

WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT

Hearing No. 3322  
Volume XVI

Kalispell, Montana  
April 29, 2003

TRAVELERS PROPERTY CASUALTY

Kelly M. Wills

vs.

GLORIA CRAWFORD

David W. Lauridsen

WCC No. 2002-0679

The trial in the above-entitled matter came on Tuesday, April 29, 2003, at 2:30 p.m., in the Earl Bennett Building, Conference Room A, Kalispell, Montana. The Honorable Mike McCarter, Judge of the Workers' Compensation Court, presided. Petitioner was represented by Mr. Kelly M. Wills. Respondent, Gloria Crawford, was present and represented by Mr. David W. Lauridsen. The court reporter in this matter was Ms. Beth Gilman.

Opening statements were made by counsel. Exhibits 1 through 5 were admitted without objection. The parties agreed that the depositions of Gloria Crawford and Dr. Catherine Capps can be considered part of the record. Gloria Crawford and Stephanie Mills were sworn and testified.

Following the hearing, the Court bench ruled that Ms. Crawford must submit to inpatient detoxification or the Court will order that the insurer need not pay for prescription drugs that the evidence indicates are inappropriate or unreasonable for her medical conditions. The Court ordered Mr. Wills to locate an in-patient program in Kalispell that would be appropriate for Ms. Crawford and report back to the Court by May 9, 2003.

Court recessed at 3:35 p.m.

PATRICIA J. KESSNER  
Clerk of Court

By: Clara Wilson  
Deputy Clerk of Court