

MILITARY SEXUAL TRAUMA

MST COORDINATORS WHO HELPS WITH WHAT?

Clear, trauma-informed guidance for building an accurate VA disability record.

CURRENT VA GUIDANCE

START WITH THE RECORD

FOUR POINTS TO UNDERSTAND

VHA

HEALTH-CARE COORDINATOR

Every VA medical facility has a VHA MST coordinator who helps connect veterans with care.

VBA

BENEFITS OUTREACH COORDINATOR

VA regional offices have coordinators who can help with MST-related claims and benefits questions.

VSO

ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE

An accredited VSO representative may help prepare and submit claim materials.

EXAM

CLAIM EXAM PROVIDER

The examiner evaluates medical questions. The rating activity decides the claim.

An official report is not the only way to support an MST-related claim. Evidence is evaluated under the rules applicable to the condition and claim.