Subsequent Development Demonstration Claim Follow on Case to the Non-Original Martinez Demonstration Claim

Veteran: Roger Martinez	Claim number: 6Y03XX00
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NOTE: We use the VBMS Demo Candidate Martinez for all demonstration claims. If you followed along during the demonstration inside of VBMS Demo as we move through IWT you could have multiple EPs for the same Veteran. Please focus on the development action that is being demonstrated inside the training environment. This demonstration is about subsequent development and the proper steps necessary to process the claim.

PREVIOUSLY - The Veteran had submitted a VA Form 21-526EZ (SEP2019 version) on January 3, 2021. He claimed service connection for a right knee injury and headaches. The Veteran was excluded from FDC because he identified treatment by his private physician, Dr. Quack. The previous VSR sent a subsequent development letter to the Veteran requesting he complete and submit VA Form 21-4142 and 4142a for Dr. Quack from 2012 to Present. The Veteran recently returned the forms and DOMA sent a letter to Dr. Quack's office dated five days ago.

Of record in the Veteran's file are:

- VADS Verified Honorable service in the Navy from 08/01/1980 to 07/31/1990
- VA Form 21-526 received November 12, 2007, claiming hearing loss, tinnitus, and lumbosacral strain
- STRs show treatment for hearing loss, recurrent right knee pain, and a one-time visit for low back strain
- Rating Decision dated March 25, 2008, granting service connection for hearing loss (0%) and tinnitus (10%) and denying service connection for lumbosacral strain because the medical evidence of record does not show a current diagnosed condition or residuals of the condition treated in service.
- Notification letter to the Veteran telling him of our decision dated March 30, 2008
- Subsequent Development letter to the Veteran excluding him from FDC and requesting he complete and return VA Form 21-4142 and 4142a.
- DOMA letter to Dr Quack's office requesting relevant treatment records dated five days ago.