

Class Settlement of Florida Hospital Overcharge Suit Approved

“Mayo Clinic Jacksonville and a proposed class of 371 patients it treated for motor vehicle accident injuries received preliminary approval of a settlement involving claims the health-care provider overcharged them, a federal court in Florida said,” reports Mary Anne Pazanowski in *Bloomberg Law’s The United States Law Week*.

“The class was reasonably defined and met all the prerequisites for class certification, the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida said Tuesday.”

“Additionally, the total settlement amount of just over \$1 million appeared to be adequate, except for the amounts allocated to an incentive fee for the named plaintiff and for class counsel’s attorneys’ fees, the court said.”

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