

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**Coast Guard****33 CFR Part 100**

[Docket No. USCG–2021–0770]

Special Local Regulation; Marine Events Within the Eleventh Coast Guard District-San Diego Fall Classic**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security (DHS).**ACTION:** Notification of enforcement of regulation.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard will enforce the special local regulation on the waters of Mission Bay, San Diego, California, during the San Diego Fall Classic on November 14, 2021. This special local regulation is necessary to provide for the safety of the participants, crew, sponsor vessels of the rowing event, and general users of the waterway. During the enforcement period, persons and vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring within this regulated area unless authorized by the Captain of the Port, or his designated representative.

DATES: The regulations in 33 CFR 100.1101 for the location described in Table 1 to § 100.1101, Item No. 1, will be enforced from 5:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. on November 14, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions about this notification of enforcement, call or email Lieutenant Commander John Santorum, Waterways Management, U.S. Coast Guard Sector, San Diego, CA; telephone (619) 278–7656, email MarineEventsSD@uscg.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Coast Guard will enforce the special local regulations in 33 CFR 100.1101 for the location identified in Table 1 to § 100.1101, Item No. 1, from 5:30 a.m. through 12:30 p.m. on November 14, 2021 for the San Diego Fall Classic in Mission Bay, San Diego, CA. This action is being taken to provide for the safety of life on navigable waterways during the rowing event. Our regulation for recurring marine events in the San Diego Captain of the Port Zone, § 100.1101, Table 1 to § 100.1101, Item No. 1, specifies the location of the regulated area for the San Diego Fall Classic, which encompasses portions of Mission Bay. Under the provisions of § 100.1101, persons and vessels are prohibited from entering into, transiting through, or anchoring within this regulated area unless authorized by the

Captain of the Port, or his designated representative. The Coast Guard may be assisted by other Federal, State, or local law enforcement agencies in enforcing this regulation.

In addition to this document in the **Federal Register**, the Coast Guard will provide the maritime community with advance notification of this enforcement period via the Local Notice to Mariners and marine information broadcasts.

Dated: November 4, 2021.

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BILLING CODE 9110–04–P**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS****38 CFR Part 4****RIN 2900–AQ67****Schedule for Rating Disabilities: The Cardiovascular System****AGENCY:** Department of Veterans Affairs.**ACTION:** Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: On September 30, 2021, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) published in the **Federal Register** a final rule that amended the portion of the VA Schedule for Rating Disabilities (“VASRD” or “rating schedule”) that addresses the cardiovascular system. This correction addresses the instructions for evaluating peripheral arterial disease in the published final rule and corrects another minor technical error.

DATES: This correction is effective November 14, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gary Reynolds, M.D., VASRD Program Management Office (210), Compensation Service, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, (202) 461–9700. (This is not a toll-free telephone number.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: VA is correcting its final rule, “RIN 2900–AQ67, Schedule for Rating Disabilities: The Cardiovascular System”, that was published on September 30, 2021, in the **Federal Register** at 86 FR 54089. The error is with new Note (2) for diagnostic code (DC) 7114 peripheral arterial disease which fails to identify which of the four tests are necessary before an evaluation can be assigned. In the proposed rule, VA identified two major shortcomings in the rating criteria for DC 7114 that were addressed by creating

evaluation criteria that use the ankle/brachial index (ABI), ankle pressure (AP), toe pressure (TP) and transcutaneous oximetry (T_cPO₂) to describe four different levels of impairment. See 84 FR 37594, 37599 (Aug. 1, 2019). New Note (2) instructed raters to select the highest impairment value of ABI, AP, TP, or T_cPO₂ for evaluation when rating a condition under DC 7114. Upon further consideration, we believe the note could be misconstrued as requiring medical examiners to conduct all four tests. This is inconsistent with our intent, which was to provide examiners with multiple options in the event that ABI was unreliable due to non-compressible arteries. To address this issue, we are correcting new Note (2) to read, “If AP, TP, and T_cPO₂ testing are not of record, evaluate based on ABI unless the examiner states that an AP, TP, or T_cPO₂ test is needed in a particular case because ABI does not sufficiently reflect the severity of the veteran’s peripheral arterial disease. In all other cases, evaluate based on the test that provides the highest impairment value.” This correction serves two purposes: (1) It reflects VA’s intent that although ABI should be the primary testing by which conditions should be rated under DC 7114, raters should request AP, TP, or T_cPO₂ testing when the record reflects that an examiner believes ABI testing does not sufficiently reflect a veteran’s level of impairment, and (2) when multiple tests are of record, it allows the rater to select the test result that would grant the veteran the highest evaluation.

Additionally, VA is fixing a technical error with the section heading for 38 CFR 4.100 to ensure that it is applicable to all diagnostic codes that could use the general rating formula for diseases of the heart in its evaluation criteria, such as DCs 7009 and 7110.

Correction

In FR Rule Doc. No. 2021–19998, published September 30, 2021, at 86 FR 54089, make the following corrections:

§ 4.100 [Corrected]

- 1. On page 54093, at the top of the third column, remove the section heading “§ 4.100 Application of the evaluation criteria for diagnostic codes 7000–7007, 7011, and 7015–7020.” and add in its place “§ 4.100 Application of the general rating formula for diseases of the heart.”
- 2. On page 54095, in § 4.104, correct Note (2) in the entry for diagnostic code 7114 “Peripheral arterial disease” to read as follows: