

## 2020 VA PENSION RATES/INCOME LIMITS

Effective 12/1/19

Veteran									
	Annual			Monthly					
	Standard	House Bound	Aid & Attendance		Standard	House Bound	Aid & Attendance	5% Medical	
<b>Alone</b>	\$13,752	\$16,805	\$22,939		\$1,127	\$1,400	\$1,911	\$57	
1 Dep.	\$18,008	\$21,063	\$27,195		\$1,500	\$1,755	\$2,266	\$75	
2 Dep.	\$20,359	\$23,414	\$29,546		\$1,695	\$1,950	\$2,461	\$85	
3 Dep.	\$22,710	\$25,765	\$31,867		\$1,890	\$2,145	\$2,656	\$95	
	For each additional child add: \$2,351 (Annual)				For each additional child add: \$195 (Monthly)				
<b>Surviving Spouse</b>									
	Annual				Monthly				
	Standard	House Bound	Aid & Attendance		Standard	House Bound	Aid & Attendance	5% Medical	
<b>Alone</b>	\$9224	\$11,273	\$14,742		\$768	\$939	\$1,228	\$38	
1 Dep.	\$12,072	\$14,116	\$17,586		\$1,006	\$1,176	\$1,465	\$50	
2 Dep.	\$14,423	\$16,467	\$19,937		\$1,301	\$1,371	\$1,660	\$65	
3 Dep.	\$16,774	\$18,818	\$22,288		\$1,496	\$1,556	\$1,855	\$748	
	Each additional child add: \$2,351 (Annual)								
	38 CFR 3.272(j)(1) Child Deduction Earned income = \$7,200								

**Medical Expenses must exceed 5% to be deducted from Maximum Annual Pension Rate**

**The Standard Medicare deduction Part "B" = \$144.60**

**If Veteran was 100% PERMANENT & TOTAL FOR AT LEAST 10 YEARS, then widow is eligible for DIC= \$1,340**

**The widow is eligible for an additional \$284.57/month if she was married to the veteran for 8 YEARS.**

**Any additional school child add \$585.66; Helpless child add \$565.84: 38 USC1311(a)(1)**

### HOUSEBOUND

*DIC Housebound ADD \$155.53/month*

**You must meet one of the following conditions to receive the Housebound benefit:**

Your disability confines you to your home, OR

You have one condition rated 100% disabling AND another condition rated 60% or more disabling

### AID & ATTENDANCE

*DIC A&A ADD \$332.00/month*

You must meet one of the following conditions to receive the Aid & Attendance benefit:

You need constant help with your daily needs such as bathing, dressing or eating, OR You are blind, OR You are a patient in a nursing home