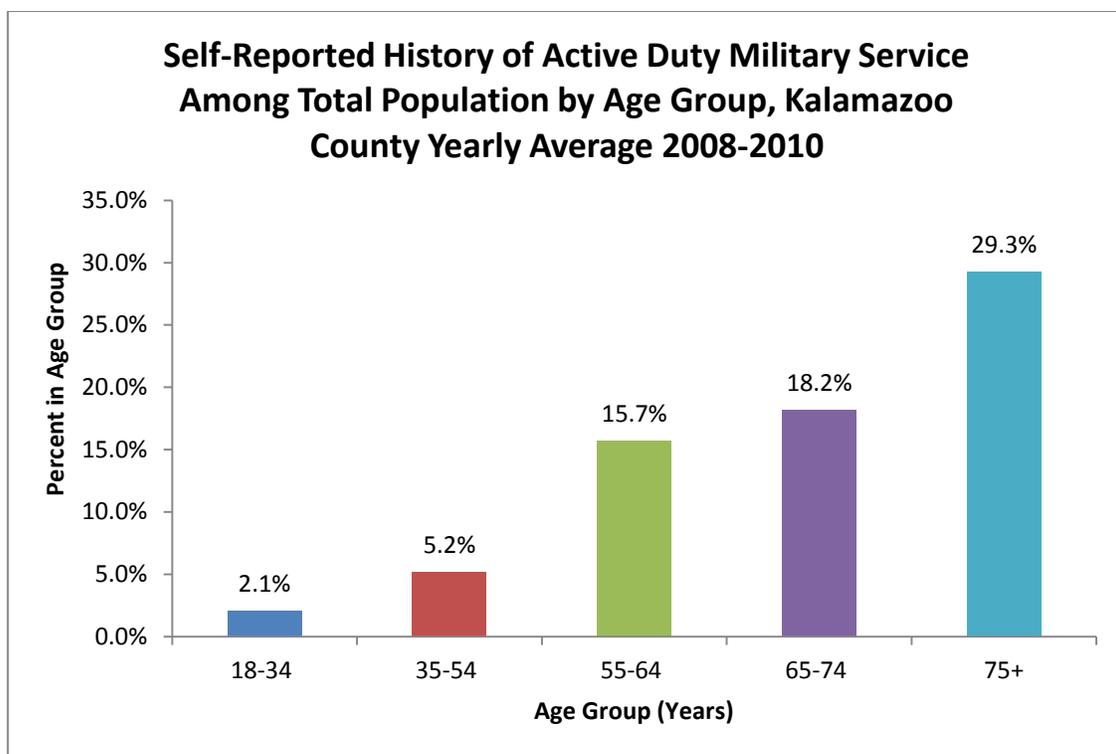


1.8 Veterans

1.8.1 Active Duty Service

In Kalamazoo County, 8.5% of adults (age 18+) reported ever having served in the military on active duty from the American Community Survey estimations per year from 2008-2010. Having served active duty was more common among adults over the age of 55 years than among younger adults.



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 3-Year Estimates, 2008-2010, B21001

**Self-Reported History of Active Duty Military Service Among Civilians
Age 18 Years and Over, Kalamazoo County, 2008-2010**

Demographic Characteristics	Number of Veterans	% of Total Civilian Population
Age:		
18-34 Years	1,446	2.1%
35-54 Years	3,316	5.2%
55-64 Years	4,344	15.7%
65-74 Years	2,836	18.2%
75+Years	4,301	29.3%
Sex:		
Male	15,272	16.5%
Female	971	1.0%
Race:		
White	14,904	9.1%
Black	976	5.4%
Median Income (2010)*:		
Male		\$32,214
Female		\$19,375

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 3-Year Estimates, 2008-2010, B21001, B21004

*Among veterans