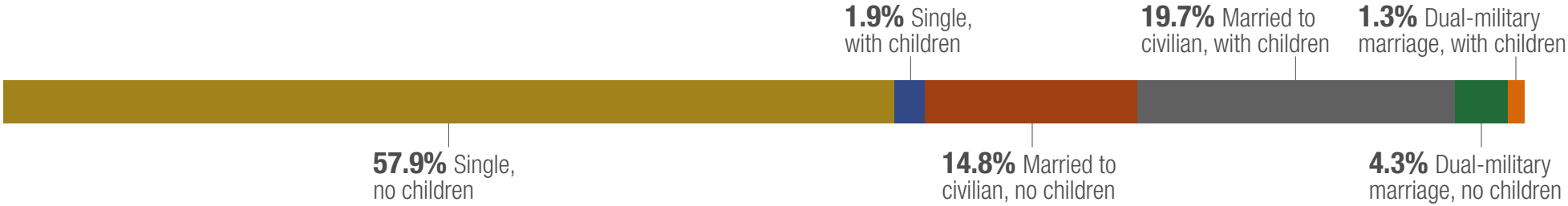
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2025 DEMOGRAPHICS PROFILE

MARINE CORPS FAMILIES

There are 142,880 Marine Corps family members. 44.8% of Marine Corps family members are spouses, 55.1% are children, and 0.1% are adult dependents.

Family Status (n = 173,249 members)



Marine Corps Spouses (n = 63,954)

40.2% of Marine Corps members are married

5.9% of spouses are men

94.1% of spouses are women

29.5 Average age of spouses

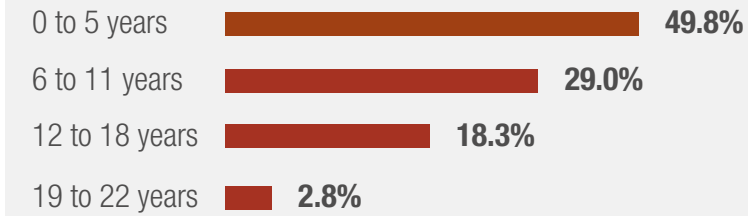
54% Civilian spouse employment

Marine Corps Children (n = 78,760)

23.0% Marine Corps members with children

Marine Corps members with children have an average of **2.0** children

Children in each age group



Marine Corps Adult Dependents (n = 166)

83.7% Over the age of 50

81.3% of adult dependents are women

31.9% of adult dependents are associated with Marine Corps members in the E7-E9 pay grades

Source: 2025 Demographics Profile of the Military Community (Department of War); https://download.militaryonesource.mil/12038/MOS/Reports/2025-demographics-report.pdf