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## Florida Office of Insurance Regulation Medical Malpractice Closed Claims Report

Department File Number: M200323693 Claim Number: 18884-01 Date Submitted: 5/8/2007

**Insurer Information** 

Insurer Name Coverage Type

AMERICAN PHYSICIANS ASSURANCE CORPORATION Primary

Insurer FEIN Professional License Number

38-2102867

**Insurer Contact Information** 

TypeFirst NameMILast NameIndividualChristineSampson

**Street Address** 

200 East Gaines Street

CityStateZipTallahasseeFL32399

Phone Ext Fax E-Mail Address

(850) 413 - 5358 (850) 921 - 8243 Christine.Sampson@fldfs.com

**Insured Information** 

TypeFirst NameMILast NameIndividualSHAHABKIDWAI

Insurer Type Street Address of Practice

Licensed 2000 N. FEDERAL HWY, SUITE 203

CityStateZip CodeCountyPOMPANO BEACHFL33062Broward

Policy Number Per Claim Policy Limits Aggregate Policy Limits

128329 \$250,000 \$750,000

Profession or Business Other Profession or Business

Medical Doctor

License Number Specialty Code & Classification Certification Number

ME36081 Neurology - Including Child - No Surgery 80261

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Injured Person Information

First Name MI Last Name Date of Birth

Street Address Gender County where Injury Occurred

F Broward
State Zin Code

City State Zip Code

Location where injury occured Other location where injury occured

Physician's Office

Name of Institution Code

Location of Institutional Injury Other Location of Institutional Injury

Date of Occurrence Date Reported to Insurer

10/31/2001 6/10/2002

## **Diagnostic Information**

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

SEVERE HEADACHES

Operation, Diagnostic, Or Treatment Procedure Rendered Causing The Injury

IT IS ALEGED THAT INSURED FAILED TO DIAGNOSE TEMPORAL ARTHERITIS IN A 69 YEAR OLD FEMALE, LEADING TO BLINDNESS IN ONE EYE.

**Diagnostic Code:** 

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

N/A

Principal Injury Giving Rise To The Claim

BLINDNESS IN ONE EYE.

**Severity Of Injury** 

Permanent: Significant - Deafness, loss of limb, loss of eye, loss of one kidney or lung.

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**Legal Information** 

Date of Suit Circuit Court Case Number

\*NR

County Suit Filed in Date of Final Disposition

\*NR 1/16/2003

Other Defendants Involved in this Claim

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

Within the pre-suit period as set forth in 766.106 (more than 90 days before suit is filed).

**Final Method of Claim Disposition** 

Settled by parties

Court Decision Other

No Court Proceedings.

Arbitration

Claim not subject to Arbitration.

**Date of Payment** 

Financial Information

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

\$0

\$0

\$0

\$0

All Other Loss Adjustment Expense Paid

\$0

\$0

Injured Person's Total Non-Economic Loss \$200,000

Deductible \$0

Injured Person's Total Economic Loss

Incurred to Date Anticipated

Medical Expense\$0\$0Wage Loss\$0\$0Other Expenses\$0\$0

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

INSURED CONSULTED WITH DEFENSE COUNSEL AND CLAIMS PERSONNEL REGARDING THIS MATTER.

Updates

**Date of Change:** 5/8/2007 10:04:59 AM

Reason for Change: OIR updating Historical Closed Claim data.

Field ChangedFormer ValueNew ValueInjured Person Address CountryUnited States

County Injury Occurred In

Portal User Name plcr\_migration\_dccs plcr\_migration\_dccs Christine Sampson

Insured License NumberME0036081ME36081Insured Last NameKIDWAI, MDKIDWAI

Yes