



Australian Government

Department of Veterans' Affairs

Claimant Report - Cutaneous Contact With Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons Non Melanotic Malignant Neoplasm Of The Skin

This form is in connection with your claim for pension and medical treatment and the information you supply will assist in deciding eligibility for benefits under the Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986 and/or Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004. In the event of an appeal against a decision, this information may be provided to the Veterans' Review Board, Administrative Appeals Tribunal or Federal Court.

Veteran's Details

Surname

Given Names

DVA File Number

Report Detail

Cutaneous contact with agents containing high concentrations of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) - ie the chemical substances formed during the combustion of organic material or during high temperature processing of crude oil, coke, or other industrial carbon compounds - may be a factor in the development of the claimed condition.

The Repatriation Medical Authority has defined "agents containing high concentrations of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), as specified" to mean:

- (a) concentrated coal tar distillates;
- (b) creosote;
- (c) crude oil;
- (d) metal working fluids;
- (e) molten bitumen or fumes from molten bitumen;
- (f) shale oil; or
- (g) soot.

Is there a history **at any time**, both service and non-service periods, of cutaneous contact (ie contact of the skin) with polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, as defined above, for a cumulative period of **at least 1000 days**?

- No** - Please sign the form and return it to the Department
- Yes** - Please provide details on the next page, being as specific as possible:

Details of cutaneous (skin) contact with PAHs:

Period of cutaneous contact with PAHs	Description of cutaneous contact with PAHs including activity being performed, the source of PAH, how contact occurred and the place where contact occurred	Number of days per week of cutaneous contact with PAHs during this period
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Claimant's Signature

You are reminded that:

- The Declaration you signed on the claim form also covers the information you supply on this form.
- There are penalties for knowingly making false or misleading statements.

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