

**JANE DOE NO. 1, et al. v. JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL, et al.**  
**CASE NO. 24-C-13-001041**  
**CIRCUIT COURT FOR BALTIMORE CITY**

September 3, 2015

Dear Madam,

You are receiving this letter because you submitted a claim in the class action case against Johns Hopkins Hospital involving Dr. Nikita Levy.

As you have been informed, a settlement has been reached in the case. The Court is now beginning the process of determining how the settlement money will be distributed among those women who were hurt by Dr. Levy. The Court has appointed an Allocation Team, led by Judge Irma S. Raker (Ret.) as the Claims Adjudicator and supported by RG/2 Claims Administration LLC, to assist in this process.

**1. CONFIRMING YOU WERE A PATIENT OF DR. LEVY**

Only women who have submitted a claim and who the Court can confirm were patients of Dr. Levy will be eligible to receive money in the settlement. Johns Hopkins Hospital has provided the Allocation Team with a list of Dr. Levy's patients. If your name does not appear on this list you will be contacted by the Allocation Team and afforded an opportunity to provide evidence that you were a patient of Dr. Levy.

**2. EVALUATING YOUR CLAIM: THE CLAIM INTERVIEW**

Over 9,000 timely claims have been submitted in the case. To evaluate these claims, each person in the suit who is a confirmed patient of Dr. Levy will be interviewed by telephone. The interview is a list of questions about your experience and treatment with Dr. Levy. The purpose of the interview is to help the Judge understand whether and how much you might have been injured by Dr. Levy. The Judge will then use this information to determine compensation.

You will be contacted by a member of the Allocation Team to schedule a one-on-one interview at a time that is convenient for you. Your interview will be conducted by a member of the Allocation Team and is expected to last between 30 to 60 minutes. Your identity and your responses to the interview questions will be kept completely confidential.

The interview is not mandatory. However, if you are not interviewed, the Judge will not be able to determine whether or how much you may have been injured by Dr. Levy. If this is the case, you might get a smaller amount of money in the settlement than if you had been interviewed, and it is possible that you may get no money at all.

**3. TIMING**

The interviews are expected to begin in September 2015. The Allocation Team's goal is to interview each claimant. The Allocation Team expects that it will take several months to conduct and complete the interviews. The results of the interviews will then be given to the

Claims Adjudicator, who will decide the fairest way to split up the money. The Claims Adjudicator will then submit her recommendations of settlement payments for each claimant to the Court, and those recommendations must be approved by Court. After any appeals are resolved, and the Court approves the final set of recommended payments, payments will begin.

The Allocation Team will be working as quickly as possible but needs to be sure that all claims are evaluated fairly. The Court and the Allocation Team ask for your patience and cooperation during this process.

You will be contacted in writing when there has been a decision on your claim.

#### **4. QUESTIONS AND UPDATES**

Questions may be directed to the Allocation Team at (855) 731-7491 or [info@drlevyclassaction.com](mailto:info@drlevyclassaction.com). Updates regarding the allocation process will be posted on the official case website at [www.DrLevyClassAction.com](http://www.DrLevyClassAction.com).

Please promptly contact the Allocation Team with any changes to your address, telephone number or other contact information.

PLEASE **DO NOT** CALL OR WRITE THE COURT FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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