

Volunteering in America: Rankings

State ranking by volunteer rate

Rank	State	Rate
1	Utah	51.0%
2	Minnesota	45.1%
3	Oregon	43.2%
4	Iowa	41.5%
5	Alaska	40.6%
6	Nebraska	40.2%
7	District of Columbia	39.8%
8	Montana	38.8%
9	Maine	38.7%
10	Idaho	37.9%
11	North Dakota	37.4%
12	Wisconsin	37.4%
13	Kansas	36.5%
14	Maryland	36.3%
15	South Dakota	36.3%
16	Vermont	36.0%
17	Washington	35.7%
18	New Hampshire	35.7%
19	North Carolina	35.1%
20	Indiana	34.9%
21	Pennsylvania	34.2%
22	Virginia	34.0%
23	Ohio	33.2%
24	Wyoming	32.7%



25	Massachusetts	32.6%
26	Colorado	32.4%
27	Oklahoma	32.0%
28	Missouri	31.9%
29	Delaware	31.8%
30	Connecticut	31.8%
31	Tennessee	31.3%
32	South Carolina	30.8%
33	Rhode Island	30.7%
34	Arizona	30.0%
35	Arkansas	30.0%
36	Michigan	29.4%
37	Texas	28.4%
38	Illinois	28.1%
39	Kentucky	28.1%
40	West Virginia	28.1%
41	Hawaii	28.0%
42	Alabama	27.4%
43	New Mexico	27.1%
44	Georgia	26.5%
45	New Jersey	26.1%
46	Louisiana	25.8%
47	California	25.4%
48	New York	25.3%
49	Nevada	24.4%
50	Mississippi	23.8%



City ranking by volunteer rate

Rank	MSA	Rate
1	Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI Metro Area	46.3%
2	Rochester, NY Metro Area	45.6%
3	Salt Lake City, UT Metro Area	45.0%
4	Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI Metro Area	44.6%
5	Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA Metro Area	44.3%
6	Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN Metro Area	43.3%
7	Pittsburgh, PA Metro Area	38.1%
8	Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA Metro Area	38.1%
9	Raleigh, NC Metro Area	38.0%
10	Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD Metro Area	37.6%
11	Kansas City, MO-KS Metro Area	37.4%
12	Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA-NH Metro Area	35.9%
13	Birmingham-Hoover, AL Metro Area	35.6%
14	Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN Metro Area	35.1%
15	Nashville-DavidsonMurfreesboroFranklin, TN Metro Area	34.7%
16	Memphis, TN-MS-AR Metro Area	34.1%
17	Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD Metro Area	33.5%
18	San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA Metro Area	33.0%
19	Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT Metro Area	32.8%
20	Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC Metro Area	32.6%
21	Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ Metro Area	32.3%
22	Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC Metro Area	31.8%
23	Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX Metro Area	31.1%
24	Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN Metro Area	31.1%
25	St. Louis, MO-IL Metro Area	31.1%
26	Austin-Round Rock, TX Metro Area	30.6%
27	Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO Metro Area	30.6%
28	Columbus, OH Metro Area	30.5%



29	Cleveland-Elyria, OH Metro Area	30.1%
30	Providence-Warwick, RI-MA Metro Area	29.8%
31	Oklahoma City, OK Metro Area	28.6%
32	Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Metro Area	27.3%
33	Jacksonville, FL Metro Area	27.1%
34	Detroit-Warren-Dearborn, MI Metro Area	26.9%
35	Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA Metro Area	26.8%
36	San Francisco-Oakland-Hayward, CA Metro Area	26.4%
37	Richmond, VA Metro Area	25.8%
38	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL Metro Area	25.7%
39	Chicago-Naperville-Elgin, IL-IN-WI Metro Area	25.6%
40	SacramentoRosevilleArden-Arcade, CA Metro Area	25.5%
41	San Diego-Carlsbad, CA Metro Area	25.5%
42	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL Metro Area	24.6%
43	Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA Metro Area	24.6%
44	San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX Metro Area	24.6%
45	New Orleans-Metairie, LA Metro Area	24.4%
46	Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA Metro Area	24.1%
47	New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA Metro Area	23.3%
48	Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY Metro Area	23.2%
49	Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV Metro Area	20.6%
50	Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach, FL Metro Area	18.7%



State ranking by parent volunteer rate

Rank	State	Rate
1	Utah	63.5%
2	Iowa	58.2%
3	Oregon	58.0%
4	Minnesota	56.1%
5	Nebraska	51.4%
6	Alaska	49.8%
7	Ohio	49.3%
8	Wisconsin	49.2%
9	Montana	48.3%
10	Vermont	48.2%
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45	Arizona	34.5%
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50	Mississippi	32.2%
51	New Mexico	29.1%



Top 20 States – veteran volunteer rate

Rank	State	Rate
1	New Hampshire	37.0%
2	Virginia	36.3%
3	Oklahoma	35.0%
4	Pennsylvania	33.9%
5	Washington	31.4%
6	Wyoming	30.9%
7	Florida	30.9%
8	Montana	30.7%
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