

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

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INSURER'S CLAIM NUMBER: 0509346577 090301

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CASUALTY PRIMARY INSURER NAME: ST. Paul Fire & Marine
FORMS & RATES

1. PRIMARY INSURER NAME: St. Paul Fire & Marine INSURER CODE: 01470
(See Table A)

2. EXCESS INSURER NAME: none INSURER CODE: N/A
(See Table A)

3a. HEALTH CARE PROVIDER: Tatum, William 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: 0006003

3c. INSURED'S NAME: RESIDENTS & INTERNS OF SUNCOAST HOSP.

STREET ADDRESS: 2025 INDIAN ROCKS RD.

CITY: LARGO STATE: FL ZIP: 34294 COUNTY CODE: 04
(See Table B)

4.	POLICY NUMBER	PER CLAIM POLICY LIMITS	AGGREGATE POLICY LIMITS
PRIMARY INSURER:	<u>0509346577</u>	<u>\$ 1mil .00</u>	<u>\$ 3mil .00</u>
EXCESS INSURER:	<u>none</u>	<u>\$ 0 .00</u>	<u>\$ 0 .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: _____)

6. PROFESSION OR BUSINESS: (Check one)
 (01) Physicians & Surgeons (04) Dentist (07) Crisis Stabilization Unit
 (02) Hospitals (05) Abortion Clinics (08) Health Maintenance
 (03) Podiatrists (06) Ambulatory Surgical Centers Organization

7. SPECIALTY CODE: 84431 (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: NIA

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11. NAME OF INSTITUTION: Suncoast Hospital INSTITUTION CODE: 100015
 (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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> (08) Special Procedure Room	_____

13. DATE OF OCCURRENCE: 1/4/86
 DATE REPORTED TO INSURER: 12/9/86

14. INJURED PERSON'S AGE: 69 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
 STREET ADDRESS
 CITY

15. FINAL DIAGNOSIS FOR WHICH TREATMENT WAS SOUGHT OR RENDERED: gastric ulcer (LEAVE BLANK) 15.

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

17. DESCRIBE ACTION WHICH CAUSED CLAIM TO BE MADE: Client required prolonged hospitalization due to Guillain-Barre syndrome. Questionably related to abdominal surgery. Patient developed an abdominal hernia. 17.

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: Subtotal gastrectomy & repair of anastomosis leak. 18.

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: See #17 above. 19.

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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: 4/7/88

21.1 CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: 88-005333-019

21.2 COUNTY CODE OF COUNTY SUIT FILED IN: 04 (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>Elliott, C. W.</u>	<u>01470</u>	<u>0509346571090301</u>
2) <u>Lowery, G. David</u>	<u>01470</u>	<u>0509346571090301</u>
3) <u>Suncoast Hospital</u>	<u>01470</u>	<u>HK00900002090317</u>
4) _____	_____	_____
5) _____	_____	_____

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

24. DATE OF FINAL CLAIM DISPOSITION: 9/27/90

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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27. COURT: (Check one)

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) No court proceedings. | <input type="checkbox"/> (07) Judgment for the defendant. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (02) Directed verdict for plaintiff. | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) Judgment for the plaintiff after appeal. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) Directed verdict for defendant. | <input type="checkbox"/> (09) Judgment for the defendant after appeal. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (04) Judgment notwithstanding the verdict for plaintiff. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (10) Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) Judgment notwithstanding the verdict for defendant. | <input type="checkbox"/> (11) Summary judgment for the plaintiff. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (06) Judgment for the plaintiff. | <input type="checkbox"/> (12) Summary judgment for the defendant. |

28. ARBITRATION: (Check one)

- | | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (01) Claim not subject to arbitration. | <input type="checkbox"/> (03) Award for plaintiff. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (02) Claim subject to arbitration, but settlement reached in lieu of award. | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) Award for defendant. |

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: - - - - - \$ 0 .00

33. ALL OTHER LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE PAID: - - - - - \$ 0 .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:

- | | |
|---|-------------------------|
| 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? <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (02) No | |

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40. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE STRUCTURED SETTLEMENT INCLUDING HOW IT IS FINANCED: N/A

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: - - - - - \$ N/A .00

43. COLLATERAL SOURCE INFORMATION:

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

- | | |
|---|---|
| A. <input type="checkbox"/> % Health | D. <input type="checkbox"/> % Automobile |
| B. <input type="checkbox"/> % Disability | E. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> % <u>Medicare</u> , 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 required

CONTACT PERSON: Cindy Harris ADDRESS P.O. Box 31826
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Tampa, FL 33607-1712
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November 5, 1997

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RE: Claim Number : 0509JL6577 09C301
Insured : Residents & Interns of Suncoast
Hospital
Claimant : William Hackney
Date of Claim : 01/04/86

Dear Ms. Barnes:

Per instructions of Al Bush submitted some time in 1995, we had re-filed a form on behalf of Dr. Tatum and thought that this issue had been resolved. In further checking, Dr. Tatum found that this claim remained on his information provided through the State to outside inquirers.

Enclosed please find a revised report indicating that the incident had previously been reported, but now reflecting that \$0.00 (zero) has been paid on behalf of this defendant. You will also note that in answer to Question #44 that no safety management step was required. This had been erroneously reported under Dr. Tatum's name as opposed to another resident involved in this incident. I would appreciate you correcting this on behalf of Dr. Tatum and send me confirmation of this correction.

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If there is anything additional you need please feel free to give me a call.

Yours very truly,

ST. PAUL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

Cindy Harris/vws

Cindy Harris,
Regional Medical Claim Specialist

CH:vws

Enclosure