

Veterans' Home Department No. 313 2025 Senate Bill No. 2007

REVISED EXECUTIVE BUDGET RECOMMENDATION 2025-27 BIENNIUM

Budget Summary

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Burgum executive budget recommendation	114.79	\$6,971,368	\$24,287,980	\$31,259,348
Revisions - Increase (decrease)	0.00	(37,771)	(103,248)	(141,019)
Armstrong executive budget recommendation	114.79	\$6,933,597	\$24,184,732	\$31,118,329
Base level	114.79	6,218,399	20,833,167	27,051,566
Increase (decrease)	0.00	\$715,198	\$3,351,565	\$4,066,763
Percentage increase (decrease)	0.0%	11.5%	16.1%	15.0%

NOTE:

More detailed information on the revised executive budget recommendation is attached as an appendix.

Selected Highlights

- Adds \$631,648 for salary increases of up to 3 percent effective July 1, 2025, and 3 percent effective July 1, 2026
- Adds \$750,660 for a health insurance increase of \$250 per month (15.2 percent), from \$1,643 to \$1,893, per employee
- Adds \$892,213 to replace the 2023-25 vacant FTE pool
- Adds \$475,000 of ongoing funding from the soldiers' home fund for nursing overtime and contract nursing costs
- Adds \$377,284 of ongoing funding from the soldiers' home fund for resident food and medical expenses
- Adds \$260,000 of one-time funding from the soldiers' home fund for carpet replacement
- Adds \$175,000 of one-time funding from the Melvin Norgard memorial fund for resident garages and storage units
- Adds \$102,050 of one-time funding from the soldiers' home fund for equipment, including \$80,000 for the replacement of door openers
- Adds \$50,000 of one-time funding from the soldiers' home fund for interior repainting

Deficiency Appropriations

There are no deficiency appropriations for this agency.

Significant Audit Findings

There are no significant audit findings for this agency.

Agency Fees

As reported to the Legislative Management, pursuant to North Dakota Century Code Section 54-35-27, this agency has four fees. The agency did not recommend any changes to the fees.

Major Related Legislation

As of the date of this report, there is no major related legislation for this agency.

NOTE:

Please see the Fiscal Impact Report for additional information regarding bills under consideration which contain either a state revenue impact, an appropriation, or a state fiscal impact.



Veterans' Home - Budget No. 313 Legislative Council Agency Worksheet - Senate Bill No. 2007

	Armstrong Executive Budget				
	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total	
2025-27 Biennium Base Level	114.79	\$6,218,399	\$20,833,167	\$27,051,566	
2025-27 Ongoing Funding Changes					
Base payroll changes			(\$37,529)	(\$37,529)	
Salary increase		\$169,156	462,492	631,648	
Health insurance increase		193,370	557,290	750,660	
Adds funding to replace the 2023-25 vacant FTE pool		229,015	663,198	892,213	
Reduces funding for overtime and temporary salaries		·	(167,652)	(167,652	
Reduces funding for travel and information			(78,000)	(78,000	
technology equipment					
Adds funding for information technology rate increases		17,834	59,748	77,582	
Adds funding for software and information technology		90,723	45,000	135,723	
services					
Adds funding for state fire and tornado insurance		15,100		15,100	
Adds funding for bond and interest payments			4,955	4,955	
Adds funding to convert licensed practical nurse			15,000	15,000	
positions to registered nurse positions					
Adds funding for nursing overtime and contract			475,000	475,000	
nursing costs					
Adds funding for utilities and repairs			108,229	108,229	
Adds funding for resident food and medical expenses			377,284	377,284	
Adds funding for equipment replacement and			279,500	279,500	
upgrades					
Total ongoing funding changes	0.00	\$715,198	\$2,764,515	\$3,479,713	
One-Time Funding Items					
Door openers replacement			\$80,000	\$80,000	
Interior repainting			50,000	50,000	
Equipment under \$5,000			16,450	16,450	
Carpet replacement			260,000	260,000	
Resident garages and storage units			175,000	175,000	
Commercial floor cleaning machine			5,600	5,600	
Total one-time funding changes	0.00	\$0	\$587,050	\$587,050	
Total Changes to Base Level Funding	0.00	\$715,198	\$3,351,565	\$4,066,763	
2025-27 Total Funding	114.79	\$6,933,597	\$24,184,732	\$31,118,329	
Federal funds included in other funds			\$0		
Total ongoing changes - Percentage of base level	0.0%	11.5%	13.3%	12.9%	
Total changes - Percentage of base level	0.0%	11.5%	16.1%	15.0%	