RESCISSION OF VHA HANDBOOK 1203.01, REHABILITATION RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICE MERIT REVIEW PROGRAM AND VHA HANDBOOK 1203.04, REHABILITATION RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

1. By direction of the Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration (VHA) Handbooks 1203.01, Rehabilitation Research and Development Service Merit Review Program, dated April 24, 2009 and 1203.04, Rehabilitation Research and Development Centers, dated February 5, 2009, are rescinded.

2. These VHA Handbooks contain procedures that no longer meet the requirements for published national VHA policy and the information has been removed to Program Guide 1203.01 and Program Guide 1203.04, which can be located at http://www.research.va.gov/resources/policies/handbooks.cfm.

3. All inquiries concerning this action should be addressed to the Office of Research and Development (10P9) at 202-443-5600.

4. This VHA Notice will be archived as of March 31, 2018. However, the rescission information will remain in effect.

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