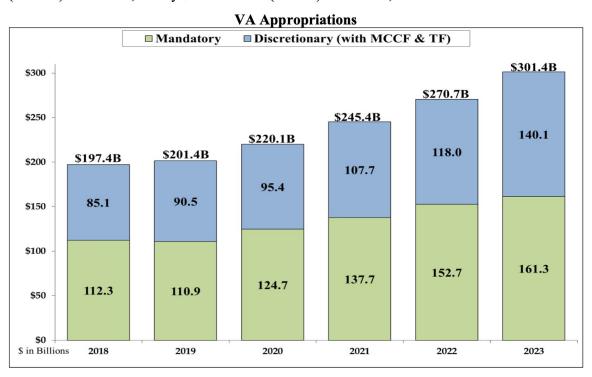
VA Funding

Funding for the VA has increased significantly, with total funding growing by \$81.3 billion (+36.9%) since 2020, and by \$162.3 billion (+116%) since 2013, as shown below.



Funding History (\$ in Billions) 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 Mandatory 74.8 102.4 92.5 105.5 112.3 110.9 124.7 137.7 152.7 161.3 Discretionary 61.4 63.4 65.1 70.9 74.3 81.6 86.6 92.0 104.6 113.1 135.2 Medical Collections (MCCF) 2.9 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.2 3.5 3.5 3.9 3.4 3.1 4.1 Transformational Fund (RETF) 0.8 1.0 **Total VA** 139.1 168.9 163.5 166.9 183.3 197.4 201.4 220.1

Mandatory includes \$15 billion provided by the Veterans Choice Act in 2014, \$2.1 billion in 2017 and \$7.3 billion in 2018. Mandatory excludes American Rescue Plan (2021). Discretionary excludes Families First Coronavirus Response Act (2020), CARES Act (2020). Totals may not add due to rounding.

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