BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

CHRISTOPHER LEONARD,

Claimant, : File No. 22700249.02

VS.

GREYSTONE MANUFACTURING LLC, : ALTERNATE MEDICAL CARE

Employer, : CONSENT ORDER

and

CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

Insurance Carrier, Defendants.

Claimant filed an application for alternate medical care on October 18, 2023, requesting that defendants be ordered to authorize the referral to pain management physician Dr. Jaycox and that an appointment be scheduled. Hearing was scheduled for October 31, 2023 at 10:30 am by telephone.

Prior to hearing on October 31, 2023, the parties advised the undersigned that they have reached an agreement concerning Claimant's petition for alternate medical care. The parties request that a Consent Order be entered in this case in lieu of a hearing.

Dr. Jaycox treats in Chicago, IL. Since filing his petition for alternate medical care, Claimant indicated to defendants that he is moving to Davenport, IA, approximately three hours from Chicago, IL. It is therefore no longer reasonable for treatment to be authorized with Dr. Jaycox. Defendants instead agree that pain management will be authorized with a pain management physician located a more reasonable distance from the Claimant's new residence. A hearing is therefore determined to be unnecessary based on the agreement of the parties.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

The parties agree that defendants will authorize claimant to be evaluated by a pain management physician a reasonable distance from his new residence in Davenport, IA.

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The hearing scheduled	for Oc	tober 31, 2023 is cancelled.
Signed and filed this	1st	day of November, 2023.

JESSICA L. CLEEREMAN
DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

The parties have been served, as follows:

Connor Mulholland (via WCES)

L. Tyler Laflin (via WCES)