

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

ROBIN DONNELLY-BARCUS,

Claimant,

vs.

BRIGHTSTAR CARE,

Employer,

and

NORGUARD INSURANCE CO.,

Insurance Carrier,
Defendants.

File No. 20002614.03

ALTERNATE MEDICAL CARE

CONSENT ORDER

Claimant filed an Original Notice and Petition for Alternate Medical Care with this agency on August 17, 2022. In the Original Notice and Petition for Alternate Medical Care, claimant requested defendants be ordered to authorize treatment with a physiatrist.

Based on emails with counsel for both parties, and a proposed consent order, defendants agree to schedule an appointment with Eric Aschenbrenner, M.D. in Coralville, Iowa.

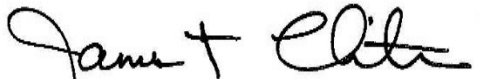
To avoid an unnecessary hearing, and yet protect the interests of their clients, the parties agree to entry of a consent order, requiring defendants to schedule an appointment with claimant with Dr. Aschenbrenner in Coralville, Iowa.

This consent order is not intended to reflect findings of fact or conclusions of law relative to this claim. Rather, it is intended to document and enter an order that is consistent with both parties' positions and acceptable to both parties. A formal alternate medical care hearing was not conducted, as all parties consented to entry of this order and waived the formal hearing.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

Pursuant to the agreement of the parties prior to the scheduled August 29, 2022, alternate medical care hearing, defendants shall schedule an appointment with claimant to be seen by Dr. Aschenbrenner in Coralville, Iowa. Claimant retains the right to file another petition for alternate medical care regarding this matter if necessary.

Signed and filed this 29th day of August, 2022.



JAMES F. CHRISTENSON
DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

The parties have been served, as follows:

Andrew Giller (via WCES)

Eric Lanham (via WCES)