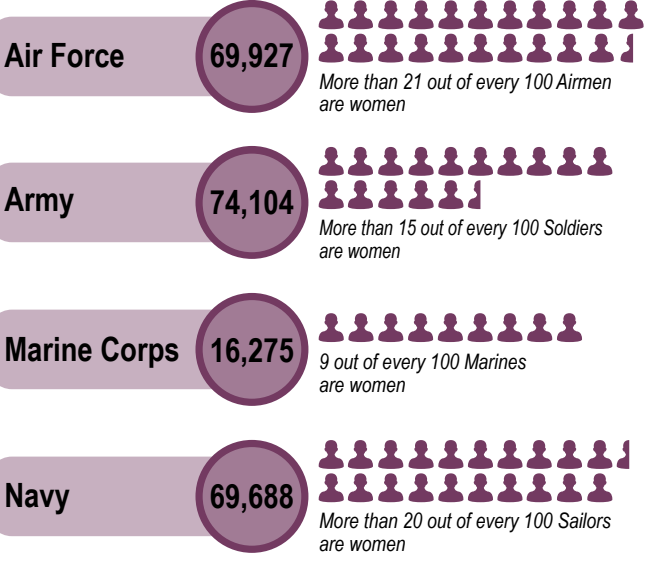




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Portrait of Active Duty Women

Sarah Emma Edmonds fought in the Civil War disguised as a man and later received a government pension for her service.



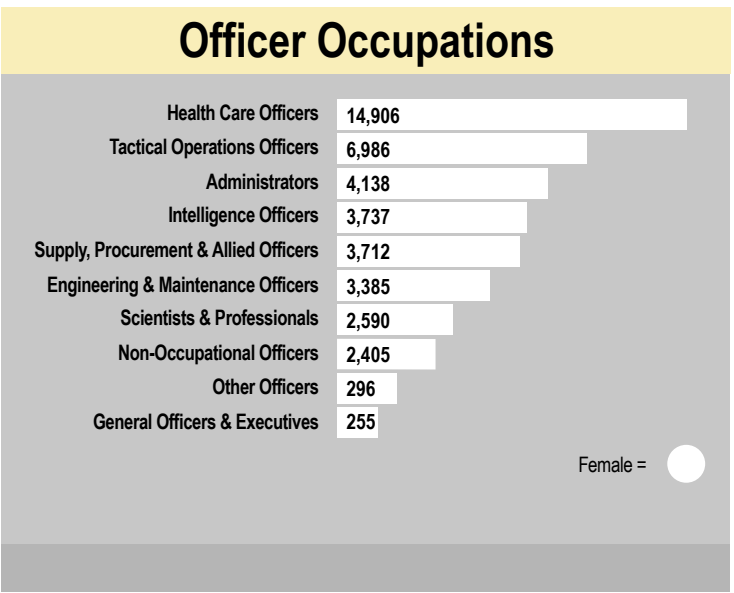
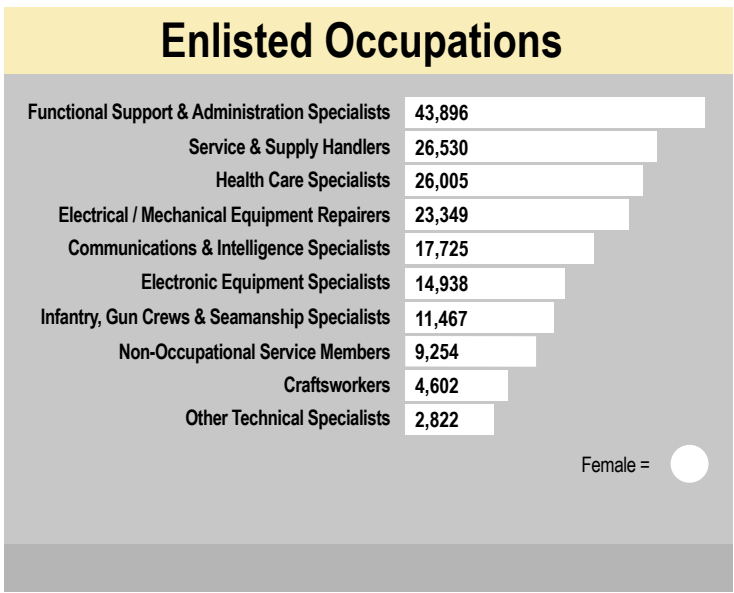
In 1972, Alene Duerk became the U.S. Navy's first female admiral. She served as the Director of the U.S. Navy Nurse Corps from 1970 to 1975.



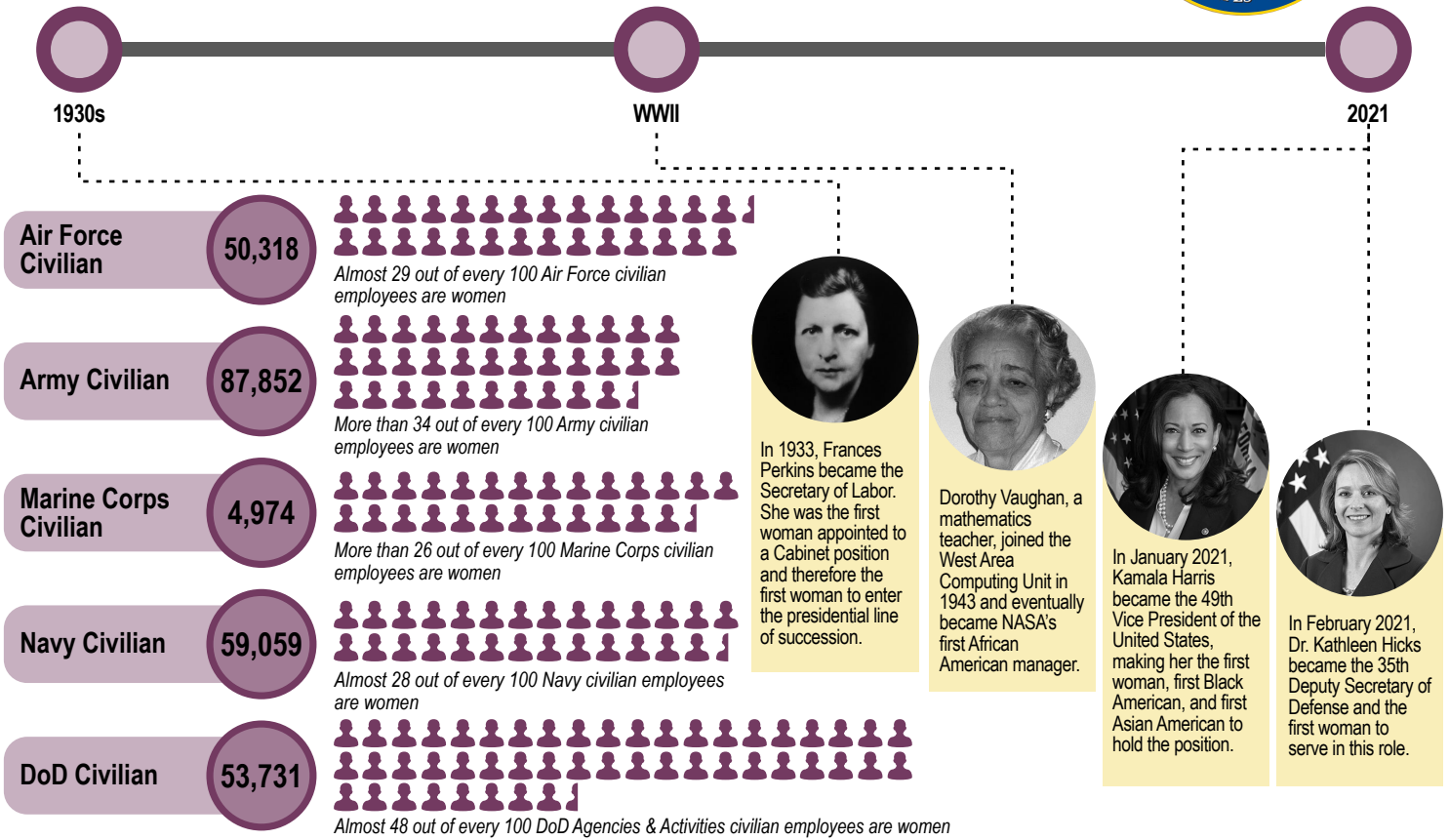
In 1979, Brigadier General Hazel Johnson-Brown became the first Black Chief of the U.S. Army Nurse Corps and the Army's first Black female general.



In 2020, Chief Master Sgt. Joanne S. Bass became the 19th chief master sergeant of the U.S. Air Force and the first woman to serve as the top enlisted leader of a Military Service.



2021 Portrait of DoD / Government Civilian Women



27.4%

The percent of female DoD civilian employees who are Veterans.

6.8%

The percent increase of SES positions held by women between FY 2019 and FY 2021.

Top 10 GS-1 to GS-14 Civilian Career Fields

General Admin., Clerical & Office Services	44,525
Medical, Hospital, Dental & Public Health	27,713
Accounting & Budget	22,835
Business & Industry	20,649
Human Resources Management	12,958
Supply	7,783
Engineering & Architecture	7,781
Information Technology	6,273
Education	6,269
Social Science, Psychology & Welfare	5,463

Female =

Top 10 GS-15 / SES Civilian Career Fields

General Admin., Clerical & Office Services	989
Accounting & Budget	451
Legal & Kindred	407
Business & Industry	192
Human Resources Management	167
Engineering & Architecture	154
Information Technology	137
Social Science, Psychology & Welfare	94
Mathematical Sciences	52
Inspection, Investigation, Enforcement & Compliance	37

Female =