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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE  
FLORIDA MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY  
CLOSED CLAIM REPORTING FORM

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DEPT. FILE NO.

OCT 14 1988

INSURER'S CLAIM NUMBER: 509 JL 4798 09B 002

BUREAU OF RATES

1. PRIMARY INSURER NAME: ST. PAUL IHS COMP INSURER CODE: 01470  
(See Table A)

2. EXCESS INSURER NAME: NONE INSURER CODE: -----  
(See Table A)

3a. HEALTH CARE PROVIDER: CUERVO MARIO C.  
(Last Name, First and Middle Name or Hospital Name from Table D)

3b. IF HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (above) IS A PHYSICIAN, DENTIST OR  
PODIATRIST ENTER DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION LICENSE NUMBER: 0,0,4,0,7,3,0

3c. INSURED'S NAME: MARIO C CUERVO MD Same

STREET ADDRESS: 7500 S.W. 9TH ST, SUITE 204

CITY: MIAMI STATE: FL ZIP: 33144 COUNTY CODE: 011  
(See Table B)

	<u>POLICY NUMBER</u>	<u>PER CLAIM POLICY LIMITS</u>	<u>AGGREGATE POLICY LIMITS</u>
PRIMARY INSURER:	<u>509 JL 4798</u>	<u>\$ 250,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 750,000.00</u>
EXCESS INSURER:	<u>NONE</u>	<u>\$ NONE .00</u>	<u>\$ NONE .00</u>

5. IS THE INSURED PHYSICIAN A FOREIGN MEDICAL GRADUATE?  (01) Yes  (02) No (If yes, enter the country in which primary medical education was received: SPAIN)

6. PROFESSION OR BUSINESS: (Check one)  
 (01) Physicians & Surgeons  (03) Podiatrists  (05) Abortion Clinics  
 (02) Hospitals  (04) Dentist  (06) Ambulatory Surgical Centers

7. SPECIALTY CODE: 8,0,2,3,5 (Applies to physicians, surgeons, and dentists.)  
(See Table C) Use ISO Common Statistical Base Classification Codes.)

8. BOARD CERTIFICATION: (Check one)  
 (01) In specialty coded in Item 7, above.  
 (02) In a different specialty.  
 (03) In the specialty in Item 7 and another. Enter the additional specialty code here: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (04) Insured is not board certified. (See Table C)

9. PLACE WHERE INJURY OCCURRED: (Check one)  
 (01) Hospital Inpatient Facility  (04) Nursing Home  (07) Other Outpatient Facility  
 (02) Emergency Room  (05) Physician's Office  (08) Other Location  
 (03) Hospital Outpatient Facility  (06) Patient's Home  (09) Other Hospital/Institution

10. IF PLACE OF INJURY (above) IS CHECKED AS ((08) OTHER), THEN PROVIDE A DESCRIPTION OF THE PLACE WHERE THE INJURY OCCURRED: N/A

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11. NAME OF INSTITUTION: CEDARS HOSPITAL INSTITUTION CODE: 10,0009  
 (See Table D)

12. LOCATION OF INSTITUTIONAL INJURY: (Check one)

<input type="checkbox"/> (01) Patient's Room	<input type="checkbox"/> (05) Physical Therapy Dept.	<input type="checkbox"/> (09) Radiology
<input type="checkbox"/> (02) Operating Suite	<input type="checkbox"/> (06) Nursery	<input type="checkbox"/> (10) Emergency Room
<input type="checkbox"/> (03) Recovery Room	<input type="checkbox"/> (07) Critical Care Unit	<input type="checkbox"/> (11) Other _____
<input type="checkbox"/> (04) Labor & Delivery Room	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (08) Special Procedure Room	

13. DATE OF OCCURRENCE: 08/31/86  
 DATE REPORTED TO INSURER: 07/02/87

14. INJURED PERSON'S AGE: 89 Years (If less than one year, enter 00; if unknown, enter UNK.)

INJURED PERSON'S SEX: M (F) (Circle one)

14.1 INJURED PERSON'S NAME: A

STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Initial \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

15. FINAL DIAGNOSIS FOR WHICH TREATMENT WAS SOUGHT OR RENDERED: \_\_\_\_\_ (LEAVE BLANK)  
MAJOR DEPRESSION & MENTAL ILLNESS 15.

16. DESCRIBE MISDIAGNOSIS MADE, IF ANY, OF THE PATIENT'S ACTUAL CONDITION: \_\_\_\_\_ 16.  
NONE

17. DESCRIBE ACTION WHICH CAUSED CLAIM TO BE MADE: \_\_\_\_\_ 17.  
ELECTROCONVULSIVE THERAPY (SHOCK TREATMENT) (ECT)

18. DESCRIBE THE OPERATION, DIAGNOSTIC OR TREATMENT PROCEDURE CAUSING THE INJURY. USE NOMENCLATURE AND/OR DESCRIPTIONS OF THE PROCEDURES USED. INCLUDE METHOD OF ANESTHESIA, OR NAME OF DRUG USED FOR TREATMENT, WITH DETAIL OF ADMINISTRATION: \_\_\_\_\_ 18.  
IT IS ALLEGED CLMT ALLOWED TO AMBULATE TO SOON AFTER ECT, FELL & FRACTURED HER HIP

19. DESCRIBE THE PRINCIPAL INJURY GIVING RISE TO THE CLAIM. USE NOMENCLATURE AND/OR DESCRIPTIONS OF THE INJURY. INCLUDE TYPE OF ADVERSE EFFECT FROM DRUGS WHERE APPLICABLE: \_\_\_\_\_ 19.  
FRACTURED HIP

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27. COURT: (Check one)
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (01) No court proceedings.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (02) Directed verdict for plaintiff.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (03) Directed verdict for defendant.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (04) Judgment notwithstanding the verdict for plaintiff.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (05) Judgment notwithstanding the verdict for defendant.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (06) Judgment for the plaintiff. | <input type="checkbox"/> (07) Judgment for the defendant.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (08) Judgment for the plaintiff after appeal.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (09) Judgment for the defendant after appeal.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (10) Other<br><input type="checkbox"/> (11) Summary judgment for the plaintiff.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (12) Summary judgment for the defendant. |
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28. ARBITRATION: (Check one)
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (01) Claim not subject to arbitration.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (02) Claim subject to arbitration, but settlement reached in lieu of award. | <input type="checkbox"/> (03) Award for plaintiff.<br><input type="checkbox"/> (04) Award for defendant. |
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29. Was there an itemized verdict? (Check one)  
 (01) Yes      (02) No (If yes, please attach copy of settlement or verdict.)

30. INDEMNITY PAID BY YOU ON BEHALF OF THIS DEFENDANT: ----- \$ 0 .00
- 30.1 AMOUNT OF DEDUCTIBLE PAID BY THIS DEFENDANT: ----- \$ 0 .00
31. INDEMNITY PAID BY EXCESS CARRIER ON BEHALF OF THIS DEFENDANT: ----- \$ 0 .00
32. LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE PAID TO DEFENSE COUNSEL: ----- \$ 16,776 .00
33. ALL OTHER LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE PAID: ----- \$ 6774 .00
34. NUMBER OF DAYS OF INJURED PERSON'S WAGE LOSS PAID TO DATE: ----- 0 days
35. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF FUTURE DAYS OF INJURED PERSON'S WAGE LOSS: ----- 0 days
36. INJURED PERSON'S GROSS WEEKLY INCOME: ----- \$ 0 .00

37. INJURED PERSON'S TOTAL ECONOMIC LOSS:

	<u>MEDICAL</u>	<u>WAGE LOSS</u>	<u>OTHER EXPENSES</u>
A) INCURRED TO DATE - - - -	\$ <u>0</u> .00	\$ <u>0</u> .00	\$ <u>0</u> .00
B) ESTIMATED FUTURE - - - -	\$ <u>0</u> .00	\$ <u>0</u> .00	\$ <u>0</u> .00

38. AMOUNT PAID FOR INJURED PERSON'S NON-ECONOMIC LOSS: ----- \$ 0 .00

39. IF A STRUCTURED SETTLEMENT OR PERIODIC PAYMENTS USED IN THIS CLAIM:
- |  |                 |
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| A) PRESENT VALUE OF PERIODIC PAYMENTS -----  | \$ <u>0</u> .00 |
| B) COST TO THE INSURER OF THE PAYMENTS ----- | \$ <u>0</u> .00 |
| C) TOTAL EXPECTED PAYMENT TO PLAINTIFF ----- | \$ <u>0</u> .00 |
- D) DID YOU PURCHASE AN ANNUITY?     (01) Yes     (02) No

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20. SEVERITY OF INJURY: (check only one -- rate most serious injury if several are involved.)

- (01) Emotional only - Fright, no physical damage.
- (02) Insignificant - Lacerations, contusions, minor scars, rash. No delay.
- Temp-  (03) Minor - - - - - Infections, misset fracture, fall in hospital. Recovery delayed.
- orary  (04) Major - - - - - Burns, surgical material left, drug side effect, brain damage. Recovery delayed
- (05) Minor - - - - - Loss of fingers, loss or damage to organs. Includes nondisabling injuries.
- Perma-  (06) Significant - - Deafness, loss of limb, loss of eye, loss of one kidney or lung.
- nent  (07) Major - - - - - Paraplegia, blindness, loss of two limbs, brain damage.
- (08) Grave - - - - - Quadraplegia, severe brain damage, lifelong care or fatal prognosis.
- (09) Death

21. DATE OF SUIT, IF ANY: 5.31.88  
 21.1 CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: 87-47900  
 21.2 COUNTY CODE OF COUNTY SUIT FILED IN: 01 (SEE TABLE B)

22. LIST OTHER DEFENDANTS INVOLVED IN THIS CLAIM, THE INSURER'S NUMBER AND THE COMPANION CLAIM FILE ID NUMBER:

	DEFENDANT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name)	INSURER CODE NO.	INSURER FILE ID.
1)	<u>Pedars Medical Center</u>	<u>UNK</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
2)	<u>Florida Patients Compensation Fund</u>	<u>UNK</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
3)			
4)			
5)			

23. WAS PLAINTIFF REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY? (Check one)  
 (01) Yes  (02) No

24. DATE OF FINAL CLAIM DISPOSITION: 9.29.88

25. FINAL METHOD OF CLAIM DISPOSITION:  
 (01) Settled by parties.  
 (02) Disposed of by a court.  
 (03) Disposed of by arbitration.

26. STAGE OF THE LEGAL SYSTEM AT WHICH SETTLEMENT WAS REACHED OR AWARD MADE: (Check one)

- (01) Within the presuit period as set forth in Section 768.57, Florida Statute (usually within 90 days).
- (02) After arbitration is initiated or prior to suit being filed.
- (03) Within 90 days of suit being filed.
- (04) More than 90 days after suit filed and prior to or during the course of mandatory settlement conference
- (05) During trial but before court verdict.
- (06) After court verdict and prior to filing of notice of appeal.
- (07) After notice of appeal is filed or post-judgement relief or action is required for recovery.
- (08) During appeal.
- (09) After appeal.
- (10) Claim or suit abandoned.

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40. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE STRUCTURED SETTLEMENT INCLUDING HOW IT IS FINANCED: None

41. TYPE OF NON-ECONOMIC DAMAGE LIMIT: (Check one)

- (01) No limit (neither party requests or agrees to voluntary binding arbitration).
- (02) No limit (defendant refuses claimant's offer of voluntary binding arbitration).
- (03) \$250,000 limit (both parties accept arbitration). (See Item 42 for exception.)
- (04) \$350,000 limit (plaintiff rejects arbitration).
- (05) Does not apply because occurrence happened before the 02-08-88 law.

42. IF (03) IS CHECKED IN ITEM 41 AND THE LIMIT ON NON-ECONOMIC DAMAGES IS DIFFERENT THAN \$250,000, THEN INDICATE THE MODIFIED LIMIT: - - - - - \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

43. COLLATERAL SOURCE INFORMATION:

ENTER TO THE NEAREST PERCENT (use no decimals) THE PERCENT RECOVERY FOR ECONOMIC LOSS FROM:

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| A. <input type="checkbox"/> % Health                | D. <input type="checkbox"/> % Automobile                           |
| B. <input type="checkbox"/> % Disability            | E. <input type="checkbox"/> % Medicare, Medicaid & Social Security |
| C. <input type="checkbox"/> % Workers' Compensation | F. <input type="checkbox"/> % Other sources, specify: _____        |

44. SAFETY MANAGEMENT STEPS TAKEN BY INSURED TO MAKE SIMILAR OCCURRENCES LESS LIKELY: None  
No negligence

CONTACT PERSON: Linda P. Connor ADDRESS: PO 5907  
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LIABILITY REPORTING FORM

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Each self-insured hospital and ambulatory surgical center, each self-insurer authorized under s. 627.356 or s. 627.357 and each insurer or joint underwriting association providing professional liability insurance to a practitioner of medicine licensed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 458, to a practitioner of osteopathic medicine licensed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 459, to a podiatrist licensed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 461, to a dentist licensed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 466, to a hospital licensed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 395, to abortion clinics included in chapter 390 and to an ambulatory surgical center as defined in s. 395.002(2) shall report to the Department of Insurance any claim or action for damages for personal injuries claimed to have been caused by error, omission, or negligence in the performance of such insured's professional services or based on a claimed performance of professional services without consent, if the claim resulted in:

- a) A final judgement in any amount.
- b) A settlement in any amount.
- c) A final disposition not resulting in payment on behalf of the insured.

The legislature has recognized that the medical professional liability closed claim reporting form has two primary purposes. The original purpose is to collect statistical data on medical malpractice closed claims. The additional purpose, added in October 1, 1985, is to identify those physicians, podiatrist or dentist who may potentially be involved in conduct that is subject to disciplinary action. The latter function is being routed directly to the Department of Professional Regulation. Reports shall be filed with the Department of Insurance and, if the insured party is a practitioner of medicine, a practitioner of osteopathic medicine, a podiatrist, or a dentist, the claim report shall also be filed with the Department of Professional Regulation.

Reports shall be filed no later than sixty (60) days following the occurrence of any event listed in item a), b), or c) above. Submit a report for each individual practitioner or hospital insured by the filing insurer, including claims closed without payment. Complete all items on the form. If the information is unknown, enter "UNK", if not applicable, enter "NA". When an item calls for a dollar amount and no amount is involved, enter 0 in the space after the \$ sign. If a report is being prepared on a reopened case for which a previous report has been made, mark "previously reported" at the top of the first page of the report and next to it put the previously reported insurer claim number. Record all amounts in whole dollars, all dates as MMDDYY (example, 07/02/87), and all ages as the number of years old. Type or print clearly.