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## Women's History Month: US Census Facts

#### By United States Census Bureau

This is Women's History Month—a time to recognize the often overlooked vision, courage, and accomplishments of the nation's women. One example is Clara Barton, who ministered to wounded soldiers in the Civil War and went on to found the American Red Cross. Another is actress Hedy Lamarr, an Austrian immigrant who became a pioneer in technology leading to today's cell phones.

The roots of National Women's History Month go back to March 8, 1857, when women from various New York City factories staged a protest over working conditions. The first Women's Day Celebration in the United States was also in New York City in 1909, but congress did not establish National Women's History Week until 1981, to be commemorated annually the second week of March. In 1987, congress expanded the week to a month. Every year since, congress has passed a resolution for Women's History Month, and the

president has issued a proclamation.

Profile America Facts for Features consist of collections of statistics from the Census Bureau's demographic and economic subject areas pertaining to holidays, anniversaries, observances, or topics in the news.

The following facts are made possible by the invaluable responses to the United States Census Bureau's surveys. We appreciate the public's cooperation as we continuously measure America's people, places, and economy. Every year, the Census Bureau contacts over 3.5 million households across the country to participate in the American Community Survey, the premier source for population and housing information.

#### Did You Know?

There were about 1.7 million more females aged 85 and older (4 million) than males (2.3 million) in 2021.

The average age of women giving birth is going up. In 2021, more women ages 30 to 34 had a recent birth than women ages 25 to 29. In 2011, the reverse was true; more women ages 25 to 29 had a recent birth than women ages 30 to 34.

Women's History Month

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In recent years, women have excelled in educational attainment. Among women ages 25 and older: 25 percent have a high school diploma or equivalency; 10 percent have an associate degree; 22 percent have a bachelor's degree; and 14 percent

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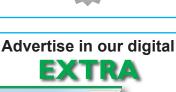
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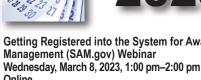




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Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration Contact: George Tapia, 610-382-3086,

george.tapia@sba.gov Fee: Free; registration required Did you know that the federal government is the largest purchaser of goods and services in the

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Contact: Miguel Moralez, 603-225-1601, miguel.moralez@sba.gov Fee: Free; registration required

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and the New Hampshire Secretary of State Corporation Division. This workshop (currently held online during the pandemic) is offered on the first Thursday of every month. To join this free webinar, copy and paste the link below into your browser, then register for tickets for the date of your choice to receive the access code. https://www.eventbrite.com/e/secretary-ofstate-quickstart-and-small-business-administration-programs-tickets-262004180557



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