

Reserve Spouse Demographics

37yrs

the average age of Reserve spouses

The average Reserve spouse has been a military spouse for

of Reserve spouses





There are 367,706* Reserve component spouses.



Well-being



of Reserve spouses indicated that their health is very good or excellent

Less than usual

More than usual

Current Level of Personal Stress



83%

of Reserve spouses reported being satisfied with their marriage

About the same

as usual



68%

of Reserve spouses reported that they are financially comfortable

RESOURCES FOR SPOUSES

Need information or resources to support your life as a military spouse? Information and resources for parenting, spouse education and employment, managing stress, and more can be found at:



800-342-9647

www.militaryonesource.mil

Education and Employment

of Reserve spouses have at least a bachelor's degree

21%

of Reserve spouses have an advanced degree such as master's degree. PhD, JD, or other professional degree



of civilian Reserve spouses are unemployed despite seeking/wanting employment[†]



13% 49% 37%



*This data point taken from the 2016 Demographics Profile of the Military Community. Data presented are from the 2017 Survey of Reserve Component Spouses