The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Manila Regional Office and Outpatient Clinic is the only VA office located outside United States or its territories. VA has had a presence in the Philippines since 1922, marking its 98th anniversary in the Philippines in 2020.

The VA Manila Regional Office and Outpatient Clinic provides world-class health care, benefits and services to thousands of U.S. Veterans living in the Philippines.

VA Manila employs 165 staff. All but 8 are Filipino citizens working side by side with their American counterparts to serve Veterans of both countries.

VA has a sizable economic impact on the Philippines and a significant positive impact on the thousands of Veterans and beneficiaries it serves in the Philippines.

VA Manila pays out over $20 million per month in disability compensation, pension or death benefits to 11,985 beneficiaries.

### VA Benefits & Services Provided by VA Manila FY 2020

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18,987 eligible Filipino WW II Veterans or their survivors have received a total of $226 million in one-time FVEC payments since 2009.

In FY 2020, 5,386 U.S. Veterans were registered in VA Manila’s Outpatient Clinic.

For more information, visit the U.S. Embassy Manila website at:

- [https://ph.usembassy.gov](https://ph.usembassy.gov)
- [http://www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

Data as of September 2020