

## **Presumptive conditions for Agent Orange exposed veterans**

### **Cancers caused by Agent Orange exposure**

- ✓ Bladder cancer
- ✓ Chronic B-cell leukemias (Chronic Lymphocytic or Hairy Cell)
- ✓ Hodgkin's disease
- ✓ Multiple myeloma
- ✓ Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma
- ✓ Prostate cancer
- ✓ Respiratory cancers (including cancers of the lung, larynx, trachea, and bronchus)
- ✓ Some soft tissue sarcomas (not including osteosarcoma, chondrosarcoma, Kaposi's sarcoma, or mesothelioma)

### **Other illnesses caused by Agent Orange exposure**

- ✓ AL (light chain) amyloidosis
- ✓ Chloracne (must be at least 10% disabling within 1 year of herbicide exposure)
- ✓ Diabetes mellitus type 2
- ✓ High blood pressure (hypertension)
- ✓ Hypothyroidism
- ✓ Ischemic heart disease
- ✓ Monoclonal gammopathy of undetermined significance (MGUS)
- ✓ Parkinsonism, or Parkinson-like symptoms
- ✓ Parkinson's disease
- ✓ Peripheral neuropathy, early onset (must be at least 10% disabling within 1 year of herbicide exposure)
- ✓ Porphyria cutanea tarda (must be at least 10% disabling within 1 year of herbicide exposure)

### **Conditions recognized in children of Vietnam veterans**

- ✓ Spina Bifida (except Spina Bifida Occulta)
- ✓ Certain other birth defects in the children of women Vietnam veterans

## Service requirements for presumption of exposure

You have a presumption of exposure if you meet at least one of these service requirements.

**Between January 9, 1962, and May 7, 1975, you must have served for any length of time in at least one of these locations:**

- ✓ In the Republic of Vietnam
- ✓ Aboard a U.S. military vessel that operated in the inland waterways of Vietnam, **or**
- ✓ On a vessel operating not more than 12 nautical miles seaward from the demarcation line of the waters of Vietnam and Cambodia

**Other applicable locations and time periods:**

- ✓ Any U.S. or Royal Thai military base in Thailand from January 9, 1962, through June 30, 1976
- ✓ Laos from December 1, 1965, through September 30, 1969
- ✓ Cambodia at Mimot or Krek, Kampong Cham Province from April 16, 1969, through April 30, 1969
- ✓ Guam or American Samoa or in the territorial waters off Guam or American Samoa from January 9, 1962, through July 31, 1980
- ✓ Johnston Atoll or on a ship that called at Johnston Atoll from January 1, 1972, through September 30, 1977
- ✓ In or near the Korean DMZ for any length of time between September 1, 1967, and August 31, 1971
- ✓ You served on active duty in a regular Air Force unit location where a C-123 aircraft with traces of Agent Orange was assigned, and had repeated contact with this aircraft due to your flight, ground, or medical duties
- ✓ You were involved in transporting, testing, storing, or other uses of Agent Orange during your military service
- ✓ You were assigned as a Reservist to certain flight, ground, or medical crew duties at one of the locations listed here
  - 1) **Lockbourne/Rickenbacker Air Force Base** in Ohio, 1969 to 1986 (906th and 907th Tactical Air Groups or 355th and 356th Tactical Airlift Squadrons)
  - 2) **Westover Air Force Base** in Massachusetts, 1972 to 1982 (731st Tactical Air Squadron and 74th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron, or 901st Organizational Maintenance Squadron)
  - 3) **Pittsburgh International Airport** in Pennsylvania, 1972 to 1982 (758th Airlift Squadron)