

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

LUQUITA HALL,

Claimant,

vs.

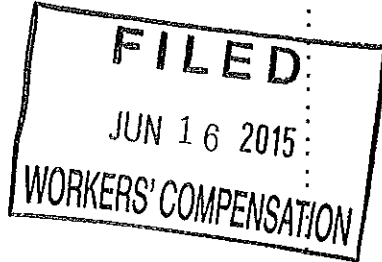
REM IOWA,

Employer,

and

REM SILS OF IOWA/GALLAGHER
BASSETT,

Insurance Carrier,
Defendants.



File No. 5052626

ALTERNATE MEDICAL
CARE DECISION

HEAD NOTE NO: 2701

This is a contested case proceeding under Iowa Code chapters 17A and 85. The expedited procedure of rule 876 IAC 4.48, the "alternate medical care" rule, is requested by claimant, Luquita Hall. Claimant filed a petition on June 2, 2015. Defendants filed an answer on June 10, 2015. Defendants admitted the occurrence of a work injury on June 18, 2014.

The alternative medical care claim came on for hearing on June 15, 2015. Prior to beginning evidentiary hearing, the parties engaged in a discussion of the outstanding issues presented for resolution. Following discussion, the parties requested an order commemorating their agreement as to alternate care. Defendants represented Ai Huong Phu, D.O. and Heike Schmolck, M.D., are designated as authorized providers. Any outstanding prescriptions previously ordered by these physicians either have been or will be authorized by defendants. Claimant expressed satisfaction with the care offered by defendants.

ORDER

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

Claimant's application for alternate care is granted, insofar as Drs. Phu and Schmolck are designated as authorized providers and any outstanding prescriptions ordered by these physicians have been or will be authorized by defendants.

Signed and filed this 16th day of June, 2015.

ERICA J. FITCH
DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

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