

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

ADRIANA MCDOWELL,

Claimant,

vs.

UNITYPOINT HEALTH—DES MOINES,

Employer,
Self-Insured,
Defendant.

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File No. 5057469

WORKERS COMPENSATION ORDER GRANTING

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

The undersigned issued an arbitration decision on February 27, 2018. In Section V(A) of the arbitration decision the undersigned denied claimant's request for reimbursement of Dr. Bansal's independent medical examination and report because the defendant did not seek an independent medical examination before Dr. Bansal conducted the independent medical examination and because Dr. Bansal's bill was not itemized.

On March 16, 2018, Claimant filed an application for rehearing stating the defendant had agreed to pay the cost of the independent medical examination and report. Pursuant to the agreement of the parties the decision should be modified to reflect the defendant stipulated to the reimbursement of Dr. Bansal's independent medical examination and report.

ORDER

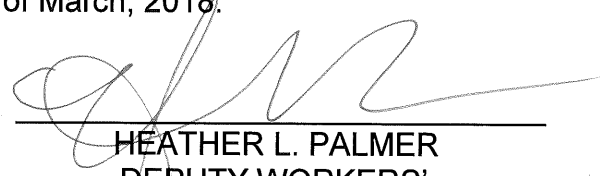
Claimant's application for rehearing is GRANTED. Section V(A) of the arbitration decision is modified, as follows:

Defendant stipulated it will pay the cost of Dr. Bansal's independent medical examination and report. Claimant is entitled to recover the \$2,977.00 cost of Dr. Bansal's independent medical examination and report.

The Order section of the arbitration decision is also modified as follows:

Defendants are assessed one hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$100.00) for the filing fee, the one hundred ninety-nine and 63/100 dollars (\$199.63) cost of McDowell's deposition transcript, and the two thousand nine hundred seventy-seven and 00/100 dollars (\$2,977.00) cost of Dr. Bansal's independent medical examination and report.

Signed and filed this 27th day of March, 2018.


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DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

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