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Compensation and Pension Entitlement	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
March 29, 2010	511,276	196,984	38.5%
		# Pending	

Compensation and Pension Rating Bundle

Pending Over 125 % Over 125 490,629 186,090 37.9%

Compensation

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Entitlement (Original and Supplemental)		442,139	172,103	38.9%
Original Entitlement - Veterans ¹				
Initial entitlement decisions for Voc Rehab	095	684	99	14.5%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (=>8)	010	27,644	12,811	46.3%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (<=7)	110	104,333	42,704	40.9%
Original Entitlement - Survivors ²				
Initial claims from surviving spouses, children or parents	140	14,328	5,936	41.4%
Initial claims from children Veterans with Spina bifida and/or birth defects	410	55	13	23.6%
Supplemental Entitlement				
Increased evaluation and/or additional claimed conditions	020	293,615	110,321	37.6%
Increased entitlement due to hospitalization or surgery	320	1,460	214	14.7%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects reconsideration	420	20	5	25.0%

¹ First claim filed by a Veteran for benefits (including Voc Rehab memo ratings) based upon the effects of disabilities, diseases, or injuries incurred or aggravated during active military service.

² First claim received from surviving spouses, dependent children and dependent parents based upon the Veteran's death due to service-related causes.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Award Adjustments		115,615	34,512	29.9%
Dependency	130	39,237	9,680	24.7%
Survivor restored entitlement	133	7	4	57.1%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	115	31	27.0%
Misc determinations	290	41,033	18,350	44.7%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects adjustments	450	2	1	50.0%
Future examination for disabilities	310	11,966	2,307	19.3%
Due process	600	23,255	4,139	17.8%

Involves the modification of benefits based not upon entitlement (in the majority of cases a rating to determine service connection and/or to assign a degree of disability is not required), but upon additional ancillary factors. Such activity usually occurs when a Veteran or survivor is currently entitled and receiving benefits. Some compensation award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Program Reviews		49,411	18,600	37.6%
Income verification for unemployability	314	439	432	98.4%
Review of Hemodialysis related cases/conditions	680	31,938	11,101	34.8%
Review of Radiation related cases/conditions	682	698	632	90.5%
Review of Misc cases referred to central office	684	73	72	98.6%
Review of effective date related to herbicide exposure	685	8	7	87.5%
Cost of Living Adjustments (COLAs) and other reviews	690	4,151	1,301	31.3%
Social Security number verification	690 Group	12,104	5,055	41.8%

These actions are not initiated by Veterans or survivors. All program review actions are initiated by internal VBA controls and mandates. These actions are classified as internal controls necessary to audit, review, and ensure that benefits and entitlements are proper and the intent of laws and regulations is being followed.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Other		34,771	17,672	50.8%
Pre-decisional hearings	173	1,412	829	58.7%
Correspondence	400	2,951	1,170	39.6%
Congressional correspondence	500	474	22	4.6%
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests	510	14,991	5,191	34.6%
Review, including quality assurance	930	14,795	10,405	70.3%
Correction of errors	960	148	55	37.2%
Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.				

Pension

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Entitlement		69,137	24,881	36.0%
Increased entitlement and/or reconsideration	120	23,107	7,841	33.9%
Initial entitlement - Veteran	180	14,176	3,956	27.9%
Initial entitlement - Survivor	190	31,854	13,084	41.1%
Claims for benefits from Veterans and survivors that have never before applied for pension, as well				

as claims for benefits from veterans and survivors that have never before applied for pension, as we as claims for aid and attendance, and housebound benefits. Some pension entitlement claims require a rating decision.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Award Adjustments		116,007	27,953	24.1%
Annual eligibility verification reporting - no adjustment	050	0	0	0.0%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	1,972	402	20.4%
Dependency	137	8,846	4,235	47.9%
Income adjustments	150	41,656	14,670	35.2%
Annual eligibility verification reporting (EVRs)	155	38,165	3	0.0%
Misc determinations	297	9,036	3,379	37.4%
Due process	607	16,332	5,264	32.2%

Involve the modification of benefits based upon income changes. Such pension award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.

EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Program Reviews	20,071	19,813	98.7%
Income Verification Match 154	19,787	19,787	100.0%
Cost of Living Adjustments 696	63	8	12.7%
Non-entitlement reviews 697	221	18	8.1%

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	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
Other		4,011	2,508	62.5%
Correspondence	407	1,837	1,466	79.8%
Congressional correspondence	507	520	39	7.5%
Internal quality reviews	937	1,654	1,003	60.6%
Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.				

Additional Compensation, Pension and Education Workload

Burial	EP	# Pending
Bullar	160	27,545
Provides honor and assistance with the burial of Veterans through an enhanced those whose post-service death was due to or hastened by a service-connected burial program also provides a lesser burial and/or plot allowance to assist with Veterans not entitled to the service-connected burial benefit.	d disability.	The

Accrued	EP	# Pending
Accided		3,625
Benefits not paid prior to the death of a Veteran or survivor based upon a pend	ng claim a	t the time
of death which is later granted.		

Appeals	EP	# Pending
March 29, 2010	NA	188,143
Appealed cases include compensation, pension, burial, and accrued benefits a	nd decisio	ns.

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Education	Туре	# Pending
	Ch 33	4,945
	All	70,123
Chapter 33 is the new Post-9/11GI Bill. "All" represents all Education Benefit P Chapter 33 claims.	rograms Ir	cluding

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Monday Morning Workload Report

COMPENSATION AND PENSION INVENTORY

March 29, 2010

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	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	All cor Vetera
USA	511,276	196,984	38.5%	

All compensation and pension claims nationwide that require a rating decision (majority) which is the legal decision that obligates the Department of Veteran Affairs to the Veteran and/or beneficiary that claimed benefits. These are the *initial* claims that establish entitlement.

	E	Intitlement		Awa	ard Adjustm	ent	Pro	gram Revie	W		Other		Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
USA	442,139	172,103	38.9%	115,615	34,512	29.9%	49,411	18,600	37.6%	34,771	17,672	50.8%	4,066	140	186,649
EASTERN AREA	93,873	40,879	43.5%	20,135	6,467	32.1%	11,556	4,951	42.8%	5,008	3,017	60.2%	221	24	33,612
Baltimore	9,222	5,393	58.5%	2,154	987	45.8%	2,806	2,087	74.4%	462	379	82.0%	6	3	2,433
Boston	4,998	2,143	42.9%	823	228	27.7%	782	386	49.4%	370	209	56.5%	1	3	2,385
Buffalo	5,216	2,291	43.9%	1,587	509	32.1%	658	190	28.9%	243	162	66.7%	1	-	696
Cleveland	11,360	4,220	37.1%	1,781	208	11.7%	1,396	430	30.8%	447	251	56.2%	-	-	6,248
Detroit	13,191	6,303	47.8%	2,003	442	22.1%	1,176	202	17.2%	636	388	61.0%	-	-	4,345
Hartford	1,616	427	26.4%	424	53	12.5%	293	76	25.9%	107	37	34.6%	1	1	1,067
Indianapolis	11,109	5,187	46.7%	2,894	986	34.1%	989	353	35.7%	692	360	52.0%	-	-	3,167
Manchester	1,516	593	39.1%	443	74	16.7%	53	9	17.0%	93	42	45.2%	18	2	699
New York	8,417	3,982	47.3%	2,071	730	35.2%	558	219	39.2%	572	365	63.8%	5	-	2,908
Newark	3,423	1,404	41.0%	535	119	22.2%	166	84	50.6%	204	128	62.7%	-	1	1,388
Philadelphia	13,685	5,320	38.9%	1,377	269	19.5%	923	335	36.3%	435	294	67.6%	127	-	3,094
Pittsburgh	4,775	1,982	41.5%	2,687	1,607	59.8%	959	398	41.5%	256	172	67.2%	6	13	2,545
Providence	1,557	379	24.3%	380	90	23.7%	176	62	35.2%	176	91	51.7%	8	1	1,239
Togus	2,159	564	26.1%	564	55	9.8%	466	87	18.7%	175	73	41.7%	-	-	662
White River J.	934	518	55.5%	189	59	31.2%	62	11	17.7%	51	39	76.5%	47	-	358
Wilmington	695	173	24.9%	223	51	22.9%	93	22	23.7%	89	27	30.3%	1	-	378
SOUTHERN AREA	139,538	54,579	39.1%	33,359	7,161	21.5%	17,413	7,183	41.3%	12,954	7,587	58.6%	508	23	51,806
Atlanta	18,987	8,040	42.3%	3,662	645	17.6%	1,925	808	42.0%	2,093	1,474	70.4%	-	-	6,972
Columbia	10,629	3,692	34.7%	1,761	213	12.1%	1,035	307	29.7%	1,496	767	51.3%	2	5	3,204
Huntington	2,395	364	15.2%	667	89	13.3%	460	145	31.5%	294	128	43.5%	-	-	2,323
Jackson	6,965	3,686	52.9%	1,496	318	21.3%	1,161	745	64.2%	286	184	64.3%	16	1	2,759
Louisville	5,504	1,534	27.9%	1,616	247	15.3%	1,071	231	21.6%	207	131	63.3%	-	1	1,484
Montgomery	11,494	6,298	54.8%	4,158	1,416	34.1%	2,785	1,268	45.5%	1,423	892	62.7%	1	-	7,847
Nashville	8,206	2,108	25.7%	1,452	91	6.3%	1,907	1,351	70.8%	422	208	49.3%	-	1	4,063
Roanoke	14,122	5,762	40.8%	1,831	210	11.5%	1,520	318	20.9%	519	299	57.6%	2	2	4,650
San Juan	3,986	1,642	41.2%	637	76	11.9%	193	66	34.2%	246	165	67.1%	-	-	3,711
St. Petersburg	29,798	11,612	39.0%	6,437	1,346	20.9%	3,340	1,343	40.2%	4,753	2,944	61.9%	11	6	8,652
Washington	16	11	68.8%	9	7	77.8%	185	35	18.9%	5	5	100.0%	473	-	11
Winston-Salem	27,436	9,830	35.8%	9,633	2,503	26.0%	1,831	566	30.9%	1,210	390	32.2%	3	7	6,130

COMPENSATION INVENTORY

	Entitlement Award Advectore											Durial	Anneals		
	Entitlement			Award Adjustment			Program Review				Other		Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
CENTRAL AREA	115,691	42,069	36.4%	21,642	4,768	22.0%	11,354	3,355	29.5%	8,686	4,061	46.8%	3,017	17	44,996
Chicago	9,349	3,422	36.6%	2,465	577	23.4%	1,280	559	43.7%	1,092	526	48.2%	1	-	5,591
Des Moines	3,594	1,134	31.6%	544	113	20.8%	399	54	13.5%	131	54	41.2%	-	1	1,443
Fargo	1,255	233	18.6%	267	19	7.1%	249	60	24.1%	52	15	28.8%	1	-	241
Houston	21,936	10,689	48.7%	6,591	2,635	40.0%	1,066	317	29.7%	2,412	1,259	52.2%	1	-	11,346
Lincoln	2,049	204	10.0%	429	15	3.5%	275	70	25.5%	403	165	40.9%	572	1	1,189
Little Rock	5,530	1,990	36.0%	1,282	322	25.1%	458	158	34.5%	679	420	61.9%	13	5	2,498
Milwaukee	12,431	4,949	39.8%	1,046	84	8.0%	1,180	459	38.9%	546	127	23.3%	2,392	-	2,012
Muskogee	7,489	1,900	25.4%	1,371	66	4.8%	1,330	423	31.8%	496	182	36.7%	-	-	3,009
New Orleans	5,780	1,983	34.3%	927	115	12.4%	662	53	8.0%	207	106	51.2%	-	-	2,597
Sioux Falls	1,021	203	19.9%	219	22	10.0%	253	54	21.3%	64	7	10.9%	-	3	209
St. Louis	9,412	3,217	34.2%	2,031	480	23.6%	1,184	266	22.5%	612	303	49.5%	9	3	3,744
St. Paul	11,948	3,295	27.6%	997	56	5.6%	1,195	384	32.1%	375	159	42.4%	28	-	1,256
Waco	20,556	7,515	36.6%	2,669	203	7.6%	1,456	383	26.3%	1,174	408	34.8%	-	3	8,872
Wichita	3,341	1,335	40.0%	804	61	7.6%	367	115	31.3%	443	330	74.5%	-	1	989
WESTERN AREA	93,036	34,575	37.2%	40,470	16,115	39.8%	9,078	3,101	34.2%	8,091	3,002	37.1%	316	75	35,082
Albuquerque	3,378	1,313	38.9%	480	36	7.5%	188	26	13.8%	276	106	38.4%	-	-	1,928
Anchorage	1,395	575	41.2%	709	266	37.5%	218	55	25.2%	109	83	76.1%	-	-	199
Boise	1,536	261	17.0%	486	61	12.6%	207	41	19.8%	125	42	33.6%	-	-	556
Denver	6,338	1,917	30.2%	1,492	166	11.1%	1,440	341	23.7%	254	73	28.7%	-	3	3,159
Cheyenne	882	327	37.1%	325	163	50.2%	173	46	26.6%	96	26	27.1%	2	-	238
Fort Harrison	1,515	302	19.9%	274	13	4.7%	187	59	31.6%	111	15	13.5%	-	-	292
Honolulu	3,259	1,482	45.5%	558	58	10.4%	237	55	23.2%	311	218	70.1%	-	-	668
Los Angeles	9,978	4,396	44.1%	2,780	767	27.6%	303	133	43.9%	1,275	600	47.1%	2	1	5,415
Manila	1,733	418	24.1%	17,054	10,086	59.1%	70	36	51.4%	707	311	44.0%	302	57	1,540
Oakland	15,053	7,247	48.1%	3,046	1,003	32.9%	1,181	516	43.7%	1,038	515	49.6%	5	4	4,559
Phoenix	8,831	2,870	32.5%	1,166	108	9.3%	783	233	29.8%	711	257	36.1%	-	-	3,185
Portland	6,419	2,003	31.2%	2,313	757	32.7%	501	86	17.2%	603	196	32.5%	1	4	3,716
Reno	4,662	2,096	45.0%	718	79	11.0%	365	100	27.4%	131	41	31.3%	1	-	1,042
Salt Lake City	4,666	1,190	25.5%	1,422	220	15.5%	239	39	16.3%	496	120	24.2%	-	1	1,532
San Diego	12,749	3,575	28.0%	1,616	81	5.0%	1,087	270	24.8%	933	171	18.3%	-	-	2,968
Seattle	10,642	4,603	43.3%	6,031	2,251	37.3%	1,899	1,065	56.1%	915	228	24.9%	3	5	4,085
Other	1	1	100.0%	9	1	11.1%	10	10	100.0%	32	5	15.6%	4	1	21,153

PENSION INVENTORY

	Entitlement			Aw	Award Adjustment			Program Review			Other			Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
USA (PMC's)	69,137	24,881	36.0%	116,007	27,953	24.1%	20,071	19,813	98.7%	4,011	2,508	62.5%	23,481	3,485	1,494
Philadelphia	29,882	12,230	40.9%	58,909	15,381	26.1%	8,964	8,962	100.0%	1,510	681	45.1%	13,619	1,834	536
Milwaukee	17,214	4,694	27.3%	29,355	7,621	26.0%	4,294	4,242	98.8%	470	219	46.6%	2,588	734	406
St. Paul	21,316	7,776	36.5%	26,669	4,812	18.0%	6,779	6,576	97.0%	1,858	1,549	83.4%	7,245	917	552
Other (in transit)	725	181	25.0%	1,074	139	12.9%	34	33	97.1%	173	59	34.1%	29	N/A	N/A

EDUCATION INVENTORY

	C	hapter 33 Cla	aims Pendir	ng	*All Claims Pending							
	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change				
USA (Education)	4,945	5,363	(418)	-7.8%	70,123	76,285	(6,162)	-8.1%				
Buffalo	837	1,131	(294)	-26.0%	17,158	21,627	(4,469)	-20.7%				
Atlanta	1,013	912	101	11.1%	18,481	20,256	(1,775)	-8.8%				
St Louis	904	1,123	(219)	-19.5%	11,364	11,195	169	1.5%				
Muskogee	2,191	2,197	(6)	-0.3%	23,120	23,207	(87)	-0.4%				
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