

# Many Veterans have Deep Animosity for the "Veterans Administration"

I'm in this group because our elected Govt, DOD and VA will NOT step up to the plate and give the Veterans and Civilians their medical and disability needs over the **DEADLY** Agent Orange Dioxin that was forced upon us by our Govt, Monsanto and Dow Chemical. After 3 and 4 generations later, AO is still today causing extensive birth defects and deadly diseases. When will the effects of dioxin go away? Don't ask VA or our Government.

As ED stated, in other areas our VA are very GOOD. They just needed to be forced into doing what is right after being in the Court systems for years. We are just getting tired of fighting them.

Most VA hospitals try very hard but are overwhelmed by the volume of sick Veterans. Our VA Hospital in Oklahoma City was slammed by the Press and the VA Inspector General. 2 years ago, they were rated as one of the best, but I recently have been taking a Vietnam Vet with severe A-Fib heart problems there for treatment. That care has really gone down-hill. They now have contract weekly Cardiologists from a major Hosp next door that just tries to push you out the door for the next patient. They have learned the VA way and will try to deny any documentation for Ischemic Heart Diseases, thus denying IHD (which is a catch-all for many heart problems) for the Vet in need for disability.

I was told by VA that because my arteries were clogged and I had 2 stents put in, I no longer qualified for IHD. Guess that I should not have had the stents put in.

Since I was again denied by the VA Appeals Court (appointed by our Govt) for my AO exposure on Johnston Island, I now have to get a Lawyer to go to the US Court of Appeals for Veteran Affairs, hence my animosity.

As more and more locations keep getting found that has AO and our Govt continues to lie and cover-up, it again brings up the un-answered question;

***When will our Government do what is right on a timely basis??***

## **Agent Orange**

**Our Governments Unwanted Gift That Keeps on Giving Until  
You Die As VA Continues to Deny!!**

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