom Services and Equipment	691,705	706,499	706,499	704,951	(1,548)	-0.2%
IT Repair and Maintenance Services	151,143	5,000	5,000	159,000	154,000	3,080.0%
Other Operating Expenses	1,029,455	727,585	1,125,585	1,134,470	406,885	55.9%
Other Rental	107,982	107,100	107,100	165,700	58,600	54.7%
Other Purchased Services	522,040	584,175	584,175	584,876	701	0.1%
Property and Maintenance	438,064	306,500	306,500	945,490	638,990	208.5%
Supplies	2,596,932	2,497,203	3,367,203	3,130,900	633,697	25.4%
Travel	29,905	47,400	47,400	50,500	3,100	6.5%
Budget Object Group Total: 2. OPERATING	5,665,684	5,013,462	6,281,462	6,913,887	1,900,425	37.9%
Total Expenditures	31,871,213	22,644,684	32,425,909	30,962,762	8,318,078	36.7%

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# FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget: Rollup Report

Organization: 03300 - Vermont Veterans' Home

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Position Count	195
FTE Total	194.2

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FTE Total	194.2

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# State of Vermont FY2025 Governor's Recommended Budget Position Summary Report

# 3300010000-Vermont Veterans' Home - Care and Support Services

Position Number	Classification	FTE	Count	Gross Salary	State Benefits	Federally Mandated	Total
620001	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	0.60	1	55,149	39,593	4,219	98,961
620002	000060 - Nurse Supervisor	1.00	1	133,187	35,383	6,368	174,938
620003	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	101,494	42,148	7,765	151,406
620009	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	72,369	20,573	5,536	98,478
620010	000060 - Nurse Supervisor	2.00	2	266,740	81,373	12,754	360,866
620011	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620012	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	47,275	3,879	101,864
620013	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	52,312	15,116	4,002	71,430
620014	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	0.80	1	40,568	23,572	3,103	67,243
620015	459300 - Therapeutic Activity Superviso	1.00	1	78,000	33,957	5,967	117,924
620020	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	104,614	40,672	8,003	153,288
620021	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620022	089050 - Financial Administrator I	1.00	1	56,014	27,977	4,285	88,276
620023	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	51,411	39,888	3,933	95,233
620024	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	94,879	59,289	7,259	161,427
620025	422300 - Therapeutic Activities Aide	1.00	1	46,946	25,509	3,592	76,047
620028	548120 - VVH Institutional Maint Mech	1.00	1	57,595	40,259	4,406	102,260
620031	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620032	000065 - Nurse Manager	1.00	1	121,172	21,487	5,793	148,453
620035	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	47,528	13,815	3,636	64,979
620036	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	26,534	3,879	81,123
620037	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	45,822	37,057	3,505	86,384
620039	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	52,312	47,710	4,002	104,024
620040	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620041	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	104,614	41,196	8,003	153,812
620043	508800 - VVH Licensed Clinical Soc Wkr	1.00	1	62,296	41,537	4,765	108,598
620045	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620046	711300 - Vets Home Food Serv Sup	1.00	1	54,683	27,614	4,183	86,480

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# State of Vermont FY2025 Governor's Recommended Budget Position Summary Report

Position Number	Classification	FTE	Count	Gross Salary	State Benefits	Federally Mandated	Total
620047	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	47,070	37,396	3,601	88,067
620048	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	38,132	3,879	92,721
620049	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620052	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620054	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620056	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620057	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	66,558	30,844	5,092	102,494
620058	000065 - Nurse Manager	1.00	1	66,144	43,919	5,060	115,123
620059	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	26,098	3,757	78,964
620063	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	37,398	34,577	2,861	74,836
620065	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	41,101	22,861	3,144	67,106
620066	800405 - Veterans Home Cook	1.00	1	39,374	11,597	3,012	53,983
620067	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	41,101	11,861	3,144	56,106
620068	422300 - Therapeutic Activities Aide	1.00	1	57,595	28,407	4,406	90,408
620069	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	43,472	28,642	3,325	75,439
620071	548120 - VVH Institutional Maint Mech	1.00	1	42,702	36,208	3,267	82,177
620072	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620073	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	55,049	48,455	4,211	107,715
620074	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620075	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	94,879	59,289	7,259	161,427
620077	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	51,411	39,888	3,933	95,233
620078	000060 - Nurse Supervisor	1.00	1	136,748	56,729	6,538	200,014
620079	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	52,312	38,821	4,002	95,135
620080	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	0.80	1	40,568	23,775	3,103	67,446
620082	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	53,976	39,274	4,130	97,380
620083	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	26,534	3,879	81,123
620084	548120 - VVH Institutional Maint Mech	1.00	1	45,573	25,136	3,487	74,196
620085	462500 - VVH Purchasing Specialist	1.00	1	52,874	31,199	4,045	88,118
620086	508800 - VVH Licensed Clinical Soc Wkr	1.00	1	66,747	30,896	5,106	102,749
620087	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	38,132	3,879	92,721

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620088	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620089	050200 - Administrative Assistant B	1.00	1	49,109	37,950	3,757	90,816
620090	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620091	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	38,132	3,879	92,721
620093	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	26,098	3,757	78,964
620094	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	38,386	3,879	92,975
620095	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620097	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620098	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	34,154	22,030	2,613	58,797
620100	514300 - Behavioral Health Director	1.00	1	103,002	67,849	7,880	178,731
620102	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	101,494	61,088	7,765	170,346
620103	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620104	422300 - Therapeutic Activities Aide	1.00	1	52,894	15,010	4,046	71,950
620105	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620106	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620107	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	55,765	39,760	4,266	99,791
620109	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620110	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620111	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620112	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	55,765	39,760	4,266	99,791
620113	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	52,312	38,821	4,002	95,135
620114	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	94,879	59,289	7,259	161,427
620115	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620117	000067 - Nurse Practitioner	1.00	1	159,694	56,178	12,217	228,089
620118	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	60,549	41,062	4,632	106,243
620119	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	45,997	3,520	95,527
620120	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620121	460800 - VT Vet's Home Nurse Scheduler	1.00	1	69,742	52,451	5,335	127,528
620122	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	55,765	27,908	4,266	87,939
620123	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	47,021	3,879	101,610

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620124	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620125	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	26,534	3,879	81,123
620126	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620127	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	36,296	22,613	2,776	61,685
620128	000700 - Secretary B	1.00	1	43,992	51,798	3,366	99,156
620129	000068 - Nurse Educ AC Infect Control	1.00	1	106,829	53,650	8,172	168,651
620130	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620131	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	26,098	3,757	78,964
620132	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	26,098	3,757	78,964
620133	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620134	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620135	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620136	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	25,256	3,520	74,786
620137	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620138	000060 - Nurse Supervisor	1.00	1	110,456	43,370	5,281	159,107
620139	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	35,214	10,465	2,694	48,373
620140	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	25,852	3,757	78,718
620141	422300 - Therapeutic Activities Aide	1.00	1	55,973	39,817	4,282	100,072
620142	800405 - Veterans Home Cook	1.00	1	46,072	46,013	3,524	95,609
620143	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	37,398	22,912	2,861	63,171
620144	548120 - VVH Institutional Maint Mech	1.00	1	51,501	47,490	3,940	102,931
620145	800405 - Veterans Home Cook	1.00	1	47,549	37,526	3,637	88,712
620146	089040 - Financial Specialist III	1.00	1	52,915	38,985	4,048	95,948
620147	800405 - Veterans Home Cook	1.00	1	44,678	36,745	3,418	84,841
620152	537701 - Master Electrician	1.00	1	49,483	39,360	3,786	92,629
620153	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620156	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	35,214	33,317	2,694	71,225
620157	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620158	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	37,108	3,520	86,638
620159	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	26,534	3,879	81,123

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620160	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620161	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	60,549	29,210	4,632	94,391
620162	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620163	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	51,411	39,888	3,933	95,233
620166	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	51,411	39,888	3,933	95,233
620168	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620169	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	51,411	39,888	3,933	95,233
620170	089030 - Financial Specialist II	1.00	1	47,528	25,668	3,636	76,832
620172	422300 - Therapeutic Activities Aide	1.00	1	42,702	45,097	3,267	91,066
620173	548140 - VVH HVAC Technician	1.00	1	63,939	50,553	4,891	119,383
620175	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	49,109	37,950	3,757	90,816
620176	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620177	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	35,214	22,318	2,694	60,226
620178	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620180	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620181	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620182	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620183	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	25,256	3,520	74,786
620184	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620185	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	45,997	3,520	95,527
620186	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620187	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	13,403	3,520	62,933
620188	000900 - Data and Supply Clerk	1.00	1	52,894	38,980	4,046	95,920
620189	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620190	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620191	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620193	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	50,710	14,681	3,879	69,270
620194	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620195	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620196	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	52,312	26,707	4,002	83,021

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620197	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	113,818	64,440	8,707	186,964
620198	000076 - Nurse Quality Management Admin	1.00	1	109,287	63,209	8,361	180,857
620199	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	107,734	53,897	8,241	169,871
620201	000070 - Nurse Case Manager / URN I	1.00	1	102,857	40,718	7,868	151,443
620202	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620204	000065 - Nurse Manager	1.00	1	125,166	45,871	5,984	177,021
620205	000096 - Associate Nursing Executive	1.00	1	151,351	66,015	11,579	228,945
620206	000070 - Nurse Case Manager / URN I	1.00	1	106,170	41,620	8,122	155,913
620207	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620208	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	1.00	1	83,054	48,549	6,353	137,957
620209	000065 - Nurse Manager	1.00	1	125,166	45,871	5,984	177,021
620211	000060 - Nurse Supervisor	1.00	1	62,296	42,867	4,765	109,928
620213	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	53,976	39,274	4,130	97,380
620214	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620215	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620217	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	72,369	52,804	5,536	130,709
620218	000025 - Licensed Practical Nurse	1.00	1	58,779	40,580	4,496	103,855
620219	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	41,101	23,920	3,144	68,165
620220	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	35,214	10,465	2,694	48,373
620221	548115 - VVH Sr Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	36,213	35,728	2,770	74,711
620222	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620223	548130 - VVH Instit'l Custodial Super	1.00	1	57,346	40,190	4,387	101,923
620224	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	36,296	34,465	2,776	73,537
620225	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	39,811	40,040	3,045	82,896
620226	548115 - VVH Sr Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	42,578	24,108	3,257	69,943
620227	548110 - VVH Institutional Custodian	1.00	1	32,968	34,839	2,522	70,329
620228	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	46,010	37,108	3,520	86,638
620229	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	39,125	230	2,993	42,348
620230	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	35,214	43,059	2,694	80,967
620231	711400 - Food Service Coordinator	1.00	1	48,048	37,662	3,676	89,386

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620233	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	32,968	9,854	2,522	45,344
620234	711410 - VVH Food Service Worker	1.00	1	39,811	35,222	3,045	78,078
620235	000069 - Nurse Educator	1.00	1	110,417	42,774	8,447	161,638
620236	000070 - Nurse Case Manager / URN I	1.00	1	99,375	60,512	7,602	167,489
620237	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620238	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	0.60	1	32,386	33,401	2,478	68,265
620239	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	0.60	1	27,606	8,396	2,112	38,114
620240	000020 - Licensed Nursing Assistant	1.00	1	44,470	37,989	3,402	85,861
620241	000045 - Registered Nurse II - CSN	0.60	1	55,149	48,482	4,219	107,850
620242	000040 - Registered Nurse I - CSN	1.00	1	75,852	46,577	5,803	128,232
627001	00840E - Chief Executive Officer	1.00	1	151,382	59,229	11,581	222,192
627003	91590E - Private Secretary	1.00	1	49,941	38,260	3,820	92,021
627004	91540D - Deputy Chief Executive Officer	1.00	1	113,298	64,490	8,667	186,455
627005	91810E - Financial Director	1.00	1	114,192	43,993	8,736	166,921
627006	91800E - Marketing & Admissions Coord	1.00	1	74,776	53,947	5,720	134,443
627007	91820E - Environmental Services Manager	1.00	1	81,557	47,353	6,240	135,150
627008	91830E - Nursing Services Director	1.00	1	147,493	64,712	11,284	223,489
Total		194.00	196	11,843,802	7,405,706	876,824	20,126,342

Fund Code	Fund Name	FTE	Count	Gross Salary	State Benefits	Federally Mandated	Total
91010	VT Veterans' Home - Special	194.00	196	11,843,802	7,405,706	876,824	20,126,342
Total		194.00	196	11,843,802	7,405,706	876,824	20,126,342

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# FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget Federal Receipts Inventory Report



# 3300010000 - Vermont Veterans' Home - Care and Support Services

Budget Request Code	Fund	Justification	Budgeted Amount
15492	91020	Estimated Net Revenue from Medicare	\$520,125
15492	91020	Estimated VA Stipend from VA for non-service connected veterans	\$2,743,275
15492	91020	Estimated Net Revenue from VA for Service Connected Veterans	\$4,866,618
		Total	\$8,130,018

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# State of Vermont FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget Grants Out Inventory Report



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# State of Vermont FY2026 Governor's Recommended Budget Interdepartmental Transfers Inventory Report



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