



MIGRAINE CLAIMS

SEVERE ECONOMIC INADAPTABILITY

A calibrated guide to service connection, attack documentation, and the DC 8100 rating criteria.

CLINICAL FIELD REFERENCE

FOUR POINTS TO UNDERSTAND

NOT TDIU

TOTAL UNEMPLOYABILITY IS NOT REQUIRED

The Court has held that DC 8100 does not require complete inability to work.

CAPABLE

PRODUCING OR CAPABLE OF PRODUCING

The phrase can include attacks capable of producing severe economic inadaptability.

RECORDS

DOCUMENT THE WORK PATTERN

Use leave records, absences, early departures, reduced schedules, accommodations, warnings, or lost opportunities.

WHOLE

SHOW THE COMPLETE IMPACT

Describe frequency, duration, recovery time, reliability, concentration, travel, and safety effects.

Apply the current regulation and case law to the individual record. Attack frequency, severity, duration, and functional impact should be documented accurately and consistently.

