

ASTHMA CLAIM CHECKLIST

Complete this file review before submitting or requesting an increased rating.

FEV1 FLOW FVC 6602

FILE REVIEW

CHECK BEFORE FILING

☒ Current asthma diagnosis documented	☒ Service-connection theory identified
☒ Qualifying PACT service and diagnosis timing verified	☒ Direct or secondary nexus evidence included when needed
☒ Recent PFT report included	☒ FEV-1 and FEV-1/FVC values clearly labeled
☒ Medication classes and routes identified	☒ Systemic steroid courses counted by date
☒ Exacerbation physician visits documented	☒ Respiratory-failure episodes supported by medical records
☒ Verified attack history included when exam findings are absent	☒ Decision letter checked against each alternative DC 6602 criterion