#### Department of Veterans Affairs M21-1MR, Part III, Subpart v

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#### Transmittal Sheet

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| Changes Included in This Revision | The table below describes the changes included in this revision of Veterans Benefits Manual M21-1MR, Part III, “General Claims Process,” Subpart v, “General Authorization Issues and Claimant Notifications.”***Notes***: * The term Veterans Service Center Manager (VSCM) also includes Pension Management Center Manager (PMCM), where appropriate.
* Minor editorial changes have also been made to
* update incorrect or obsolete hyperlink references
* update obsolete terminology, where appropriate
* renumber each topic based on the standard that the first topic in each section is Topic 1
* clarify block labels and/or block text, and
* bring the documents into conformance with M21-1MR standards.
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| Reason(s) for the Change | Citation |
| To re-number and remove obsolete terminology from topic titles | Part III, Subpart v, Chapter 4, Section F |
| To re-number and remove obsolete terminology from topic titles and introduction | III.v.4.F.1 |
| To update term improved death to Survivors pension | III.v.4.F.1.a |
| To re-number and remove obsolete terminology from topic titles and introduction | III.v.4.F.2 |
| To update term improved death to Survivors pension. To update the topic number in the MR hyperlink | III.v.4.F.2.a |
| To update term improved death to Survivors pension | III.v.4.F.2.b, c, d, e, g |
| To re-number topic | III.v.4.F.3 |
| To re-number topic | III.v.4.F.4 |
| To correct hyperlink label | III.v.4.F.4.c |
| To update topic numbers on the MR hyperlinks | III.v.4.F.4.e |
| To update topic number on MR hyperlink | III.v.4.F.5.b |

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