

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

URIEL PHARMACY HEALTH AND
WELFARE PLAN; URIEL PHARMACY,
INC.; HOMETOWN PHARMACY; AND
HOMETOWN PHARMACY HEALTH and
WELFARE BENEFITS PLAN, on their own
behalf and on behalf of all others similarly
situated,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 2:22-cv-610

v.

ADVOCATE AURORA HEALTH, INC. and
AURORA HEALTH CARE, INC.,

Defendants.

JOINT NOTICE OF ANTICIPATED SETTLEMENT

Plaintiffs Uriel Pharmacy Health and Welfare Plan, Uriel Pharmacy Inc., Hometown Pharmacy, and Hometown Pharmacy Health and Welfare Benefits Plan (“Plaintiffs”), individually and on behalf of the proposed direct purchaser class, and Defendants Advocate Aurora Health, Inc. and Aurora Health Care, Inc. (“Defendants”) (Plaintiffs and Defendants together, the “Parties”), have engaged in settlement negotiations and expect to resolve the claims of Plaintiffs and the proposed direct purchaser class in the above-captioned action (the “*Uriel* action”). The anticipated settlement does not involve or purport to settle the claims of the plaintiffs or the proposed class in the indirect purchaser action, *Shaw v. Advocate Aurora Health*, Case No. 2:24-cv-157.

The anticipated settlement in the *Uriel* action was reached following an in-person mediation session with mediator Greg Lindstrom of Phillips ADR. The Parties are now in the process of preparing the settlement documents and anticipate that they will move for preliminary

approval of the settlement and certification of the class in light of settlement in the near future. In light of the Parties' anticipated settlement, the Parties respectfully request that the Court:

1. Stay all deadlines and decisions on motions currently pending in the *Uriel* action pending the Court's ruling on Plaintiffs' forthcoming motion for preliminary approval of the class settlement; and
2. Order the Parties to file a joint status report within 30 days of this Order, identifying the anticipated date by which Plaintiffs will file their motion for preliminary approval of the settlement and certification of the class in light of settlement (if Plaintiffs have not already filed such motion by that date).

Good cause exists for this request under Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(4) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(e). The Parties respectfully submit that the requested stay is warranted so as to permit the Parties to finalize the settlement documents, and to allow Plaintiffs to prepare their forthcoming motion for preliminary approval. Proceeding with the currently scheduled deadlines in the interim would risk an unnecessary and avoidable expenditure of both the Parties' and the Court's resources on matters that likely will be rendered moot. The Parties are available for a telephonic or in-person conference with the Court, should the Court find that helpful.

Dated: September 2, 2026

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[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PARTIES' JOINT MOTION TO STAY DEADLINES

The parties filed a Joint Notice of Anticipated Settlement, informing the Court that they have reached an anticipated settlement of the claims of Plaintiffs and the proposed direct purchaser class in this action, and requesting that the Court stay all deadlines and decisions on motions currently pending in this matter pending Plaintiffs' forthcoming motion for preliminary approval. Good cause exists for this stay under Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(4). The requested stay will permit the Parties to finalize the settlement documents and allow Plaintiffs to prepare their forthcoming motion for preliminary approval of the class settlement, as required under Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(e). Accordingly:

IT IS ORDERED that the Parties' request to stay deadlines is **GRANTED**. All deadlines currently pending in this action are stayed, pending the Court's ruling on Plaintiffs' forthcoming motion for preliminary approval of the class settlement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Parties shall file a joint status report within 30 days of this Order, identifying the anticipated date by which Plaintiffs will file their motion for preliminary approval of the settlement and certification of the class in light of the settlement, to the extent such motion has not already been filed by that date.

Dated: September [XX], 2026

BY THE COURT:

Hon. Lynn S. Adelman
U.S. District court for the Eastern District of
Wisconsin