Florida Office of Insurance Regulation Medical Malpractice Closed Claims Report

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Claim Number: 551 01 833664
Date Submitted: 4/5/2006

Insurer Information

Insurer Name Coverage Type

CHICAGO INSURANCE COMPANY Primary

Insurer FEIN Professional License Number

36-6042949

Insurer Contact Information

TypeFirst NameMILast NameIndividualRubyThompson

Street Address 33 West Monroe

CityStateZipChicagoIL60603

Phone Ext Fax E-Mail Address

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Insured Information

TypeFirst NameMILast NameIndividualFrankRodriguez

Insurer TypeStreet Address of PracticeLicensed560 VILLAGE BLVD

CityStateZip CodeCountyWEST PALM BEACHFL33409-1945Palm Beach

Policy Number Per Claim Policy Limits Aggregate Policy Limits

PSP 3000552 \$250,000 \$750,000

Profession or Business Other Profession or Business

Medical Doctor

License Number Specialty Code & Classification Certification Number

ME55556 Surgery - Gynecology

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Injured Person Information \mathbf{MI} **Date of Birth** First Name **Last Name** Street Address Gender **County where Injury Occurred** F Palm Beach City State Zip Code Location where injury occured Other location where injury occured Hospital Inpatient Facility Name of Institution Code SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL 100010 **Location of Institutional Injury** Other Location of Institutional Injury Labor and Delivery Room **Date of Occurrence Date Reported to Insurer** 9/24/2001 5/15/2001

Diagnostic Information

Final Diagnosis For Which Treatment Was Sought Including Patient's Actual Condition

Mother treated with insured for pre-natal care.

Operation, Diagnostic, Or Treatment Procedure Rendered Causing The Injury

Patient alleges insured used excessive force during delivery and also did not appreciate the size of the infant (baby weighted 9lbs 3 oz) prior to performing a vaginal delivery. Minor suffered a bilateral brachial plexus injury and has had two surgeries to date.

Diagnostic Code: 520

Misdiagnosis Made, If Any, Of Patient's Actual Condition

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Principal Injury Giving Rise To The Claim

Child suffers from right arm weakness and imbalance

Severity Of Injury

Permanent: Minor - Loss of fingers, loss or damage to organs. Includes non-disabling injuries.

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Legal Information

Date of Suit Circuit Court Case Number

7/29/2002 ca02009182 ab

County Suit Filed in Date of Final Disposition

Palm Beach 4/5/2005

Other Defendants Involved in this Claim

Rodriguez Obstetrics and Gynecology

St. Mary's Medical Center

Stage of Legal System at which Settlement was Reached or Award Made

More than 90 days, after suit filed and prior to or during the course of mandatory settlement conference.

Final Method of Claim Disposition

Settled by parties

Court Decision Other

Other settled -dismissed

Arbitration

Claim not subject to Arbitration.

Date of Payment

4/5/2005

Fin	ancial	Info	rmation

Was there a settlement Resulting in payment to the Plaintiff?

Indemnity Paid by Insurer on behalf of Insured

Loss Adjust Expense Paid to Defense Counsel

All Other Loss Adjustment Expense Paid

Injured Person's Total Non-Economic Loss

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Deductible \$0

Injured Person's Total Economic Loss

Incurred to Date Anticipated

 Medical Expense
 \$100,000
 \$0

 Wage Loss
 \$0
 \$0

 Other Expenses
 \$150,000
 \$0

Safety Management Steps Taken by Insured to Make Similar Occurrence Less Likely

none

Updates

No updates found.

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