STATE OF MINNESOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF ANOKA

TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Case Type: Personal Injury

Jason Zimmerman, on behalf of himself and others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil File No. 02-CV-19-6522

Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc.,

Defendant.

DECLARATION OF AMERICAN LEGAL CLAIM SERVICES, LLC REGARDING DUE DILLEGENCE IN NOTICING

- I, Snehal Indra, declare as follows:
- 1. I am a competent adult, over the age of eighteen, and this declaration is based on my personal knowledge.
- 2. I am a Case Manager for American Legal Claim Services, LLC ("ALCS"). ALCS was selected to serve as the Settlement Administrator and to otherwise comply with the provisions set forth in the Settlement Agreement and the Order Granting Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. I was responsible for overseeing the dissemination of Notice of Settlement to class members, claims processing, exclusion processing, and all other matters required as Settlement Administrator.
- 3. Class List Receipt and Processing. On October 4, 2021, ALCS received the mailing list ("Class List") from counsel for the Defendant. The Class List contained 9,307 records with the membership numbers, names and street addresses. ALCS reviewed and processed the data. A total of 57 duplicates were identified and removed based on a combination of name and address. The final Class List for Noticing contained 9,250 class members after the duplicates were removed. Throughout the noticing process, ALCS utilized several means of ensuring the most accurate mailing addresses for class members. These methods included National Change of Address through the USPS, skip-tracing, and manual updates from class members. And additional 243 duplicates were identified after the skip-trace process. The final number of class members is 9,007.
- 4. <u>Initial Class Notice</u>. On October 15, 2021, ALCS mailed the Class Notice, which included the Claim Form, substantially in the form approved by the Court (attached hereto as Exhibit A), to 9,007 class members.

- 5. Returned Mail Handling. ALCS processed all Class Action Notices returned by USPS. A minority of the mail included an updated address provided by the USPS ("FOE"). For these, the class member addresses were updated, and the Class Action Notice were remailed to the updated address provided. The remainder of the mail returned by the USPS did not contain an updated address ("UAA"). For these, ALCS conducted address searches using a nationally recognized location service to attempt to locate new addresses for these class members. Of the 9,007 Notices mailed, 3,413 were returned by USPS as of the date of this declaration. ALCS has remailed 3,259 Notices to updated addresses. Of the 3,259 remailed Notices, 1,024 were returned by USPS as of the date of this declaration.
- 6. **Noticing Campaign Summary.** The following is a summary of the noticing, as of the date of this Declaration:
 - Class Notice initially mailed via USPS: 9,007
 - Class Notice returned by USPS: 3,413
 - Class Notice remailed via USPS: 3,259
 - Remailed Class Notice returned as UAA: 1,024
 - Total number of mailed Class Notice deemed undeliverable: 1,178
 - Percentage of Class Notice deemed delivered: 86.92%
- 7. <u>Website.</u> ALCS created a case website <u>www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com</u> that provided further information as stated in the Notice. The website contained sections for Important Court Documents, Key Dates and FAQs. Class members had an opportunity to update their address and/or submit their claim online.
- 8. <u>Toll-Free Telephone.</u> ALCS established a toll-free telephone line 800-636-5429 for class members to contact with questions about the settlement or update their address. As of the date of this declaration, ALCS received 95 phone calls on this case dedicated line.
- 9. Claims. The Class Action Notice instructed class members who wish to receive settlement benefits must upload on the case website or mail (postmark) the claim form to the Settlement Administrator by no later than January 13, 2022. The claim form was included with the Class Action Notice. As of this date of this declaration, ALCS has received 76 claims. If ALCS deemed that a claim is deficient, ALCS contacted the class member notifying them why the claim is deficient and how to correctly submit the claim form.
 - Total claims received: 83
 - Valid claims: 65
 - Invalid & Deficient claims: 10
 - Late claims: 7

Of the 10 invalid claims, 2 are invalid for missing signature, 6 are invalid for missing documentation for reimbursement, 1 is invalid for missing documentation of reimbursement and missing signature, and 1 is a duplicate claim.

- 10. Exclusions. The Class Action Notice instructed those who wish to opt out of the settlement to write to the Settlement Administrator stating that the class member does not wish to participate. It further states that an opt out request must be postmarked by December 14, 2021. As of the date of this declaration, we have not received any requests for exclusions for this case.
- 11. <u>Objections.</u> The Class Action Notice informed class members who wish to object to the settlement to file their written objection with the Court by December 14, 2021. I am not aware of any objections being filed with the Court as of the date of this declaration.

I declare under penalty of perjury pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Executed on March 10, 2022 in Jacksonville, Florida.

Snehal Indra

Exhibit A

This is a Court approved Legal Notice. This is not an advertisement.

Zimmerman v. Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc., Civil File No. 02-CV-19-6522 MINNESOTA TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

TO: All individuals who were notified by Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc. ("Riverplace") that their personal information may have been compromised in the cybersecurity incident initially disclosed by Riverplace in April 2019.

A class action settlement has been proposed in litigation against Riverplace relating to a cybersecurity incident that was disclosed on or about April 2019. The class action lawsuit alleges that in January 2019, Riverplace discovered that malware had been installed on its systems resulting in the potential exposure of sensitive personal and health related information of current and former patients. The lawsuit alleges that Riverplace was responsible for the cybersecurity incident. Riverplace denies the claims and any wrongdoing. You are receiving this notice because you may be entitled to benefits from the settlement.

If approved, the settlement may provide Settlement Class Members with either 2 years of identity theft/credit monitoring services or an alternative cash payment of \$30 as reimbursement if you previously purchased those services. The settlement will also reimburse Settlement Class Members who submit claims for out-of-pocket losses and compensation for time spent that resulted from the cybersecurity incident up to \$950. Total reimbursement under this settlement is subject to an aggregate cap of \$300,000 for all claims.

If you are a Settlement Class Member and you want to receive benefits, you must complete and timely submit a valid Claim Form along with any required supporting information. Claim Forms can be found and completed on this website: www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com. The deadline to submit a Claim Form is January 13, 2022.

Settlement Class Members may also request exclusion (also known as opt-out) from the settlement or object to it. Requests for exclusion are due by December 14, 2021. Settlement Class Members who do not request exclusion can object to the settlement. Objections are due by December 14, 2021. The Court will hold a Final Settlement Approval Hearing on March 11, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom TBD, Anoka County Government Center, 2100 3rd Avenue, Anoka, MN 55303, to consider whether to approve the settlement. Please check the website www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com for any updates regarding the Final Settlement Approval Hearing. The Court will hear objections, determine if the settlement is fair, and consider Class Counsel's request for attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses of \$150,000 and a service award of \$5,000 for the Representative Plaintiff. You or your own lawyer may ask to appear at the hearing to be heard by the Court, but you do not have to. The Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs and Service Award for the Representative Plaintiff will be posted on the website after it is filed with the Court.

The Court has appointed the following Class Counsel to represent the Settlement Class in this Lawsuit: Kate M. Baxter-Kauf of Lockridge Grindal Nauen P.L.L.P, 100 Washington Avenue South, Suite 2200, Minneapolis, MN 55401, 612-339-6900; and Jean S. Martin of Morgan & Morgan Complex Litigation Group, 201 N. Franklin St., 7th Fl., Tampa, FL 33602, 813-559-4908.

This is only a summary. For detailed information visit www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com or call **800-636-5429**. You may contact the Settlement Administrator at Riverplace Counseling, Cybersecurity Incident Settlement, PO Box 23369, Jacksonville, FL 32241.

Riverplace Cybersecurity Incident Claim Form

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Riverplace Cybersecurity Incident Claim Form

SETTLEMENT BENEFITS – WHAT YOU MAY GET

If you received notice that your personal information may have been compromised in the cybersecurity incident announced by Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc. in April 2019, you may submit a claim. The easiest way to submit a claim is online at www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com, or you can complete and mail this claim form to the mailing address below.

RIVERPLACE COUNSELING

CYBERSECURITY INCIDENT SETTLEMENT
PO BOX 23369

JACKSONVILLE FL 32241-3369

You may submit a claim for these benefits:

- 1. Identity Theft/Credit Monitoring Protection. Use the claim form to request one of the following:
 - a. Identity Theft/Credit Services. You may use this claim form to request free credit monitoring services for two years; or
 - b. **Alternative Cash Payment**. If you previously purchased identity theft/credit monitoring services from April 1, 2020, through February 18, 2021, you can receive a cash payment of \$30 for reimbursement of this coverage. You must submit documentation supporting your claim.
- 2. **Cash Reimbursement**. Use the claim form to request reimbursement for out-of-pocket losses and time spent up to a maximum of \$950:
 - a. Reimbursement for Out-of-Pocket Losses. If you spent money trying to avoid or recover from fraud or identity theft because of the Riverplace cybersecurity incident, you can be reimbursed up to \$950. You must submit documentation supporting your claim.
 - b. Reimbursement for Time Spent. If you spent time trying to avoid or recover from fraud or identity theft because of the Riverplace cybersecurity incident, you can receive \$20 per hour for up to two total hours. You will be required to affirm in writing under penalty of perjury that you spent at least one full hour exclusively dealing with trying to avoid or recover from fraud or identity theft because of the Riverplace cybersecurity incident.

Your cash benefit may decrease depending on the number of claims filed. There is an overall cap of \$300,000 to pay all claims. If claims exceed this aggregate cap, all payments will be reduced in a *pro rata* manner. Settlement benefits will be distributed after the settlement is approved by the Court and receives final approval.

For more information and complete instructions visit www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com.

Your Information													
We will use this information to contact you and process your claim. It will not be used for any other purpose. If any of the following information changes, you must promptly notify us by emailing info@riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com . Include Your Notice ID, found at the top of this notice, on all correspondence. <i>Please print clearly</i> .													
First Name / Middle Initial:													
Last Name:													
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Current Mailing Address:													
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To obtain identity theft/credit monitoring services or alternative cash payment from the settlement, you must select ONE AND ONLY ONE of the options below:

Please select one of the options below.

**Option 1: Identity Theft/Credit Monitoring Services: I wish to receive identity theft/credit monitoring services. I understand identity theft/credit monitoring services will be provided for two years, starting when I activate the services. I understand I will receive an activation code and instructions on how to enroll in the credit monitoring services from the Claims Administrator later. Instructions will be sent by email unless I did not provide an email address, in which case instructions will be sent by U.S. mail.

**Option 2: Alternative Cash Payment: I purchased identity theft/credit monitoring services during the period of April 1, 2020, and February 18, 2021, and wish to receive an alternative cash payment of \$30 as reimbursement for these expenses. I understand that I must provide documentation of my purchase during this time period.

Reimbursement for Out-of-Pocket Losses: Money You Lost or Spent and Time You Spent

If you incurred out-of-pocket losses or time spent trying to prevent or recover from fraud or identity theft caused by the Riverplace cybersecurity incident, you can receive reimbursement for up to \$950. You must send supporting documentation that shows what happened and how much you lost or spent in order to be repaid.

To look up more details about how cash payments work, visit <u>www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com</u> or call toll-free 800-636-5429. You will find more information about the types of costs and losses that can be paid back to you, what documents you need to attach, and how the Claims Administrator decides whether to approve your payment.

Examples of Loss Type and Documents	Amount and Date	Description of Out-of-Pocket Losses and Supporting Documentation (Identify what you are attaching, and why it's related to the Riverplace cybersecurity incident.)					
Costs, expenses, and losses due to identity theft, fraud, or misuse of your personal information	\$						
Examples: Account statement with unauthorized charges highlighted; police reports; IRS documents; FTC Identity Theft Reports; letters refusing to refund fraudulent charges; credit monitoring services you purchased	Date						
Fees paid to address identity theft or due to restricted access to funds	\$						
Examples: late fees, overdraft fees, decline payment fees, returned check fees, card cancellation or replacement fees	Date						
Costs of credit monitoring and identity theft protection purchased from April 1, 2020, and February 18, 2021, if the amount is greater than \$30 (only the amount greater than \$30 will be reimbursed)	\$						
Examples: Receipts or statements for credit monitoring services							

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Other expenses such as notary, fax, postage, copying, mileage, and long-distance telephone charges related to the cybersecurity incident Examples: Phone bills, receipts, detailed list of places you traveled (i.e. police station, bank), reason why you traveled there (i.e. police report or fraudulent charges on your bank account) and number of miles you traveled	\$Date			
Time spent exclusively dealing with the cy credit monitoring services, calling your b describe the actions you took. By filling out the boxes below, you are ce	ank, or taking other action	ns), you can be compensated \$20 per hou	ur for up to two hours. You must	
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I affirm under the laws of the United State and that any documentation that I have so I understand that I may be asked to prove Signature Printed Name	submitted in support of m	y claim is a true and correct copy of the c	original documentation. before my claim is complete.	

Claims must be submitted online at www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com or mailed by January 13, 2022. Use this address for mailed claims and documents:

RIVERPLACE COUNSELING

CYBERSECURITY INCIDENT SETTLEMENT
PO BOX 23369

JACKSONVILLE FL 32241-3369

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PO BOX 23369 JACKSONVILLE FL 32241-3369



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«addrcity», «addrstate» «addrzip»

Submit your claim online at www.riverplacedatabreachsettlement.com
NO LATER THAN
JANUARY 13, 2022

Your Notice ID: «noticeid»

Your PIN: «pin»

For Administrator Use — Do Not Write Below This Line

(docket number)

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