

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
RICHLAND COUNTY, OHIO
DIVISION OF DOMESTIC RELATIONS

Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Plaintiff/Petitioner,

vs/and

Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Defendant/Second Petitioner.

CASE NO. _____

JUDGE BETH OWENS

MEDICAL CHILD SUPPORT ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED as follows:

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.42, this child support order is binding on the obligor and the obligee, their employers, and any health plan administrator that provides health insurance coverage for either of them or their child(ren).

The term "health care expenses" as used herein includes, but is not limited to, medical, dental, surgical, hospital, prescription, optical, orthodontic, mental health, and physical and other therapy services which may be reasonable and appropriate to serve the health care needs of a child.

This order applies to the following child(ren):

Full Name:

Date of Birth:

Each party shall promptly notify the other party of an injury or illness of the child which has necessitated health care, and which occurs while the child is in the care of that party. The notification shall include an estimate of the costs of such care, if the party has such information when the notification is made.

When a party learns that a child is in need of non-emergency health care which costs more than \$100, that party shall immediately notify the other party of the need for such care, and the proposed health care provider's name and contact information. The other party may then contact the health care provider and obtain any desired information including, but not limited to, the necessity for such services, the proposed cost, and available payment schedules. The other party may also obtain a second opinion regarding such proposed health care for the child, but the second opinion shall be arranged and paid for by the party seeking the second opinion.

Unless otherwise ordered by the Court, the parties shall pay all extraordinary uninsured health care expenses of the child(ren) in the following percentages: **Father** _____% **Mother** _____. “Extraordinary uninsured health care expenses” means any uninsured medical expenses incurred for a child during a calendar year that exceed the total cash medical support amount owed by the parents during that year.

_____ shall provide health insurance coverage for the child(ren). Should the health insurance coverage be cancelled for any reason, the party ordered to provide health insurance shall immediately notify the other party and take immediate steps to obtain replacement coverage.

_____'s Employer:
(Name and Address)

_____'s Employer:
(Name and Address)

_____'s Insurer:
(Name and Address)

_____'s Insurer:
(Name and Address)

Policy/Contract Number(s):

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Both parties shall cooperate in the preparation and submission of insurance forms to obtain reimbursement or payment of expenses, as applicable. A copy of all medical bills and explanations of benefits received by one party shall be submitted to the other party within 14 days of receipt of the same. Each party shall then reimburse the other party or make satisfactory payment arrangements with the medical provider within 14 days.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.30:

If private health insurance coverage for the child(ren) is not available at a reasonable cost to the obligor or the obligee at the time the court or agency issues the order, the obligee shall obtain private health insurance coverage for the child(ren) not later than 30 days after it becomes available to the obligee at a reasonable cost, and shall inform the child support enforcement agency when private health insurance coverage for the child(ren) has been obtained.

If private health insurance becomes available to the obligor at a reasonable cost, the obligor shall inform the child support enforcement agency and may seek a modification of health insurance coverage from the court with respect to a court child support order.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.32:

If the obligor, obligee, or both obligor and obligee, are required to provide private health insurance coverage for the child(ren), whoever is required to provide private health insurance coverage shall provide to the other, not later than

30 days after the issuance of the order, information regarding the benefits, limitations, and exclusions of the coverage, copies of any insurance forms necessary to receive reimbursement, payment, or other benefits under the coverage, and a copy of any necessary insurance cards.

If the obligor, obligee, or both obligor and obligee, are required to provide private health insurance coverage for the child(ren), whoever is required to provide private health insurance coverage shall provide to the child support enforcement agency, not later than 30 days after the issuance of the order, documentation that verifies that coverage is being provided as ordered.

A person required to provide private health insurance coverage for the child(ren) shall designate the child(ren) as covered dependents under any private health insurance policy, contract, or plan for which the person contracts.

The employer of the person required to obtain private health insurance coverage through that employer is required to release to the other parent, any person subject to an order issued under section 3109.19 of the Revised Code, or the child support enforcement agency on written request any necessary information on the private health insurance coverage, including the name and address of the health plan administrator and any policy, contract, or plan number, and to otherwise comply with this section and any order or notice issued under this section.

If the person required to obtain private health insurance coverage for the child(ren) subject to this child support order obtains new employment, the agency shall comply with the requirements of section 3119.34 of the Revised Code, which may result in the issuance of a notice requiring the new employer to take whatever action is necessary to enroll the child(ren) in private health insurance coverage provided by the new employer, when insurance is not being provided by any other source.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.364, any employer who receives a copy of this order shall notify the child support enforcement agency of any change in or the termination of the health insurance coverage that is maintained pursuant to this order.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.421, any insurance reimbursement for covered out-of-pocket medical, optical, hospital, dental, or prescription expenses incurred on behalf of the child(ren) shall be made to the party making direct payment to the provider for such expenses. The names and addresses of the parties are set forth above.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3119.54, if the child is eligible for Medicaid, the parties shall notify any physician, hospital, or other provider of medical services that provides medical services to the child of the number of any health insurance or health care policy, contract, or plan that covers the child. The parties shall include in the notice the name and address of the insurer.

The Clerk of Courts is hereby directed to serve copies of the within Medical Child Support Order upon all parties, counsel of record, RCCSEA, and the employer(s) and insurer(s) listed above, by regular U.S. Mail.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

BETH OWENS, JUDGE