

EVIDENCE THAT STRENGTHENS AN ASTHMA CLAIM

Organize the record around diagnosis, service connection, and current rating severity.

RESPIRATORY FIELD NOTES

VERIFY EACH ROUTE

MED	Medical records Diagnosis, pulmonology notes, emergency visits, exacerbations, and longitudinal symptom history.	PFT	Spirometry reports Clearly labeled FEV-1 and FEV-1/FVC values with test dates and bronchodilator status.
RX	Medication history Drug name, class, route, dose, frequency, refill record, and systemic steroid course dates.	SERVICE	Service and lay evidence Deployment and exposure records, service treatment records, personal statements, and witnesses to attacks or inhaler use.