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ACTIVE DUTY			
EOD	RAD	BRANCH	CHARACTER OF DISCHARGE
06/29/1970	04/15/1974	Air Force	Honorable
11/09/1978	12/19/1984	Army	Honorable
12/20/1984	02/29/1992	Army	Honorable

LEGACY CODES			
ADD'L SVC CODE	COMBAT CODE	SPECIAL PROV CDE	FUTURE EXAM DATE
1	1		None

JURISDICTION: New Claim Received 10/14/2025

ASSOCIATED CLAIM(s): 020; New/Increase; 10/14/2025

SUBJECT TO COMPENSATION (I.SC)

7020-7005 CORONARY ARTERY DISEASE TO INCLUDE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION, CARDIOMYOPATHY, AND SUPRAVENTRICULAR ARRHYTHMIA, S/P AUTOMATIC IMPLANTABLE CARDIOVERTER DEFIBRILLATOR [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Ischemic Heart Disease]
Service Connected, Vietnam Era, Presumptive
Static Disability
100% from 05/02/2023
Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

7541 DIABETIC NEPHROPATHY ASSOCIATED WITH DIABETES MELLITUS TYPE II
Service Connected, Vietnam Era, Secondary
Static Disability
60% from 08/10/2023

5243 DEGENERATIVE DISC DISEASE, LUMBOSACRAL STRAIN, IVDS, AND DEGENERATIVE ARTHRITIS OF THE SPINE
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred
Static Disability
10% from 03/01/1992
20% from 09/30/1996
40% from 10/02/2019

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8520 RIGHT LOWER EXTREMITY RADICULOPATHY, SCIATIC NERVE ASSOCIATED WITH DEGENERATIVE DISC DISEASE, LUMBOSACRAL STRAIN, IVDS, AND DEGENERATIVE ARTHRITIS OF THE SPINE
Service Connected, Gulf War, Secondary
Static Disability
20% from 10/02/2019

8520 LEFT LOWER EXTREMITY RADICULOPATHY, SCIATIC NERVE ASSOCIATED WITH DEGENERATIVE DISC DISEASE, LUMBOSACRAL STRAIN, IVDS, AND DEGENERATIVE ARTHRITIS OF THE SPINE
Service Connected, Gulf War, Secondary
Static Disability
20% from 10/02/2019

7913 DIABETES MELLITUS TYPE II [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Diabetes]
Service Connected, Vietnam Era, Presumptive
Static Disability
20% from 08/10/2022

5215-5010 LEFT RADIAL FRACTURE, SURGICALLY REPAIRED, WITH RESIDUAL TRAUMATIC ARTHRITIS
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred
Static Disability
10% from 03/01/1992 (5215)
10% from 10/02/2019

6100 HEARING LOSS, RIGHT EAR
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred
Static Disability
0% from 03/01/1992

7805 LACERATION, HEAD
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred

0% from 03/01/1992

7805 LACERATION, RIGHT HAND
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred

0% from 03/01/1992

7816 SEBORRHEA, SCALP
Service Connected, Peacetime, Incurred

0% from 03/01/1992

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7802 LEFT WRIST SCAR, S/P FRACTURE ASSOCIATED WITH LEFT RADIAL FRACTURE, SURGICALLY REPAIRED, WITH RESIDUAL TRAUMATIC ARTHRITIS
Service Connected, Gulf War, Secondary
Static Disability
0% from 10/02/2019

7101 HYPERTENSION [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Hypertension]
Service Connected, Vietnam Era, Presumptive
Static Disability
0% from 08/10/2022

COMBINED EVALUATION FOR COMPENSATION :

20% from 03/01/1992
30% from 09/30/1996
70% from 10/02/2019 (Bilateral factor of 4.2 Percent for diagnostic codes 5010, 8520, 8520)
100% from 05/02/2023 (Bilateral factor of 4.2 Percent for diagnostic codes 5010, 8520, 8520)

SPECIAL MONTHLY COMPENSATION :

S-1 Entitled to special monthly compensation under 38 U.S.C. 1114, subsection (s) and 38 CFR 3.350(i) on account of coronary artery disease to include myocardial infarction, cardiomyopathy, and supraventricular arrhythmia, s/p automatic implantable cardioverter defibrillator rated 100 percent and additional service-connected disability of left radial fracture, surgically repaired, with residual traumatic arthritis, left lower extremity radiculopathy, sciatic nerve, degenerative disc disease, lumbosacral strain, IVDS, and degenerative arthritis of the spine, right lower extremity radiculopathy, sciatic nerve, diabetes mellitus type II, independently ratable at 60 percent or more from 05/02/2023.

L-1 Entitled to special monthly compensation under 38 U.S.C. 1114, subsection (l) and 38 CFR 3.350(b) on account of being so helpless as to be in need of regular aid and attendance from 09/22/2025.

EFFECTIVE DATE	BASIC	HOSPITAL	LOSS OF USE	ANAT. LOSS	OTHER LOSS
05/02/2023	48	48	00	00	0
09/22/2025	03	03	00	00	4

NOT SERVICE CONNECTED/NOT SUBJECT TO COMPENSATION (8.NSCPeacetime, Vietnam Era, Gulf War)

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5201 RIGHT SHOULDER CLAIMED AS SHOULDERS
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service
Static Disability

5201 LEFT SHOULDER CLAIMED AS SHOULDERS
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 05/12/2020

5271 RIGHT ANKLE SPRAIN
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

6100 HEARING LOSS, LEFT EAR
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

6260 TINNITUS
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

6847 SLEEP APNEA [Toxic Exposure Risk Activity (TERA)/TERA Conceded]
Not Service Connected, Gulf War, Not Incurred/Caused by Service
Static Disability

7006 STATUS POST MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

7206 GASTROESOPHAGEAL REFLUX DISEASE (GERD) [Agent Orange - outside
Vietnam or unknown/Other/Unknown-Agent Orange] [Toxic Exposure Risk Activity
(TERA)/TERA Conceded]
Not Service Connected, Gulf War, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 07/11/2024

7703 CHRONIC MYELOGENOUS LEUKEMIA (CML) [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or

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unknown/Other/Unknown-Agent Orange]
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

7900 HYPERTHYROIDISM [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Other/Unknown-Agent Orange]
Not Service Connected, Vietnam Era, No Diagnosis

Original Date of Denial: 07/11/2024

8100 MIGRAINE
Not Service Connected, Peacetime, Not Incurred/Caused by Service

Original Date of Denial: 09/01/2007

8510 RIGHT UPPER EXTREMITY, PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Peripheral Neuropathy]
Not Service Connected, Vietnam Era, No Diagnosis

Original Date of Denial: 07/11/2024

8510 LEFT UPPER EXTREMITY, PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY [Agent Orange - outside Vietnam or unknown/Peripheral Neuropathy]
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ANCILLARY DECISIONS

Basic Eligibility under 38 USC Ch 35 from 05/02/2023