

CELIAC RESEARCH LIMITS

The current coded Board sample is small and should be read with restraint.



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DECISIONS

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DENIED SC ISSUES

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CLASSIFIED DENIALS

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GRANTS READ FOR BOD

WHAT TO DOCUMENT

DIGESTIVE CLAIM FILE

SMALL N

Expect instability

A few new decisions can materially change percentages in small subgroups.

SCOPE

Board decisions only

The dataset does not represent all VA regional-office claims.

TEXT

Coded published decisions

Categories depend on what appears in the decision text.

USE

Describe, do not predict

Use the data to understand patterns, not to forecast an individual result.

