



Australian Government

Department of Veterans' Affairs

## Claimant Report - Carrying Loads On The Head Cervical Spondylosis

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

1. Is there a history of having carried loads of at least 15 kg on the head while upright? (This does **not** include carrying such loads on the shoulders, on the back or in the arms, regardless of whether or not the arms were raised above the head)

**No** - Please sign the form and return it to the Department.

**Yes**

1. Is there a history of having carried loads of at least 25 kg on the head while upright? (This does **not** include carrying such loads on the shoulders, on the back or in the arms, regardless of whether or not the arms were raised above the head)

**No** - Please sign the form and return it to the Department.

**Yes**

**\*\*\*Claims assessor - please use only the first version of this question if the veteran has operational service or operational service as well as eligible service. If there is only eligible service, delete the first version and use the second version of the question.\*\*\***

2. Is there a history of having carried **on the head** while upright:

- loads of at least 15 kg to a cumulative total of 72,000 kg within any 10 year period

**No** - Please sign the form and return it to the Department.

**Yes**

- loads of at least 25 kg to a cumulative total of 120,000 kg within any 10 year period

**No**

**Yes**

**\*\*\*Claims assessor - if the person has:**

(a) only operational service, delete the second dot point (25 kg) above

(b) operational service and eligible service, leave both dot points as they are

(c) only eligible service, delete the first dot point (15 kg) above.\*\*\*

3. Please give details of all the activities that involved carrying loads on the head. Ensure that you include service activities as well as non-service activities:

Period	Weight of load carried on the head	How often was this weight carried on the head	Description of activity that involved carrying loads on the head
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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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