

Does Your Condition Qualify for Federal Disability Retirement?

Are you a federal worker struggling to do your job because of an injury or illness? Check the chart to see if disability retirement is right for you!

Did your disability occur on the job or was it preexisting?

On the job

If your disability occurred on the job or while in your federal role, you might qualify for FDR. You may also be eligible for OWCP.

Preexisting

Preexisting conditions qualify for FDR if they worsened during your federal employment.

Are you struggling with a mental or a physical disability?

Mental

Mental conditions qualify if they are diagnosed. The OPM requires a diagnosis, not just symptoms or assumptions.

Physical

Physical conditions qualify for disability retirement. You can be approved for more than one condition.

Is your disability expected to be long-term?

Yes

To qualify for Federal Disability Retirement, your medical condition must be expected to last at least a year.

No

To be eligible, your condition must be long-term, which means it's expected to last at least a year.

Many medical conditions can become long-term or chronic if treatment is not effective.

The Takeaway: Many medical conditions can qualify for Federal Disability Retirement. Each case is unique, and we don't want you to miss out on this life changing benefit because you're unsure if your condition would qualify.

Let us give you a clear path forward.

Schedule a FREE Consultation

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