

Housebound Benefit

The VA may pay out a higher amount of pension benefit if the veteran or surviving spouse is deemed permanently housebound. This means that they are substantially confined to their house or immediate premises due to disability(ies) which will remain throughout their lives.

Eligibility:

- Veteran/Surviving Spouse must be in need of ADL's (Activities of Daily Living) as outlined on [VA Form 21-2680](#)
- Must be incurring the cost of the assistance (CNA, Nursing, etc.)
- Income and Assets under \$130,778
- For surviving spouse, must not be remarried

Aid and Attendance

The VA will pay an even higher amount of pension benefit if the veteran or surviving spouse requires constant aid and attendance of another person. This means that they are in need of Assisted Living or a Nursing Facility.

Eligibility:

- Veteran/Surviving Spouse must be in need of ADL's (Activities of Daily Living) as outlined on [VA Form 21-2680](#)
- Must be incurring the cost of the assistance (Assisted Living/Nursing Facility)
- Income and Assets under \$130,778
- For surviving spouse, must not be remarried

*Yearly Pension rates can be found [HERE](#)

***Please contact our office for assistance with these benefits**