

Veteran

## Wrist Condition(s) Medical Impairment Assessment

Insert conditions:													
For this assessment, each condition needs to be assessed in <b>isolation</b> from all others. This means that when assessing a condition, you will need to assess													
the impairment as though only that single condition is present, and that the veteran is otherwise healthy and normal. If it is not possible to separate the													
impairment in this way, please select a description of the total impairment rating under "combined conditions."													
For the purposes of this form, "difficulty" refers to an activity being hard to perform, because of an actual, observable limitation or impediment. Difficulty may be evident through the use of splints, aids, rails, or personal assistance, or through the exertion of additional effort to complete the task. Voluntary avoidance of physical activity to minimise pain cannot be considered. Where possible, your assessment should be based on your observation and examination of the veteran, as well as their history and any relevant investigations.  1. Please select the most accurate description of impairment to active range of movement (ROM) of the wrist, due to each condition <i>in isolation</i> . Consider motion in all planes of movement.													
Description	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:		Combined Conditions (if unable to isolate)						
No loss or x-ray changes only.													
Minor loss.						OR							
Loss of less than half normal range.													
Loss of half normal range.													
Loss of more than half normal range.													
Complete loss (ankylosis).		П	П		П								

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2. Please select the most accurate des	cription of any diffic	ulty with <b>digital dex</b>	terity, due to eac	h condition <i>in isola</i>	ition.				
Description	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	0.0	Combined Conditions (if unable to isolate		
No difficulty.						OR			
Some difficulty.									
Complete loss of digital dexterity.									
3. Please select the most accurate des	cription of any diffic	ulty with grasping a	<b>nd holding</b> , due to	o each condition <i>in</i>	isolation.				
Description	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	0.0	Combined Conditions (if unable to isolate		
No difficulty.						OR			
Some difficulty.									
Completely <b>unable</b> to grasp or hold.									
4. Please select the most accurate des	cription of any diffic	ulty with <b>using the</b> a	affected limb(s) fo	or self-care, due to	each condition in	_ n isolat	ion.		
Description	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:	Condition:		Combined Conditions (if unable to isolate		
No difficulty.						OR			
Some difficulty.									
Completely <b>unable</b> to use the affected limb(s) for self-care.									
5. Please list the location and level of a	any <b>amputations</b> of	the upper limb(s).							
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Doctor's signature	Doctor's name		Date		Time to complete form				