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September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

The events of September 11, 2001, left an imprint that time cannot erase. The grief, disbelief, and resolve we felt in those days will always be part of us — and for many, the impact goes far beyond memory.

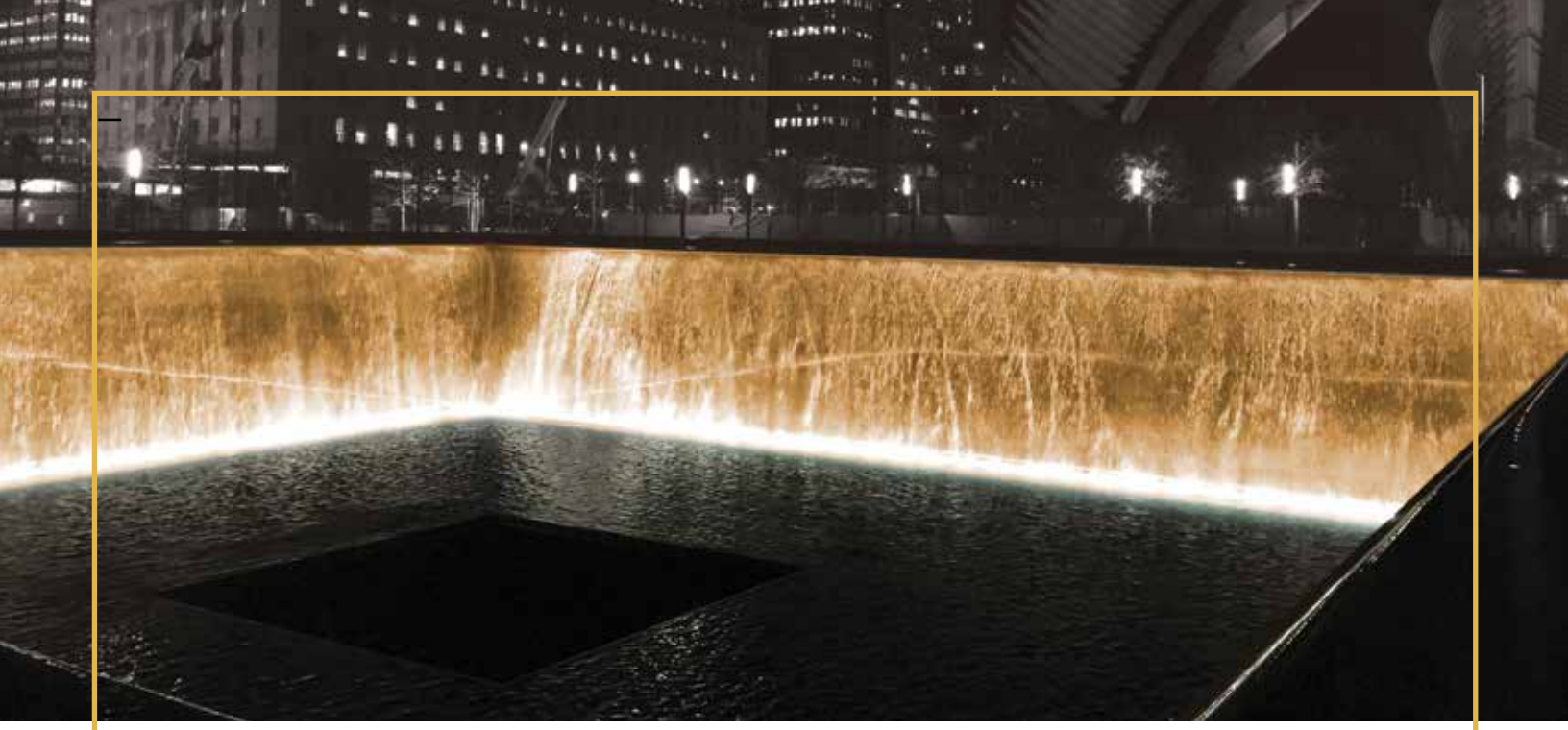
Countless individuals who lived or worked in lower Manhattan, and those who took part in rescue, recovery, and clean-up efforts after the attack, continue to face serious health challenges linked to their exposure at or near the World Trade Center site.

September 11th Victim Compensation Fund & the World Trade Center Health Program

To support those affected, the federal government established the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund (VCF) and the World Trade Center Health Program (WTC Health Program) that provides free medical monitoring and treatment for certified 9/11-related illnesses. The VCF offers financial compensation to victims or their surviving family members for illnesses, injuries, or deaths that the WTC Health Program determines are connected to exposure within the 9/11 Exposure Zone.

What is the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund?

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund is administered by the U.S. Department of Justice. It reviews and approves claims for benefits and provides financial compensation to those whose health or lives were impacted by exposure at or near the World Trade Center site. Each claim is reviewed by a Special Master who determines eligibility and the amount of the award in accordance with federal law.



Who is Eligible for VCF Benefits?

You may qualify for benefits if you suffered a physical injury or illness due to your presence in the 9/11 Exposure Zone between September 11, 2001, and May 30, 2002. The WTC Health Program regularly adds new conditions to the list of covered illnesses. While mental health conditions alone are not covered, they may accompany physical illnesses that are. You do not need to be a U.S. citizen to apply. Family members of individuals who passed away from a certified 9/11-related illness or injury are also eligible to file on their behalf.

Are There Deadlines?

Yes. You must register within two years of either the date of death or the date that a condition is certified by the WTC Health Program as 9/11-related. The application process requires detailed documentation of your time in the Exposure Zone, your certified condition, and supporting evidence. The large number of applications means reviews can take more than a year to complete.

How Can Grey & Grey Help?

Grey & Grey's attorneys have extensive experience representing 9/11 victims and their families. We personally handle every case from start to finish — preparing your application, gathering documentation, representing you at hearings, and filing appeals when needed. Our goal is to secure the maximum award available under the law. We charge no fee unless we obtain an award for you. When we do, our fee is limited to 10%, as set by law.

Grey & Grey has proudly represented hundreds of 9/11 victims and their families — securing nearly $37 million in awards to date.

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