

Veterans Affairs Spending

Lamar County, MS (2021)

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**United States
Population/Expenditure Category**

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Veteran Population	19,902,577	19,508,946	19,119,131	19,465,698	19,088,805
Total VA Expenditures	\$180,591,466,363	\$180,603,860,664	\$202,404,735,805	\$217,953,742,328	\$224,121,984,595
Compensation & Pension Expenditures	\$84,138,459,706	\$82,776,199,272	\$97,637,686,281	\$104,566,124,781	\$111,805,034,327
Education/Voc Rehab/ Employment Exp	\$13,182,263,320	\$13,178,383,693	\$13,810,757,929	\$12,688,057,485	\$11,583,464,604
Insurance & Indemnities Expenditures	\$1,700,374,431	\$1,466,226,995	\$1,401,616,153	\$1,274,360,771	\$1,213,601,219
Unique Medical Patients	6,056,199	6,115,733	6,159,661	6,108,277	6,322,423
Medical Care Expenditures	\$69,709,569,591	\$71,303,324,777	\$77,802,983,515	\$86,807,908,368	\$88,217,521,161

Source: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics

**State of Mississippi
Population/Expenditure Category**

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Veteran Population	191,411	189,085	186,702	185,462	182,774
Total VA Expenditures	\$1,814,225,772	\$1,778,520,178	\$2,046,100,126	\$2,227,333,457	\$2,260,382,789
Compensation & Pension Expenditures	\$880,954,606	\$854,730,773	\$1,026,348,169	\$1,108,022,586	\$1,187,540,916
Education/Voc Rehab/ Employment Exp	\$88,460,065	\$74,722,057	\$86,211,003	\$85,280,501	\$76,707,888
Insurance & Indemnities Expenditures	\$14,017,970	\$9,907,015	\$10,931,075	\$9,406,450	\$8,197,178
Unique Medical Patients	68,491	67,824	67,697	67,092	68,149
Medical Care Expenditures	\$787,030,647	\$802,964,318	\$886,074,097	\$969,665,615	\$975,859,857

Source: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics

**Lamar County, MS
Population/Expenditure Category**

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Veteran Population	3,961	3,989	4,013	4,165	4,154
Total VA Expenditures	\$22,045,530	\$22,433,420	\$25,903,270	\$28,667,288	\$30,045,217
Compensation & Pension Expenditures	\$10,296,215	\$11,051,767	\$13,294,229	\$14,548,580	\$16,080,062
Education/Voc Rehab/ Employment Exp	\$1,101,770	\$958,535	\$852,779	\$1,071,255	\$968,067
Insurance & Indemnities Expenditures	\$196,729	\$24,431	\$116,065	\$31,033	\$89,383
Unique Medical Patients	1,297	1,284	1,333	1,356	1,365
Medical Care Expenditures	\$10,450,817	\$10,398,687	\$11,640,197	\$13,016,420	\$12,907,705

Source: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics

Lamar County, MS Economic Impacts		Employment	Labor Income	Value Added	Industry Sales
Impact Type					
Direct Effect		115.3	\$8,489,713	\$8,359,576	\$13,984,488
Indirect Effect		31.5	\$962,289	\$1,719,732	\$3,812,988
Induced Effect		140.9	\$5,301,800	\$10,231,894	\$18,819,260
Total Effect		287.6	\$14,753,802	\$20,311,203	\$36,616,736
Specific Industry Effects					
Agriculture		1.0	\$18,212	\$13,553	\$38,750
Mining		0.2	\$17,290	\$65,466	\$177,303
Construction		1.6	\$70,502	\$76,015	\$287,674
Transportation, Insurance, Public Utilities		0.6	\$45,024	\$148,755	\$395,405
Trade		16.0	\$687,203	\$1,133,077	\$1,908,655
Service		261.2	\$13,688,438	\$18,619,138	\$33,261,571
Government		6.5	\$197,386	\$188,016	\$381,673

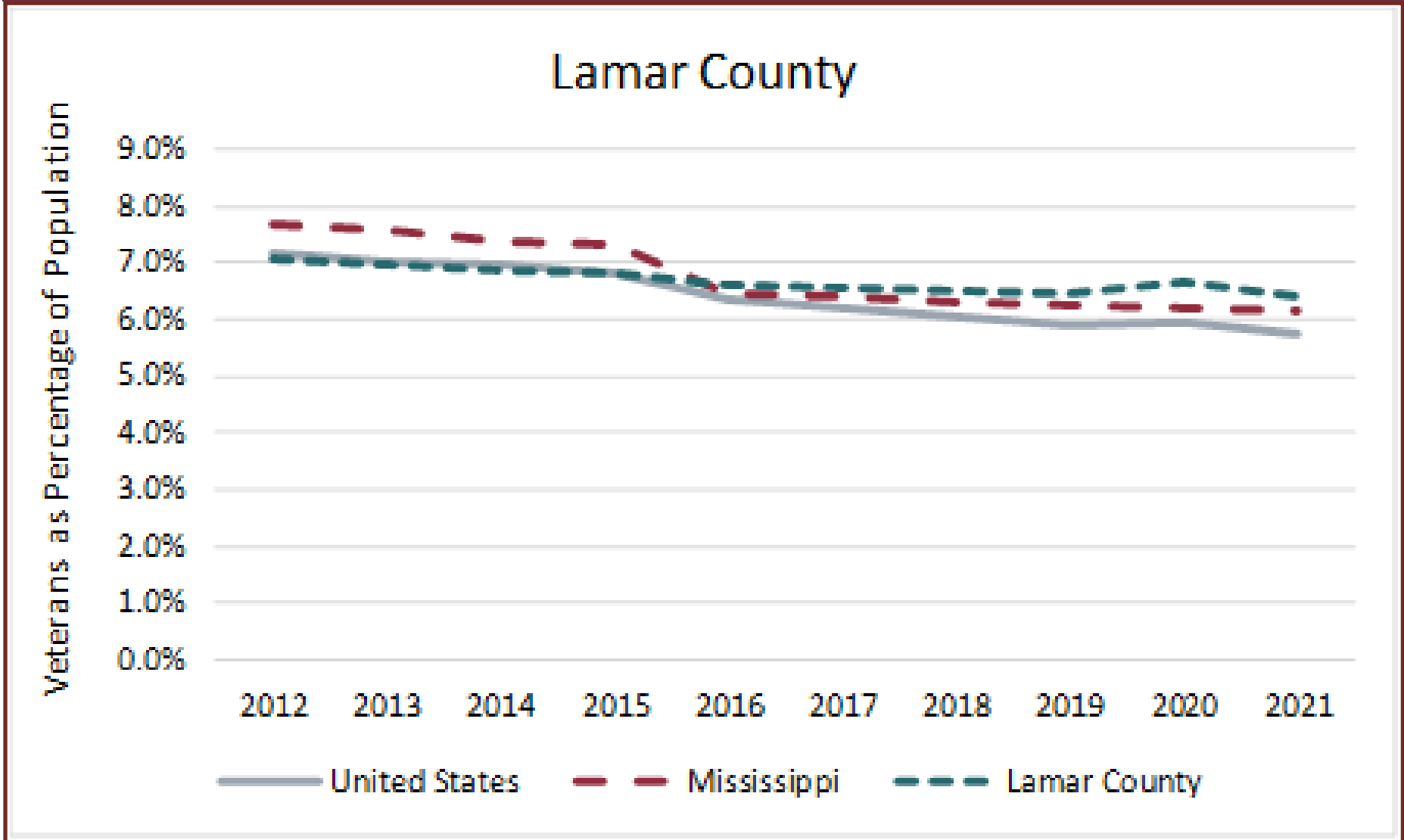
Lamar County, MS**State and Local Tax Revenues
Tax Revenue Type****Revenue
Amount**

Income Taxes	\$215,463
Sales Taxes	\$322,852
Property Taxes	\$12,538
Other Taxes	\$285,211
Total State & Local Tax Revenues	\$836,064

Lamar County, MS**Federal Tax Revenues
Tax Revenue Type****Revenue
Amount**

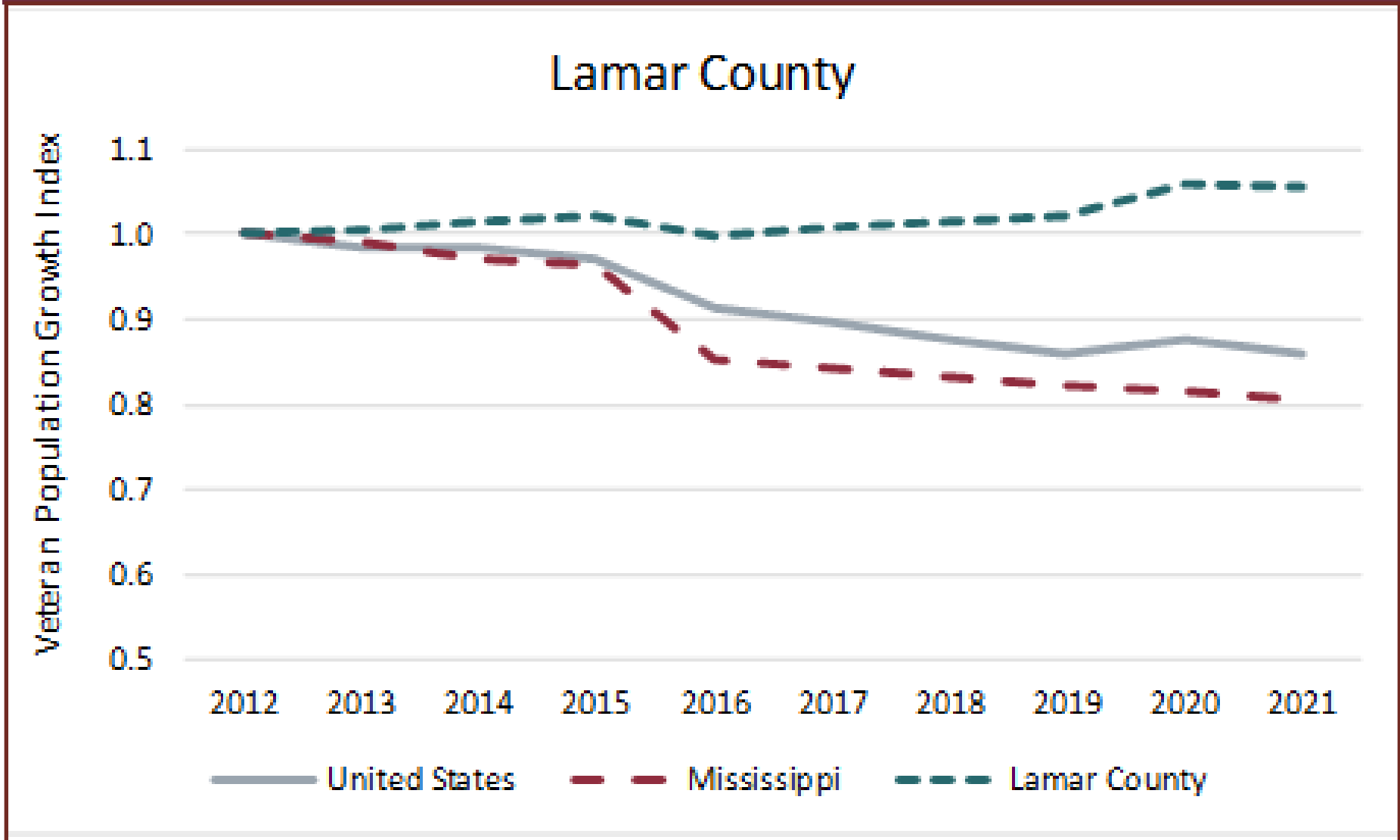
Income Taxes	\$670,558
Social Insurance Taxes	\$1,786,056
Production & Import Taxes	\$65,165
Corporate Profits Taxes	\$140,015
Total Federal Tax Revenues	\$2,661,793

Veterans as Percentage of Total Population



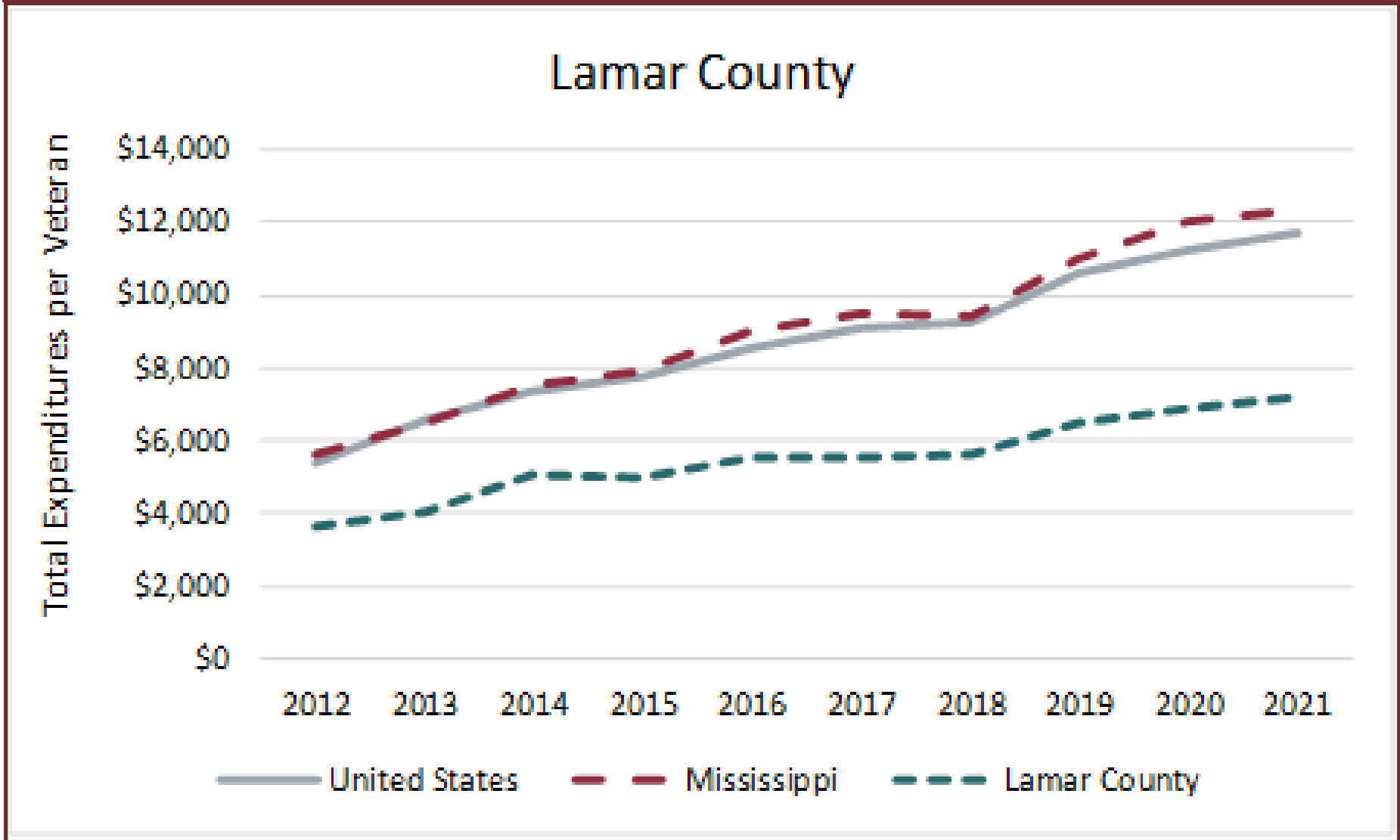
This graph depicts veterans as a percentage of the total population by the state/county of residence. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Veteran Population Growth Index (2010=Base Year)



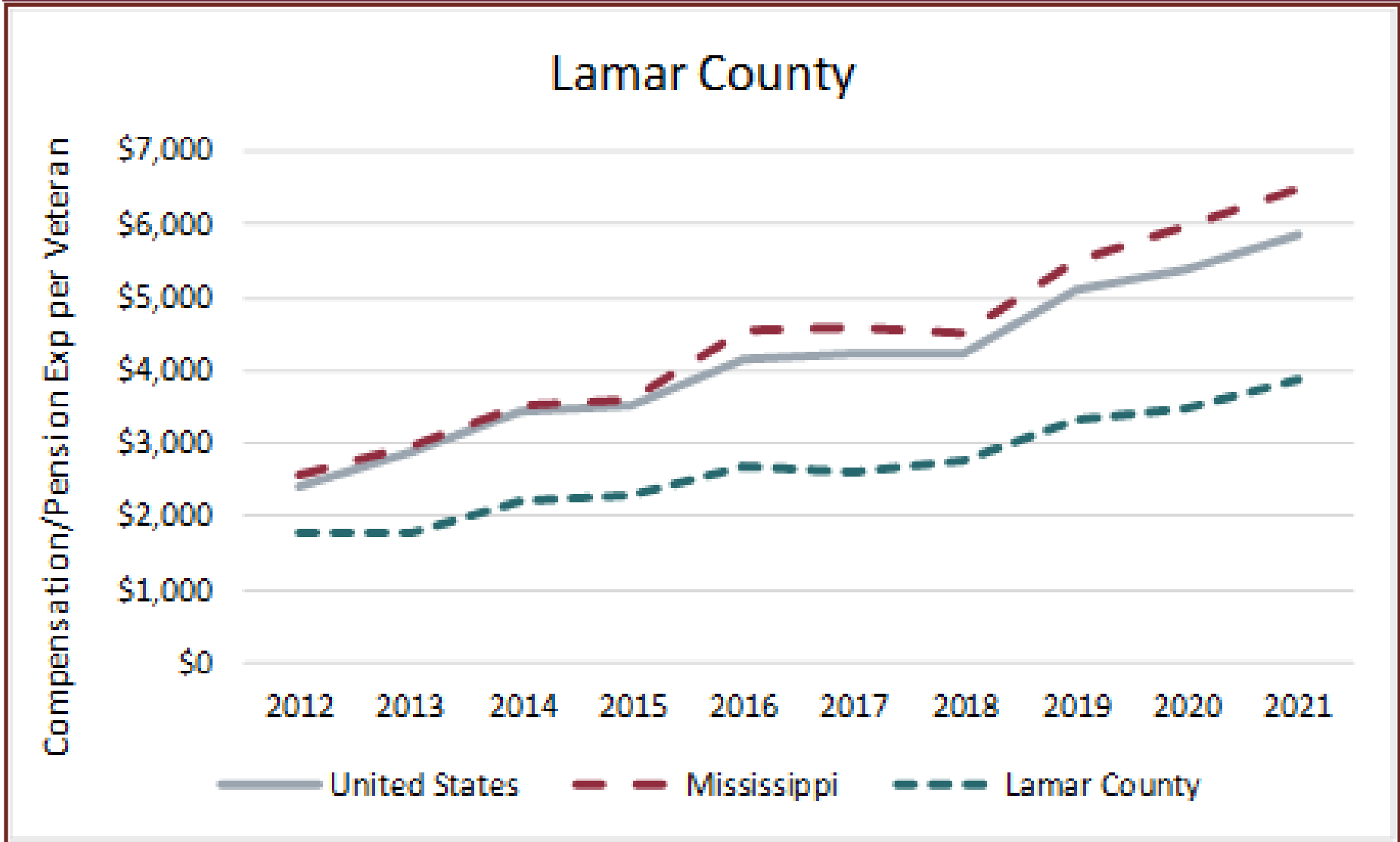
This graph depicts the growth of the veteran population as an index where the year 2012=100 by the state/county of residence. To calculate the index, each succeeding year's veteran population was divided by the 2012 veteran population. An index value above 1.0 indicates that the veteran population is growing; an index below 1.0 indicates that the veteran population is declining. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Total Expenditures per Veteran



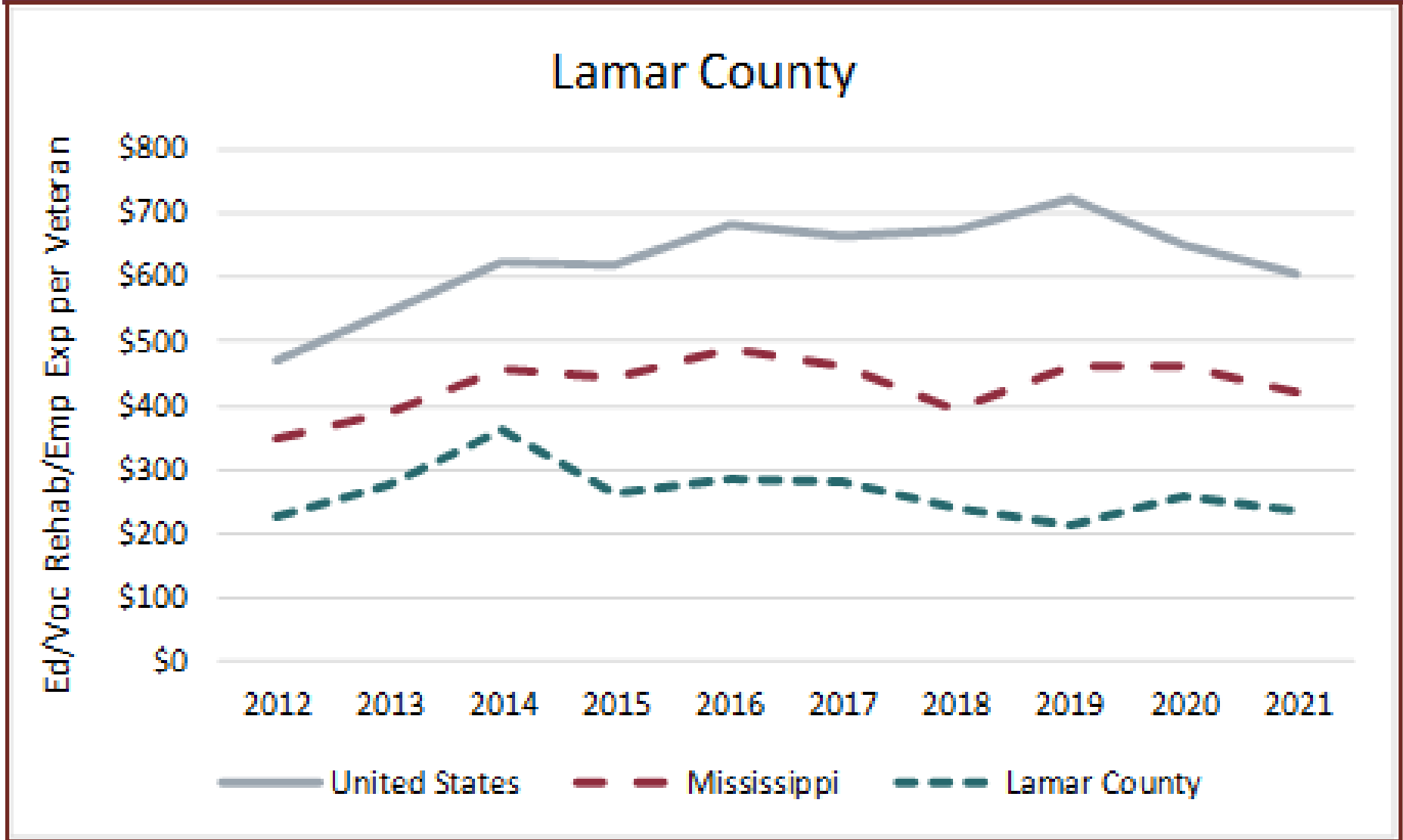
This graph depicts the average (mean) level of total expenditures per veteran by the state/county of residence. Categories included in Total Expenditures include *Compensation and Pension*; *Education and Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment*; *Insurance and Indemnities*; *Construction and Related Costs*; *General Operating Expenses*; *Loan Guaranty*; and *Medical Expenditures*. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Compensation/Pension Expenditures per Veteran



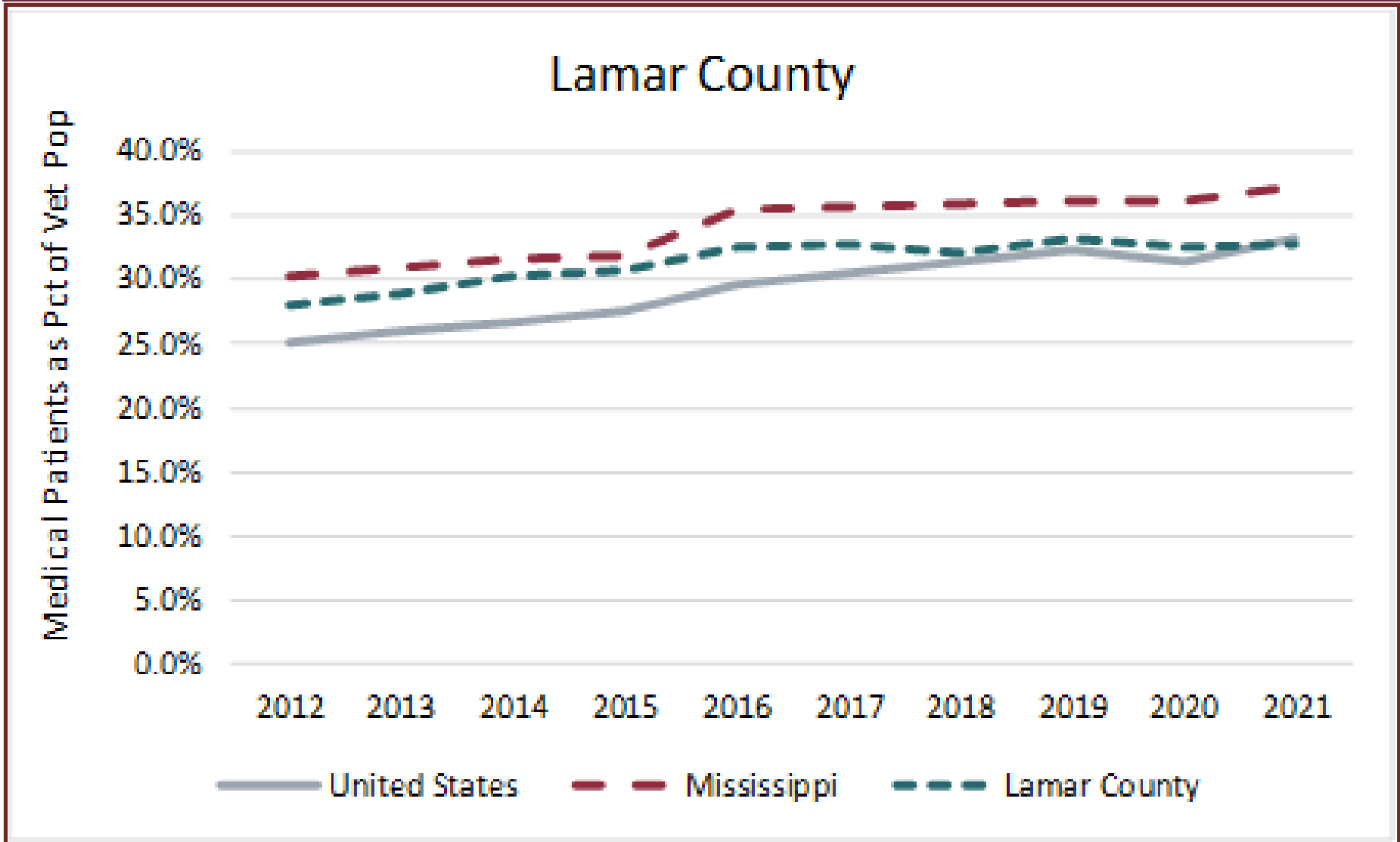
This graph depicts the average (mean) level of compensation and pension expenditures per veteran by the state/county of residence. This includes expenditures for compensation payments, pension payments, Dependency and Indemnity Compensation, and burial allowances. Most expenditures in this category reflect monthly payments to individuals. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Education, Vocational Rehabilitation, and Employment Expenditures per Veteran



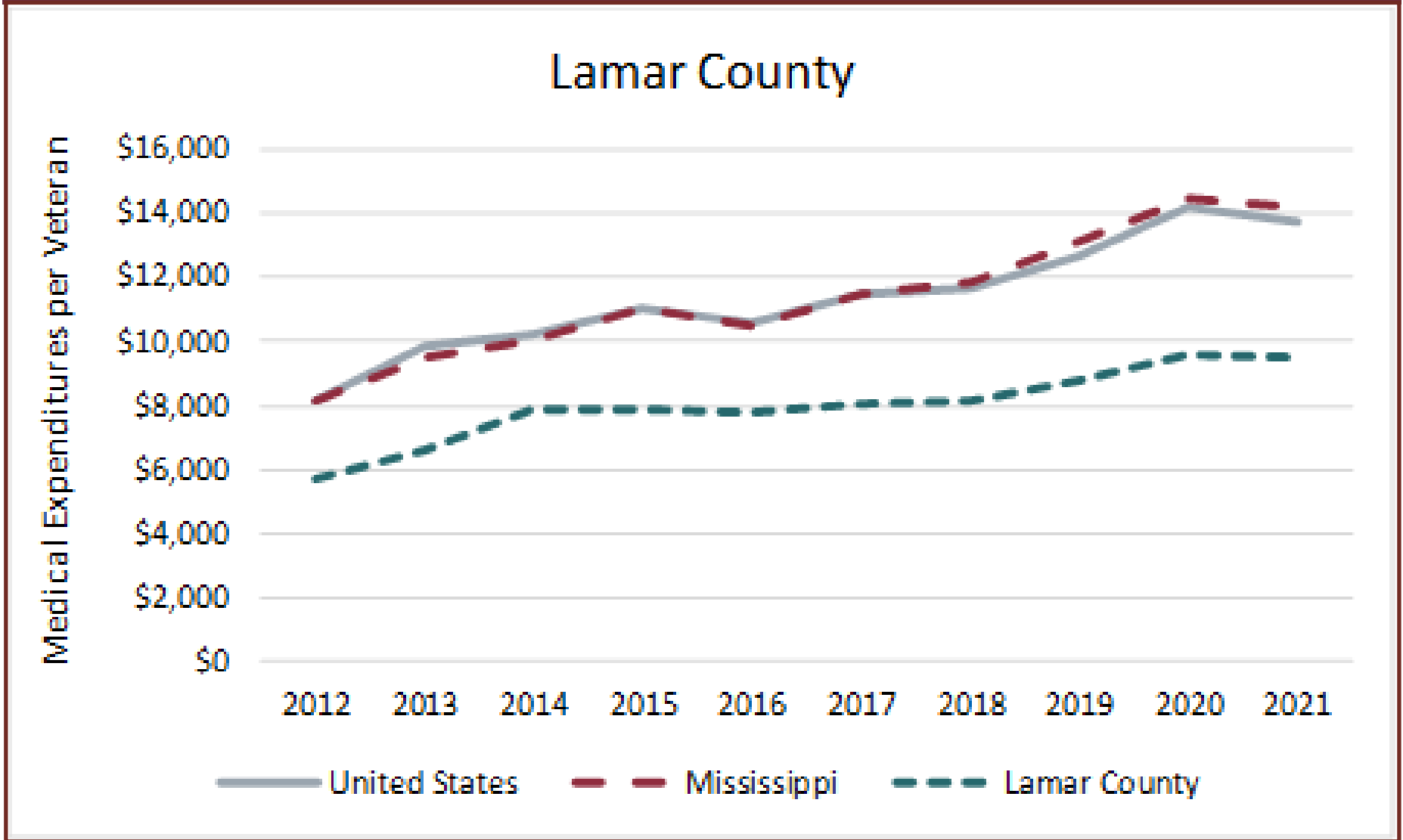
This graph depicts the average (mean) level of education, vocational rehabilitation, and employment expenditures per veteran by the state/county of residence. This includes expenditures for auto & adaptive equipment, specially adapted housing, *Chapter 35, Chapter 31, Chapter 32, Chapter 1606, Chapter 1607, Chapter 30, and Chapter 33* (these chapters are enumerated in the Data Key at the end of the publication). Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Medical Patients as Percentage of Veteran Population



This graph depicts the percentage of unique medical patients as a percentage of the total veteran population by the state/county of residence. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Medical Expenditures per Medical Patient



This graph depicts the average (mean) level of medical expenditures per unique medical patient by the state/county of residence. This includes expenditures for medical care, *General Post Fund*, medical and prosthetic research, miscellaneous accounts, and *Choice Act* funds. Data were obtained from the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

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