

Table to assist consideration of HMAF ‘medically discharged’ cases (see section 11) according to:

- **circumstances of injury/medical condition**
- **length of service completed at date of discharge**

Notes: table assumes applicant meets requirements for settlement (**paragraphs 276F - 276Q**) other than requirement to have completed 4 years’ service.

A grant of limited Leave Outside the Rules on code 1A would give entitlement to work and claim benefits pending medical treatment, but not lead to settlement.

SOURCE OF INJURY/MEDICAL CONDITION	PERIOD OF SERVICE PERIOD COMPLETED AT DATE OF DISCHARGE						
	before completion of initial training	end of initial training - <1 yr	1 yr - < 2 yrs	2 yrs - < 3 yrs	3yrs - < 3yrs 6m	3yrs 6m - <3yrs 9m	3 yrs 9m – < 4 yrs
within operational theatre	N/A	Settlement normally appropriate	Settlement normally appropriate	Settlement normally appropriate	Settlement normally appropriate	Settlement normally appropriate	Settlement normally appropriate
outside operational theatre <i>attributable</i> to service in HMAF	Settlement normally inappropriate unless very serious or catastrophic injury involved <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement may be appropriate - depending on degree of injury/illness and prognosis <i>especially if applicant needs ongoing medical treatment post-discharge.</i> <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement may be appropriate - depending on degree of injury/illness and prognosis <i>especially if applicant needs ongoing medical treatment post-discharge.</i> <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement normally appropriate depending on degree of injury/illness and prognosis <i>especially if applicant needs ongoing medical treatment post-discharge.</i>	Settlement normally appropriate depending on degree of injury/illness and prognosis <i>especially if applicant needs ongoing medical treatment post-discharge.</i>	Settlement normally appropriate even where injury/illness relatively minor	Settlement normally appropriate even where injury/illness relatively minor
outside operational theatre <i>non-attributable</i> to service in HMAF	Settlement normally inappropriate <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement normally inappropriate <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement normally inappropriate <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement normally inappropriate <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement may be appropriate <i>Possible grant of limited leave outside the rules to complete treatment</i>	Settlement may be appropriate	Settlement <i>may</i> be appropriate (even where injury/illness relatively minor)