

2022 | Portrait of Hispanic Service Members



Captain Kathlene Contres

Contres was the highest-ranking female Hispanic American officer in the U.S. Navy until her retirement and the first Hispanic American female officer to command the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute.



Rear Admiral Yvette Davids

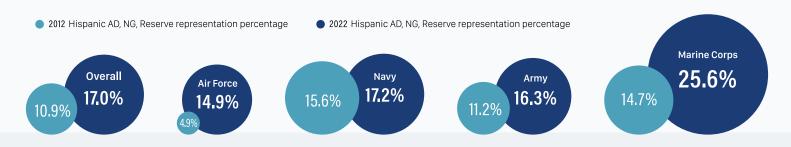
Davids is a U.S. Navy Rear Admiral and the first Hispanic American woman to command a Navy warship, the frigate USS Curts (FFG-38). Davids assumed duties as Chief of Staff, U.S. Southern Command in June 2020.



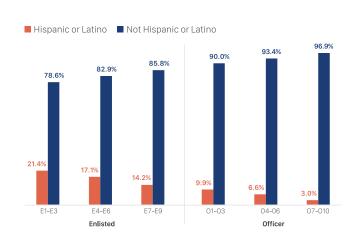
Major Oscar Francis Perdomo

Perdomo was a U.S. Air Force officer and fighter pilot who was the last "ace in a day" for the United States in World War II. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and the Air Medal with one oak leaf cluster.

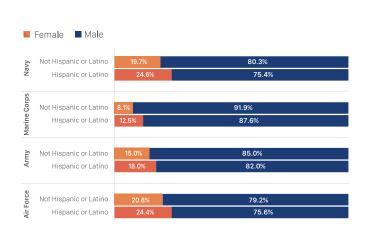
10-Year change in Hispanic Active Duty (AD), National Guard (NG), and Reserve representation



Hispanic representation by pay grade



Hispanic representation by gender and Service





2022 | Portrait of Hispanic DoD/Other Government Civilians



The Hon Carlos Del Toro

Del Toro is the 78th U.S. Secretary of the Navy. He has prioritized addressing current issues such as climate instability and the impact of Covid-19. Previously he served as a Naval Officer with the Office of the Secretary of Navy.



Dr. Héctor García

Garcia was a physician who served in World War II and an advocate for Hispanic veterans' civil rights. He founded the American GI Forum and led Hispanic veterans in the fight for civil rights. In 1984, he became the first Mexican American to receive the Presidential Medal of Freedom.



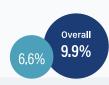
Octaviano Larrazolo

Larrazolo was a Mexican American teacher, lawyer, and activist. In 1928, he became the first Hispanic elected to the U.S. Senate. Larrazolo was also a vocal and active champion of equal opportunity and defender of civil rights for Hispanics in the United States.

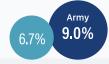
10-Year change in Hispanic civilian representation



2022 Hispanic civilian representation percentage

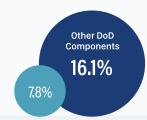












Hispanic civilian representation by pay plan

■ Hispanic or Latino ■ Not Hispanic or Latino ■ Unknown 4.6% 3.1% 2.7% 84.6% 87.1% 89.0% General Schedule SES Wage Grade

Hispanic civilian representation by gender and service

