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Eligibility

If you or your family member has an illness caused by exposure to toxic water, you may be eligible if you spent at least 30 days at Camp Lejeune between August 1, 1953, and December 31, 1987. You may also seek compensation on behalf of a family member who was exposed and died.

You may be eligible even if you previously filed a claim with the Navy about Camp Lejeune and it was denied.

You may be eligible if you are receiving VA medical benefits, but these benefits may be deducted from any damages you win.

ELIGIBILITY AND HOW TO FILE A CLAIM



Process

Claims must be filed with the Navy by August 2024.

If the Navy denies your claim or does not respond within six months, you may then file a lawsuit in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

The federal judges overseeing the litigation are moving quickly, with the first cases going to trial in the middle of 2024.

Illnesses caused by the chemicals include: Kidney cancer, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, leukemia, liver cancer, bladder cancer, multiple myeloma, Parkinson's disease, end-stage renal (kidney) disease, systemic sclerosis/scleroderma, birth defects (particularly cardiac defects), and many others.