

2019 Income Entitlement Limits & Maximum Annual Pension Rates (MAPR) for VA Improved Pension

<i>If the claimant is...</i>	<i>The annual household income must be less than, and the maximum pension rate is:</i>	<i>5% of the MAPR (the five percent deductible) is</i>
Veteran: Single	\$13,535	\$676 per year
Veteran: Single, Housebound	\$16,540	
Veteran: Single, Needs A&A	\$22,577	
Veteran: Married	\$17,724	\$886 per year
Veteran: Married, Housebound	\$20,731	
Veteran: Married, Needs A&A	\$26,766	
Surviving Spouse	\$9,078	\$453 per year
Surviving Spouse: Housebound	\$11,095	
Surviving Spouse: Needs A&A	\$14,509	

** Higher limits are applicable to claimants with dependent children.

Net worth limits:

- \$123,600 effective 10/18/2018
- \$127,061 effective 12/01/2018

Transfer penalty divisor:

- \$2,169 effective 10/18/2018
- \$2,230 effective 12/01/2018