Hypertension Rapid Ready for Decision | Claim for Increase

## VHA Hypertension Data Summary

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## One Year of Blood Pressure History

VHA records searched from 06/23/2021 to 06/23/2022

All VAMC locations using VistA/CAPRI were checked

Blood pressure is shown as systolic/diastolic.

<% @assessed\_data[:bp\_readings].each do |bp| %> <% systolic = bp[:systolic]['value'].round rescue "(not-provided)" %> <% diastolic = bp[:diastolic]['value'].round rescue "(not-provided)" %>

## Blood pressure: <%= systolic %>/<%= diastolic %>

Taken on: <%= bp[:effectiveDateTime].to date.strftime('%m/%d/%Y') %> at <%= Time.iso8601(bp[:effectiveDateTime]).strftime('%H:%M %Z') %>

Location: <%= bp[:organization] || 'Unknown' %>

<% end %> <%# Note: This templating language is HTML-inspired. It does not always behave like true HTML. To see limitations, check out the documentation:

https://github.com/puzzle/prawn-markup. %>

Hypertension Rating Schedule

- 10% Systolic pressure predominantly 160 or more; or diastolic pressure predominantly 100 or more; or minimum evaluation for an individual with a history of diastolic pressure predominantly 100 or more who requires continuous medication for control
- 20% Systolic pressure predominantly 200 or more; or diastolic pressure predominantly 110 or more
- 40% Diastolic pressure 120 or more
- 60% Diastolic pressure 130 or more

View rating schedule

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## Active Prescriptions

VHA records searched for medication prescriptions active as of <%= Time.zone.today.strftime('%m/%d/%Y') %> All VAMC locations using VistA/CAPRI were checked

<% if @disability\_type == 'asthma' %>

**Important!** Medications that *may* have been prescribed for asthma are marked with ▶arrows ◀. Claims adjudicators should check the patient's medical records to see what the medication was prescribed for.

See "How we identify asthma prescriptions" at the end of this document for more details.

<% end %> <% if @assessed\_data[:medications].present? %>

- <% @assessed\_data[:medications].each do |medication| %>
- <% if medication[:flagged] %> > <%= medication['description'] %> < <% else %> <%= medication['description'] %> <% end %>
- <% if medication['dosageInstructions'].present? %> <%= medication['dosageInstructions'].join('; ') %> <% end %>
- <%# TODO: Add test for additional fields and make sure to include additional medications %> Prescribed on: <% if medication['authoredOn'], present? %> <%= medication['authoredOn'][0, 10].to\_date.strftime('%m/%d/%Y') %> <% end %> Duration: <% if medication['duration'], present? %> <%= medication['duration'] %> <% end %>

Refills: <% if medication['refills'].present? %> <%= medication['refills'] %> <% end %>

Route: <% if medication['route'].present? %> <%= medication['route'] %> <% end %>

<% end %> <% else %>

No active medications were found in the last year

<% end %>

The Hypertension Rapid Ready for Decision system retrieves and summarizes VHA medical records related to hypertension claims for increase submitted on va.gov. VSRs and RVSRs can develop and rate this claim without ordering an exam if there is sufficient existing evidence to show predominance according to DC 7101 (Hypertension) Rating Criteria This is not new guidance, but rather a way to operationalize existing statutory rules in 38 U.S.C § 5103a(d).

Some medical data are not included in this PDF. Please check for additional readings and sources.

This summary does not check all sources of medical information for Veterans that are necessary for you to rate this claim accurately. You will need to check these sources manually to gather all available evidence.

Clinical notes. This data may not match all the medical evidence in CAPRI. For example, it may not find blood pressure readings entered into clinical notes.

Data outside of VAMC CAPRI or VistA. This report does not check the following sources:

- Private medical records
- VAMC data for clinics using CERNER EHR
- Department of Defense/JVL medical data
- Documents in the Veteran's VBMS eFolder