

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

TAYLOR JEWELL,

Claimant,

vs.

HILLS & DALES CHILD
DEVELOPMENT CENTER,

Employer,

and

UNITED WISCONSIN INS. CO.,

Insurance Carrier,
Defendants.

File No. 22012617.05

ORDER OF CONSENT RE:
ALTERNATE MEDICAL CARE

Claimant filed a petition seeking alternate medical care on November 30, 2023. A telephonic hearing on this petition was scheduled to occur on December 12, 2023, at 10:30 AM. Prior to the alternate medical care hearing, counsel notified the undersigned that the parties were able to reach an amicable agreement and that a consent order should be entered.

With respect to the specific alternate medical care requested, claimant sought authorization of a referral to a pain clinic for diagnosis and possible treatment. Defendants have authorized the requested referral and have agreed to provide claimant with the date of the appointment within 30 days of this order.

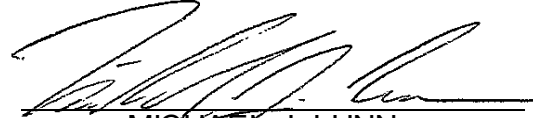
The parties desired that a consent order be entered in this case, in lieu of a hearing. After discussion between the parties and an agreement to provide the requested care, there is no justiciable issue for hearing and determination. Both parties agree that a consent order is appropriate and a formal hearing is unnecessary to resolve the contested case dispute.

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 December 12, 2023, alternate medical care hearing, defendants shall authorize the pain clinic referral and, within 30 days of this order, shall schedule claimant for an appointment. The appointment itself does not need to occur within 30 days of this order.

Signed and filed this 12th day of December, 2023.



MICHAEL J. LUNN
DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

The parties have been served as follows:

Gary Nelson (via WCES)

Laura Ostrander (via WCES)