

# Check your VA claim, decision review, or appeal status

Find out how to check the status of a VA claim, decision review, or appeal online.



## Sign in to check your claim, decision review, or appeal status

Sign in with your existing **Login.gov**, **ID.me**, **DS Logon**, or **My HealthVet** account. If you don't have any of these accounts, you can create a free **Login.gov** or **ID.me** account now.

[Sign in or create an account](#)

## What types of claims, decision reviews, and appeals can I check in this tool?

**You can use this tool to check the status of a VA claim, decision review, or appeal for these types of compensation:**

- Disability compensation (including claims based on special needs like an automobile or clothing allowance)
- Veterans or Survivors Pension benefits
- Special monthly compensation (such as Aid and Attendance)
- Dependency and Indemnity Compensation (DIC)
- Burial allowance to help pay for a Veteran's burial and funeral expenses

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**You can also use this tool to check the status of a claim, decision review, or appeal for other benefits like these:**

- VA health care
- GI Bill or other education benefits
- Veteran Readiness and Employment (VR&E)
- A home loan Certificate of Eligibility (COE)
- A Specially Adapted Housing (SAH) or Special Housing Adaptation (SHA) grant
- Life insurance
- A pre-need determination of eligibility to be buried in a VA national cemetery

## Can I use this tool?

**To use this tool, you'll need to have one of these free accounts:**

- A verified **Login.gov** account, **or**
- A verified **ID.me** account, **or**
- A Premium **DS Logon** account (used for eBenefits and milConnect), **or**
- A Premium **My HealthVet** account

## Once I'm signed in, how do I check my status?

You'll find a list of your claims, decision reviews, and appeals. You can check the statuses in the list. Or you can select a claim, decision review, or appeal to review the full details.

## What kind of information can I get from this tool?

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You can find out where your claim, decision review, or appeal is in our review process.

**You can also check these details:**

- Any evidence you've filed online to support your initial claim
- Any additional evidence we've requested from you
- Your claim, decision review, or appeal type
- What you've claimed

**You can also use the tool to upload and download some documents:**

- Upload evidence for an initial claim (you can't use this tool to upload evidence for a decision review or an appeal)
- Download decision letters for certain types of claims, decision reviews, and appeals

## What if I sent a document to VA as evidence and it's not listed?

This may be because certain documents won't appear online.

**We won't list these types of documents:**

- Documents you sent to us by mail or fax, **or**
- Documents you brought to us in person, **or**
- Documents we've restricted to protect your or someone else's privacy

## Will VA protect my personal information if I use this tool?

Yes. This is a secure website. We follow strict security policies and practices to protect your personal health information.

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If you print or download anything from the website, you'll need to take responsibility for protecting that information.

## What if I have more questions?

You can call us at [800-827-1000](tel:800-827-1000) (TTY: 711). We're here Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. ET.

### More information

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#### **[What your claim status means](https://www.va.gov/resources/what-your-claim-status-means)**

**[\(<https://www.va.gov/resources/what-your-claim-status-means>\)](https://www.va.gov/resources/what-your-claim-status-means)**

Learn about the claim status terms we use to tell you where your claim is in the review process.

#### **[Claim status tool FAQs](https://www.va.gov/resources/claim-status-tool-faqs)**

**[\(<https://www.va.gov/resources/claim-status-tool-faqs>\)](https://www.va.gov/resources/claim-status-tool-faqs)**

Find out what kind of information you can get from our claim status tool. And learn how to use the tool to upload new evidence to support your pending claim.

#### **[How to check your VA claim, decision review, or appeal status online](https://www.va.gov/resources/how-to-check-your-va-claim-appeal-or-decision-review-status-online)** (<https://www.va.gov/resources/how-to-check-your-va-claim-appeal-or-decision-review-status-online>)

Follow our step-by-step instructions for checking the status of your VA claim, decision review, or appeal online.

#### **[Choosing a decision review option](https://www.va.gov/resources/choosing-a-decision-review-option)**

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Find out what to do if you disagree with a VA decision.

#### **[Manage your VA debt](https://www.va.gov/manage-va-debt)** (<https://www.va.gov/manage-va-debt>)

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Check the status of debt related to VA disability compensation, non-service-connected pension, or education benefits. You can also make payments or request help.

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