



**The American Legion  
Department Service Officer School  
Winning Claims at Your Regional Office in 2022  
Virtual Training Agenda  
March 7 - 27, 2022**



<b>Lesson</b>	<b>Lesson Title</b>
1	Introduction: How to Take Lessons
2	The American Legion Code of Procedures / VA Standards of Conduct
3	VA Systems: VBMS, Privacy Training, and TRIP
4	Process: Four VA Claim Scenarios
5	Process: VA Forms Overview / Intent to File
6	Process: Completing VA Forms
7	Service Connection: Fundamentals of Direct Service Connection
8	Service Connection: Chronic Conditions
9	Service Connection: Presumptive Conditions
10	Process: Filing Exposure Claims
11	Service Connection: Secondary & Aggravated
12	Process: Arguing the Presumption of Sound Condition
13	Service Connection: Joint Conditions
14	Process: VA's Duty to Assist & Issues with Locating Records
15	Disability Ratings: Fundamentals
16	Disability Ratings: Total Disability Based on Individual Unemployability
17	Disability Ratings: Joint Conditions
18	Process: Evaluation of C&P Examinations
19	Process: Winning Claims with Written Advocacy
20	Veterans and VA Debt
21	Women Veterans, LGBTQ+ Veterans, and MST / PTSD Claims
22	Process: Steps After Winning a Service Connection Claim
23	Process: Claim Submission Exercise
24	Process: AMA Overview
25	Recent Court Decisions
26	How Federal Court Decisions Assist Veterans
27	School Evaluation
28	School Test