

# Fact Sheet - World Trade Center

September 11 Victim Compensation Fund (VCF)



## \$7.3 billion available

**Breaking News:** Victim Compensation Fund Extends Eligibility Deadline for WTC-Related Cancers: people diagnosed cancers may register VCF claims within 2 years of the date that they were told by a governmental agency (i.e. such as the WTC Health Program, NYC Pension Board, or Workers Compensation Board) that their cancer was related to their WTC exposure. Claimants diagnosed with cancers years ago may be still eligible for compensation if they get certified now by the WTCHP.

EXTENDED TO

## 2020 december 18

The Zadroga Reauthorization Act extends the September 11 Victim Compensation Fund until December 18, 2020.

The Act also reauthorizes and fully funds the World Trade Center Health Program for 75 more years.

DID YOU KNOW

## 9 months of exposure eligibility

If you were in Manhattan below Canal Street, the Staten Island Landfill, the barge loading piers, or the routes of debris removal anytime between September 11, 2001 and May 31, 2002, you may be eligible for compensation based on the dates and number of hours spent within the exposure zone.

MORE THAN

## 70 types of cancers, including skin cancers and prostate cancer

Virtually all diagnosed cancers or interstitial lung diseases are eligible, as well as COPD and WTC-related traumatic injuries.

AT LEAST

## 8 different groups of eligibility

Rescue workers, recovery workers, cleanup workers, construction workers, survivors caught in the dust cloud, residents, office workers, teachers and students are eligible to be compensated based on number of hours within the exposure zones during the time period September 11, 2001 and May 31, 2002.



## for more information:

If you think you might have a claim or just want more information, please call 1-888-FIRELAW (1-888-347-3529) or 212-385-8000 - the consultation is free. If we are not able to gain a recovery on your behalf - you pay no fee.

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