

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY

IN RE: MIRENA® LITIGATION

CASE NO. 297

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CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 3

BRIAN R. MARTINOTTI, J.S.C.

PLAINTIFF FACT SHEET

This matter, having been opened to the Court by counsel for the Parties, and the Parties having consented, stipulated and agreed to the entry of this Case Management Order, and good cause appearing therefore:

IT IS, on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2013, hereby **ORDERED** as follows:

**I. Plaintiff Fact Sheet, Authorizations, and Responsive Documents**

1. The parties have agreed upon a Plaintiff Fact Sheet ("PFS") which is attached as Exhibit 1 to this Order.

2. The PFS includes document requests in Section XIV and a variety of authorizations for the release of records. Each Plaintiff shall produce to Counsel for Defendant Bayer Healthcare Pharmaceuticals Inc. ("Defendant") as identified in Section II below a completed PFS, executed Authorizations for the Release of Records ("Authorizations") and documents responsive to Section XIV of the PFS ("Responsive Documents") pursuant to the terms of this Order. "Defendant" in the context of this document shall be defined pursuant to the Agreed Order Regarding Proper Party Defendant and any future amendments thereto.

3. The PFS is a convenient form of propounding interrogatories and requests for production of documents. The completed PFS shall be considered interrogatory answers and responses to requests for production pursuant to the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey and will be governed by the standards applicable to written discovery under the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey. The questions and requests for production contained in the PFS are non-objectionable and shall be answered without objection. As set forth below in section III, each PFS that is completed must be substantially complete. This section does not prohibit a Plaintiff from withholding or redacting information based upon a recognized privilege. If a Plaintiff withholds or redacts any information on the basis of privilege, he or she shall provide Defendant with a privilege log. In the event that a dispute arises concerning the completeness or adequacy of a Plaintiff's response to any request contained in the PFS, this section shall not prohibit the Plaintiff from asserting that his or her response is adequate.

4. Nothing in the PFS shall be deemed to limit the scope of inquiry at depositions and admissibility of evidence at trial. The scope of inquiry at depositions shall remain governed by the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey. The admissibility of information in responses to the PFS shall be governed by the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey and no objections are waived by virtue of any PFS response.

## **II. Schedule of Production of PFSs**

5. Within sixty (60) days of this Order or within forty-five (45) days of the date on which an action is filed in this litigation, whichever is later, each Plaintiff shall serve Defendant with a completed PFS; executed Authorizations; and Responsive Documents.

6. Service of the PFS, Authorizations and Responsive Documents shall be electronically via e-mail to Defendant's Counsel at [mirenapfs@shb.com](mailto:mirenapfs@shb.com) and to Plaintiffs'

Steering Committee at [mirenanjpf@yourlawyer.com](mailto:mirenanjpf@yourlawyer.com). To the extent service via e-mail is not possible, the PFS may be served either in hard copy or in an electronic format on CD or USB flash drive via first class mail to Defendant's Counsel at:

Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet  
c/o Kristen Ryan  
Shook Hardy & Bacon LLP  
2555 Grand Blvd.  
Kansas City, MO 64108

### **III. PFS Must Be Substantially Complete In All Respects**

7. Every Plaintiff is required to provide Defendant's Counsel with a PFS that is substantially complete in all respects. Substantially complete in all respects requires that a Plaintiff:

- a) Answer all applicable questions in the PFS (Plaintiff may answer questions in good faith by indicating "not applicable" or "I don't know" or "Unknown");
- b) Include a signed Declaration (found at Section XV of the PFS);
- c) Provide duly executed record release Authorizations; and
- d) Produce the Responsive Documents requested in the PFS, to the extent such documents are in Plaintiff's possession.

### **IV. Authorizations For The Release Of Records**

8. As set forth above, Authorizations together with copies of such records, to the extent that those records or copies thereof are in the Plaintiff's possession, shall be provided along with the PFS at the time that the Plaintiff is required to serve a PFS pursuant to this Order.

9. Each Plaintiff shall provide addressed Authorizations for each health care provider identified in the PFS.

10. Plaintiff shall serve undated Authorizations. Undated Authorizations constitute permission for Defendant to date (and where applicable, re-date) Authorizations before sending to records custodians after giving three (3) days' notice to Plaintiff's counsel.

11. With respect to Authorizations provided to Defendant that are dated, Defendant and its record copy vendor, The Marker Group, Inc. ("Marker"), are hereby authorized to re-date the Authorizations to the date that they are being sent to the healthcare providers and other entities that require Authorizations. Defendant and Marker shall be permitted to "white out" the date and re-date after three (3) business days' notice to Plaintiff's Counsel.

12. In addition to the addressed Authorizations described above, Plaintiff's counsel shall also maintain in their file unaddressed, executed Authorizations. Plaintiff's counsel shall provide executed Authorizations to Defendant's counsel within ten (10) business days of a request for Authorizations that identifies the provider(s) from whom Defendant wishes to request records. If Plaintiff's counsel has a good faith basis to believe that Plaintiff was not treated by the healthcare provider or that the PFS does not require an Authorization for that provider, Plaintiff's counsel shall disclose this basis for withholding the Authorization in writing within ten (10) business days of the request.

13. In the event that a signed Authorization does not contain the following information with respect to the Plaintiff – or, in the case of an Authorization signed in a representative capacity, the information with respect to the represented party – Defendant and Marker are authorized to fill in the following information:

- a) The name and/or address of the Plaintiff, or represented party, at the top of the Authorization;
- b) The social security number of the Plaintiff or represented party;

- c) The date of birth of the Plaintiff or represented party;
- d) The name of defense counsel or vendor to whom records may be released.

14. In the event that an institution or medical provider to whom any Authorization is presented refuses to provide records in response to that Authorization, Defendant shall notify Plaintiff's individual representative counsel. Should a particular form be required, Defendant will provide it to Plaintiff's individual representative counsel. The individual Plaintiff shall execute and return within 21 days whatever form is required by that institution or provider.

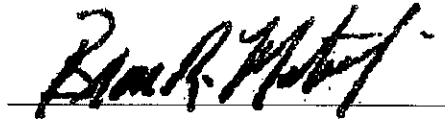
15. If a healthcare provider refuses to comply with a request for production of medical records or refuses to speak to a third party vendor, plaintiff's counsel shall attempt to confer with the Healthcare Provider's office at issue to mediate its refusal to respond to the request for production of medical records and must follow-up with Defendant in writing within three (3) business days of being notified of the issue. Failure of counsel to confirm follow-up with defendant in writing within three (3) business days will render the PFS incomplete.

16. Marker shall have the right to contact institutions or medical providers to follow up on medical record copying or production. However, Marker is strictly forbidden to discuss the substance of the lawsuit or to discuss, in any manner, the substance of the records.

#### **V. Non-compliance with PFS Requirements**

17. Any Plaintiff who fails to comply with her PFS obligations under this Order may be subject to having her claims, as well as any derivative claim(s), dismissed. If Defendant has not received a PFS that is substantially complete (in accordance with Section III above) from a Plaintiff within 30 days following the due date set forth herein, Defendant will send a Notice of Overdue Discovery to Plaintiff's counsel identifying the discovery overdue and stating that,

unless the Plaintiff complies with the Court's discovery orders, the case may be subject to dismissal. If Defendant has not receive a completed PFS within 30 days after serving a Plaintiff with a 30-day notice, Defendant may move the Court for an Order dismissing the Complaint without prejudice. Plaintiff shall have thirty (30) days from the date of Defendant's motion to file a response either certifying that the Plaintiff has served upon Defendant and Defendant has received a completed PFS, and attaching appropriate documentation of receipt or an opposition to Defendant's motion. If a Plaintiff files such a notice, the Plaintiff's claims shall not be dismissed. Unless Plaintiff has served Defendant with a completed PFS or has moved to vacate the dismissal without prejudice within 90 days after entry of any such Order of Dismissal without Prejudice, the order will be converted to a Dismissal with Prejudice upon Defendant's motion.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian R. Martinotti", is written over a horizontal line.

Honorable Brian R. Martinotti, J.S.C.

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**MIRENA PLAINTIFF FACT SHEET**

Each plaintiff with a case pending before this Court who alleges personal injury as a result of using Mirena® (“Mirena”) in the United States must complete a Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet. If you are completing this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet in a representative capacity on behalf of someone who has died or who otherwise cannot complete the Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet, please answer as completely as you can for that person.

**DEFINITIONS**

In completing this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet, please use the following **definitions**:

1. **“You”** or **“Your”** refers to the person who used Mirena, unless otherwise specified;
2. **“Healthcare Provider”** means any hospital, clinic, medical center, physician's office, urgent care center, infirmary, fertility clinic, laboratory, or other facility that provides medical care or advice, and any pharmacy, physical therapist, rehabilitation specialist, physician, nurse, nurse practitioner, midwife, osteopath, homeopath, chiropractor or any other persons or entities involved in the evaluation, diagnosis, care and/or treatment of you;
3. If you are making a claim for a mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies) allegedly as a result of your use of Mirena, the term **“Healthcare Provider”** also means any psychiatrist, psychologist, or other professional involved in the evaluation, diagnosis, care and/or treatment of your mental health; and
4. **“Document”** means any writing or record of every type that is in your possession, including but not limited to written documents, documents in electronic format, cassettes, videotapes, photographs, charts, computer discs, x-rays, drawings, graphs, phone-records, non-identical copies and other data compilations from which information can be obtained.
5. **“Defendant”** in the context of this document shall be defined pursuant to the Agreed Order Regarding Proper Party Defendant and any future amendments thereto.

**You may attach as many documents (as defined above) as necessary to fully answer these questions.**

If you have any documents (as defined above), including, but not limited to, photographs of you, videos of you, e-mails, blog or internet postings or messages, medical records, packaging, labeling, or instructions for Mirena, materials or other items that you are requested to produce as part of answering this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet or that relate to Mirena, or that relate to the injuries, claims, and/or damages that are the subject of your Complaint, you must NOT dispose of, alter, or modify these documents or materials in any way. You are required to give all of these documents and materials to your attorney as soon as possible. If you are unclear about these obligations, please contact your attorney.

In completing the Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet, you are under oath and must provide information that is true and correct to the best of your knowledge at the time you complete this Fact Sheet. If you cannot recall all of the details requested, please provide as much information as you can recall but do not guess. You must supplement your responses if you learn that they are incomplete or incorrect.

**I. CASE INFORMATION**

1. Name of person alleging personal injury as a result of using Mirena: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Please provide the following for the civil action regarding Mirena that you filed:
  - a. Case caption: \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Docket Number: \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Court in which action was originally filed: \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Name, address, telephone number, fax number and email address of the principal attorney representing you:  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Firm: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_
4. If you are completing this Plaintiff Fact Sheet in a representative capacity (e.g., on behalf of the estate of a deceased person or a minor), please complete the following:
  - a. Your name: \_\_\_\_\_



b. Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

c. If you were appointed as a representative by a court, state the:

Court That Appointed You: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Appointment: \_\_\_\_\_

Type/Capacity of Appointment: \_\_\_\_\_

d. What is your relationship to the individual/estate: \_\_\_\_\_

e. If you represent a decedent's estate, please state the:

Date of the decedent's death: \_\_\_\_\_

Place (city/state) of the decedent's death:  
\_\_\_\_\_

**THE REMAINDER OF THIS PLAINTIFF FACT SHEET REQUESTS INFORMATION ABOUT THE PERSON WHO USED MIRENA. IF YOU ARE COMPLETING THIS FACT SHEET FOR SOMEONE ELSE, PLEASE ASSUME “YOU” or “YOUR” MEANS THE MIRENA USER.**

**II. PERSONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE MIRENA USER**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Have you ever used any other names and, if so, what are the names and when did you use them: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Current address and date when you began living at this address: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Identify each address at which you have resided beginning five (5) years prior to the time the Mirena was first inserted through the present and the dates you resided at each location.

Address	Dates of Residence

5. Please provide the last four digits of your Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Date and Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Are you or have you been married? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If “YES” please provide the following information for your spouse(s)

Name	Date of Marriage	Date Marriage Was Terminated, if Applicable	Reason for Termination (e.g. death, divorce), if Applicable

8. Is your spouse claiming loss of consortium and/or loss of services? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

9. Do you have children? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please provide the following information for each child:

Child's Name	Date of Birth	Natural/Adoptive/Step/Other

10. Provide the following information regarding your education, beginning with high school and continuing through your highest level of education:

Name of School	City/State	Dates of Attendance	Degree Awarded	Major or Primary Field

11. Are you currently employed?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please identify your current employer, your current employer's address, and your position: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Did you ever take a medical leave of absence from any job that you have had from the time your Mirena was first inserted until your current job? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", identify the employer from which you took each leave, when you took each leave, and why you took each leave: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

13. Have you ever served in any branch of the military?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES":

a. In what branch did you serve and what were your dates of service:

\_\_\_\_\_

b. Were you ever discharged for any reason relating to a medical or physical condition?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", state what that condition was: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Have you ever been rejected from military service for any reason relating to a medical or physical condition?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", state what that condition was: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Provide the following for each insurance carrier with whom you had health insurance coverage beginning five (5) years prior to your first Mirena being inserted to the present (please include all private insurance and public assistance, if applicable):

Name of Insurance Company or Public Assistance	Policy Number	Policy Holder	Approx. Dates of Coverage

16. Have you applied for workers' compensation, social security, or state or federal disability benefits from the five (5) years before your first Mirena was inserted to the present?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", then as to each application, separately state:

a. To what agency or company did you submit your application: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

b. Claim/docket number, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

- c. Date (or year) of application: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Type of benefits sought: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Nature of claimed injury/disability: \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Period of disability: \_\_\_\_\_
- g. Amount awarded: \_\_\_\_\_
- h. Basis of your claim: \_\_\_\_\_
- i. Was your claim denied?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

17. Have you ever been denied life insurance for reasons relating to your health?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state when the denial occurred, the name of the life insurance company, and the company's reason for denial:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Have you ever been denied health insurance for reasons relating to your health?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state when the denial(s) occurred, the name of the health insurance company(ies), and the company's(ies') reason(s) for the denial(s):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

19. Have you filed a lawsuit other than the present suit relating to any bodily injury within the past ten (10) years?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please explain the nature of the case(s), where it was filed, the nature of the alleged bodily injury, and identify your lawyer(s):

\_\_\_\_\_

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20. In the last 10 years, have you been convicted of or pled guilty to any felony and/or have you been convicted of or pled guilty to any crime that involved an alleged act of dishonesty or providing a false statement?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state the charge(s) to which you pled guilty or were convicted and the court(s) where the action(s) was pending: \_\_\_\_\_

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21. Have you at any time since the Mirena was first inserted posted about Mirena, your physical condition during the time you claim you were suffering from injuries allegedly caused by Mirena, or the injury(ies) Mirena allegedly caused you on any social media account, including but not limited to, Facebook, MySpace, or Twitter?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state on which social media account(s) you posted or tweeted about Mirena, your physical condition during the time you claim you were suffering from injuries allegedly caused by Mirena, and/or the injury(ies) Mirena allegedly caused you.

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If "YES", did you include/attach any picture(s) and/or video(s) with your post about Mirena, your physical condition during the time you claim you were suffering from injuries allegedly caused by Mirena, or the injury(ies) Mirena allegedly caused you?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

22. Have you at any time since your Mirena was first inserted e-mailed anyone (not including your "attorney(s)") about Mirena, your physical condition during the time you claim you were suffering from injuries allegedly caused by Mirena, or the injuries Mirena allegedly caused you?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

### **III. HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AND PHARMACIES**

1. Identify each doctor or other health care provider who you have ever seen for obstetrical/gynecological medical care and treatment:

Doctor or Health Care Provider's Name	Doctor or Health Care Provider's Specialty	Address	Approx. Dates/Years of Visits

2. Identify each hospital, clinic, or health care facility where you were ever hospitalized (inpatient, out-patient, or emergency room visit) for obstetrical/gynecological medical care and treatment:

Name	Address and Telephone Number	Admission Date(s)	Reason for Admission

3. Other than obstetrical/gynecological care, or psychological/psychiatric care, identify each doctor or other health care provider who you have seen for medical care and treatment beginning five (5) years prior to the insertion of your first Mirena to the present:

Doctor or Health Care Provider's Name	Doctor or Health Care Provider's Specialty	Address	Reason for Visit	Approx. Dates/Years of Visits

4. Other than obstetrical/gynecological care, or psychological/psychiatric care, identify each hospital, clinic, or health care facility where you were hospitalized (inpatient, out-patient, or emergency room visit) beginning five (5) years prior to the insertion of your first Mirena to the present:

Name	Address and Telephone Number	Admission Date(s)	Reason for Admission

5. Identify each pharmacy that has dispensed medication to you beginning five (5) years prior to the insertion of your first Mirena to the present:

Name of Pharmacy	Address and Telephone Number of Pharmacy	Name of Medication Dispensed	Approx. Dates/Years You Used Pharmacy

**IV. BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

1. Current Approximate Height: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Current Approximate Weight: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Approximate weight at the time your first Mirena was inserted: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Approximate weight at the time of your alleged injury: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Approximate date and age of your first menstrual period: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Do you currently use tobacco products (cigarettes, cigars, pipes, and/or chewing tobacco/snuff)? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. If "YES", how many tobacco products (cigarettes, cigars, pipes, and/or chewing tobacco/snuff) do you use per day/week?



b. If "YES", when did you start using tobacco products?  
\_\_\_\_\_

c. If "YES", has your usage of tobacco products changed over time?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

d. If "YES", describe how your usage of tobacco products has changed over time:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. If you answered "NO" to Question 6 above, have you ever used tobacco products (cigarettes, cigars, pipes, and/or chewing tobacco/snuff)? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please describe the tobacco product(s) you used, when you used it, how much you used, how your use changed over time, and when you stopped using the tobacco product(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. Alcohol Consumption: For the one (1) year period prior to the insertion of your first Mirena up to the present, did you drink alcohol (beer, wine, etc.)?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

a. If "YES", state the type of alcoholic beverages consumed (beer, wine, liquor, etc.):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

b. For each different type of alcoholic beverage listed above, provide information on the number of drinks per month that best represents your approximate average alcohol consumption: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**V. MEDICAL HISTORY**

1. Have you ever been diagnosed with or sought treatment for any of the following conditions? Please select "Yes", "No" or "Unknown" for each condition.

a. For each condition for which you answer "Yes", please provide the additional information requested in subpart (b):

Condition	Yes	No	Unknown
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Condition	Yes	No	Unknown
1. Abnormal genital bleeding			
2. Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)			
3. Amenorrhea			
4. Any condition related to blood clotting, including genetic thrombotic disorders			
5. Autoimmune disease or condition, such as lupus, rheumatoid arthritis, psoriasis, scleroderma, or mixed-connective tissue disorder			
6. Cancer – Breast			
7. Cancer – Cervical			
8. Cancer – Endometrial			
9. Cancer - Other form of Cancer			
10. Cancer – Ovarian			
11. Cervicitis			
12. Chronic Painful Sexual Intercourse			
13. Congenital Heart Failure			
14. Cystitis			
15. Diabetes			
16. Early menstruation (11 years or younger)			
17. Ectopic Pregnancy			
18. Endometriosis			
19. Genital Infections			
20. Heart Attack			
21. High blood pressure			
22. Hypothyroidism			
23. Irregular menstrual bleeding/cycle			
24. Infertility			
25. Jaundice			
26. Kidney disease			
27. Liver disease			
28. Liver tumor (benign or malignant)			
29. Migraine or other severe headaches			
30. Ovarian cysts			
31. Papilledema			
32. Pelvic inflammatory disease			
33. Polycystic ovarian syndrome			
34. Retroverted, Retroflexed or Fixed Uterus			
35. Severe menstrual cramps			
36. Sexually transmitted disease, such as Chlamydia, gonorrhea, herpes, or HPV			
37. Stroke			
38. Underactive or overactive thyroid gland			
39. Urinary tract infections or other bladder			

Condition	Yes	No	Unknown
infections			
40. Uterine anomaly, such as uterine fibroids, a T-shaped uterus, or bicornate uterus			
41. Uterine or cervical neoplasia			
42. Vaginitis			

b. For each condition for which you answered “Yes” in the previous chart, please provide the information requested below (attach additional pages as necessary):

Condition	Approximate Date of Onset	Name and Address of Treating Health Care Provider or Health Care Facility

2. Have you ever had heavy menstrual bleeding?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If “YES”, please state when you had heavy menstrual bleeding and how you treated it:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**VI. PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS**

1. Are there any prescription medications that you have taken on a regular basis beginning five (5) years prior to the insertion of your first Mirena to the present?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If “YES”, for each prescription medication please provide the following information:

Name of Prescription Medication Used on a Regular Basis	Health Care Provider(s) Who Prescribed the Medication	Approximate Dates/Years Taken	Your Understanding as to Why You Were Taking the Medication

**VII. PREGNANCY CLAIM RELATED MEDICATION**

- In addition to Perforation, Migration or Embedment injury(ies) are you claiming that you became pregnant while using Mirena? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

If "NO", proceed to Section VIII.

- If "YES" did you take any of the following medications (generic name is followed by brand name products in parenthesis) while the Mirena was inserted or (6) months prior to insertion:

Name of Medication	Yes	No	Not Sure/ Unknown/ Do Not Recall
Barbiturates (e.g., Amobarbital, Amytal Sodium, Butabarbital, Luminal, Mebaral, Mephobarbital, Nembutal Sodium, Pentobarbital, Phenobarbital, Secobarbital, Seconal, Solfoton)			
Bosentan (e.g., Tracleer)			
Carbamazepine (e.g., Carbatrol, Epitol, Tegretol)			
Felbamate (e.g., Felbatol)			
Griseofulvin (e.g., Fulvicin, Grifulvin, Grisactin, Griseofulcin, Griseofulvic, Gris-PEG)			
Oxcarbazepine (e.g., Oxtellar, Trileptal)			
Phenytoin (e.g., Dilantin, Di-Phen, Phenytek, Phenytoin Sodium, Prompt)			

Name of Medication	Yes	No	Not Sure/ Unknown/ Do Not Recall
Rifampin (e.g., Rifadin, Rimactane)			
St. John's wort			
Topiramate (e.g., Topamax, Topiragen)			

- a. If you indicated "Yes" for any of the above medications/drugs, please provide the information requested below (attach additional pages as necessary):

Name of Medication/Drug Used	Dates of Use (approx.)	Health Care Provider(s) Who Prescribed the Medication

**VIII. PREGNANCY HISTORY**

1. Have you ever been pregnant? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
- a. If "YES", state your total number of pregnancies (including pregnancies carried to term, miscarriage(s) and pregnancies that were terminated before delivery):  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- b. If "YES", state (1) your total number of live births, (2) dates of delivery, and (3) number of weeks at birth and (4) vaginal or C-section delivery:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- c. If "YES", state the total number of miscarriages, if any: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- d. If "YES", list any medications you took during the pregnancy, the prescribing doctor, and reasons for taking medications if you know: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. If "YES", did you breastfeed your children, and if so please provide the approximate dates you breastfed your children? \_\_\_\_\_

**IX. FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY**

1. Please indicate, to the best of your knowledge, whether your mother, siblings, aunts, or grandmothers have suffered from any of the following during their child-bearing-years:

Condition	Yes	No	I Don't Know
1. Ectopic Pregnancy			
2. Blood clot			
3. Ovarian cysts			
4. Polycystic ovarian syndrome			
5. Uterine anomaly, such as uterine fibroids or a T-shaped uterus			

**X. USE OF CONTRACEPTIVES OTHER THAN MIRENA**

1. Did you use other forms of contraceptives before the use of Mirena? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_
2. If "YES", provide the information below:

Contraception	Yes	No	If Yes, Dates of Use	Prescribing Doctor (If Any)
Oral contraceptives (e.g., birth control pills)				
Norplant (e.g., implants under skin)				
Implanon				
Depo-Provera® (the shot)				
NuvaRing®				
Transdermal contraceptives (e.g., Ortho Evra®)				
Intrauterine device (IUD)				
Contraceptive sponge				
Diaphragm				
Condoms				
Spermicide				
Rhythm method				
Other				

**XI. MIRENA USE**

1. For each Mirena that you have had INSERTED, provide the following information for each insertion:

a. **PRESCRIBING Healthcare Provider Information**

Doctor or Healthcare Provider's Name that PRESCRIBED MIRENA	Address	Approx. Date of PRESCRIPTION

1) Were you prescribed Mirena for contraception? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

2) Were you prescribed Mirena to treat heavy menstrual bleeding?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

b. **INSERTING Healthcare Provider Information**

Doctor or Healthcare Provider's Name that INSERTED MIRENA	Address	Approx. Date of INSERTION

c. **REMOVING Healthcare Provider Information**

Doctor or Healthcare Provider's Name that REMOVED MIRENA	Address	Approx. Date of REMOVAL

2. Did you have a follow-up appointment(s) with your health care provider after insertion of the Mirena(s)?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

3. Did you self-check the Mirena threads after the Mirena was inserted?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

a. If "YES", how often did you self-check your Mirena threads? \_\_\_\_\_

b. If "YES", was there a time when you could not feel the threads?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", when? \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", did you report that to a healthcare provider and, if so, identify the healthcare provider you reported that to and when:

\_\_\_\_\_

c. If you answered "YES" to Question 3, was there a time when you were not sure if you felt the threads?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", when? \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", did you report that to a healthcare provider and, if so, identify the healthcare provider you reported that to and when:

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Were you given any written information, including but not limited to, any booklets, brochures, pamphlets or literature, about Mirena at any time up to your alleged injury?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", who gave you the information? \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", describe the information you were given: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



5. Were you given any oral information regarding Mirena at any time up to your alleged injury? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", who gave you the information? \_\_\_\_\_

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If "YES", describe the information you were given: \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Do you have in your possession the Mirena that was removed?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "NO", who currently has the Mirena that was removed, if you know? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Do you know the lot number(s) for the Mirena you received?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", what is/are the lot number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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8. Have you seen any advertisements (e.g., in magazines, on the internet, or television commercials) for Mirena? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "Yes", describe the advertisement or commercial and approximately when and where you saw the advertisement or commercial: \_\_\_\_\_

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9. Did you attend any of the Simple Style Statements programs? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", provide the date and location of the program you attended:

\_\_\_\_\_

10. Other than through your attorneys, have you had or do you believe you have had any communication, oral or written, with any of the Defendants or their employees or representatives (including but not limited to, phone calls, E-mail, Text Messages, E-Minders to/from you and any of the Defendants (including through websites for Mirena and/or signing up for an on-line program))? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", set forth the date of the communication, the method of communication, the name of the representative you communicated with, and the substance of the communication between you and any representatives of the Defendants: \_\_\_\_\_

**XII. INJURIES & DAMAGES**

1. Are you claiming that you suffered physical injury(ies) as a result of your use of Mirena?  
 YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

a. If "YES", state the nature of the physical injury(ies) which you claim:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

b. When do you claim this/these physical injury(ies) occurred? \_\_\_\_\_

c. If you were taken to a doctor or health care facility (e.g., hospital or clinic) to be treated for your alleged physical injury(ies), state the name and address of the persons, police department, fire department, emergency medical workers, or ambulance company who took you to the doctor or health care facility:

Name	Address

d. Were you hospitalized for this/these claimed physical injury(ies)?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please provide the following information:

Approximate Date(s) of Hospital Admission	Approximate Date(s) of Discharge	Hospital Name(s) and Address(es)

- e. Were you treated in a non-hospital setting for this/these claimed physical injury(ies)? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please provide the following information:

Approximate Date(s) of Treatment	Name of Health Care Provider	Address

- f. Has any healthcare provider told you orally or in writing that this/these claimed physical injury(ies) was/were related to your use of Mirena?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please provide the name, address and approximate date of communication with said health care provider and provide the details of the communication: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

2. Are you claiming any mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies) as a result of using Mirena? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**IF "NO", DO NOT ANSWER SUB-QUESTIONS 2a-2f  
AND PROCEED TO QUESTION NO. 3**

- a. If "YES", state the nature of the mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies) which you claiming as a result of using Mirena:

\_\_\_\_\_ DEPRESSION

\_\_\_\_\_ ANXIETY

\_\_\_\_\_ OTHER (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

b. When do you claim this/these mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies) occurred? \_\_\_\_\_

c. Have you sought any medical treatment for this/these claimed mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies)? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state the following as it pertains to your treatment of this/these claimed mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies):

Name of Psychiatrist, Psychologist, or Other Mental Health Care Provider	Address	Reason for Treatment	Approx. Dates/ Years of Treatment / Visits

d. Has any healthcare provider told you orally or in writing that this/these claimed mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury(ies) was/were related to your use of Mirena? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please identify the name, address, and approximate date of communication with said health care provider and the details of the communication: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

e. If you are claiming a mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric injury in this case, state whether you have ever experienced or have ever been treated for any mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric problem (including depression) not related to your use of Mirena.

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please state the following as it pertains to your treatment of your mental, psychological, emotional or psychiatric condition(s) that occurred prior to your use of Mirena:

Name of Psychiatrist, Psychologist, or Other Mental Health Care Provider	Address	Reason for Treatment	Approx. Dates/ Years of Treatment / Visits

f. Have you ever been rejected or discharged from the military service for a psychological or psychiatric reason?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", state what that condition was: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Are you making a claim for lost wages or lost earning capacity?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

a. If "YES", please provide the following information for the employer(s) for whom you worked beginning five (5) years before your first Mirena was inserted until the present:

Name of Employer	Address of Employer	Dates of Employment	Position Held and Job Title/Duties

- b. If "YES", state your annual gross income from the 5 years before your first Mirena was inserted until the present:

Year	Approximate Annual Gross Income

4. Are you claiming that you have paid, incurred, or will have to pay medical expenses as a result of having used Mirena? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", for each monetary expense or fee that you are claiming for medical expenses related to your use of Mirena, please identify that expense: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Other than your spouse, has someone in your family alleged a loss of consortium claim or loss of services claim as a result of your use of Mirena? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If "YES", please identify the family member and relationship.

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### **XIII. FACT WITNESSES**

Please identify all persons who you believe possess information concerning your injury(ies) and current medical conditions, other than your health care providers and persons previously identified in Section X (Injuries & Damages), and please state their name, address and his/her/their relationship to you (attach additional pages as necessary):

Name	Address	Relationship to You

**XIV. DOCUMENT DEMANDS**

**1. AUTHORIZATIONS**

a. Health Care Authorizations should be provided in accordance with the Case Management Order in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

1) Please initial for release of HIV/AIDS related information on Exhibit "A"

2) If you are NOT asserting a claim for a mental, psychological or psychiatric injury(ies) related to your use of Mirena, you do not have to provide a medical authorization for any mental health care professional.

3) If you are asserting a claim for a mental, psychological or psychiatric injury(ies) related to your use of Mirena, please initial the area for release of relevant records on Exhibit "A".

b. Tax Return 4506 and 4506-T IRS Forms

If you are asserting a claim for lost wages or lost earning capacity, please provide a completed and signed IRS Form 4506 and 4506-T attached as **Exhibit "B"** for the time period of five years before the Mirena was first inserted up until the present.

c. Authorizations for the Release of Employment Records

If you answered "YES" to question XII.3, please provide a completed and signed Employment Authorization attached as **Exhibit "C"** for each employer identified in your previous responses in this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet.

d. Authorization for Release of Workers' Compensation Records

If you answered "YES" to question II.16, please provide a completed and signed Authorization for Release of Workers' Compensation Records for each agency or company you submitted your application to for the five years before your first Mirena was inserted to the present in the form attached as **Exhibit "D"**.

e. Authorization for Release of Disability Records

If you answered "YES" to question II.16, please provide a completed and signed Authorization for Release for each agency or company you submitted your application to for the five years before your first Mirena was inserted to the present in the form attached as **Exhibit "E"**.

f. Educational Records

If you answered "YES" to question XII.3, please provide a completed and signed Educational Authorization attached as **Exhibit "F"** for each educational institution that you previously provided in this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet.

g. Insurance Records Authorization

For each medical insurance company that has insured you from five (5) years before your first Mirena was inserted until the present, please provide a completed and signed Authorization for Release of Insurance Records in the form attached as **Exhibit "G"**.

h. Federal Disclosures Required Pursuant To 42 U.S.C. § 1395y(b)(7) and (b)(8)

Starting on January 1, 2010, Defendants must report to the federal government certain information about every Plaintiff making a personal injury claim. Please complete the Federal Disclosure statement attached to the end of this Plaintiff Fact Sheet as **Exhibit "H"**.

2. **B. OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS**

Documents in your possession, including writings on paper or in electronic form (if you have any of the following materials in your custody or possession, please indicate which documents you have and attach a copy of them to this Plaintiff Fact Sheet):

- a. All non-privileged documents you reviewed that assisted you in the preparation of the answers to this Plaintiff Fact Sheet.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- b. A copy of all medical and insurance records (including but not limited to your Explanation of Benefits) and/or any other documents relating to your use of Mirena, your alleged injury(ies), your alleged physical condition, status, or well-being, or supporting any of your alleged medical expenses or fees you claim to have incurred as a result of your use of Mirena.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- c. A copy of all medical records and/or documents in your possession, from any hospital or health care provider who treated you in the past five (5) years before



your first Mirena was inserted and who treated you for any disease, condition or symptom referred to in any of your responses to the questions in the Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet concerning any condition you claim is related to your use of Mirena, including, but not limited to, all imaging studies of any part of your body that relate in any manner to the diagnosis, treatment, care or management of your condition and the injuries alleged in your Complaint.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**If you are NOT asserting a claim for a diagnosed mental, psychological, or psychiatric injury(ies) related to your use of Mirena, you do not have to provide any mental health documents in your possession.**

- d. If you have been the claimant or subject of any workers' compensation, social security, or other disability proceeding, all documents relating to such proceeding.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- e. All documents constituting, concerning, or relating to Mirena or Mirena product warnings, brochures, package inserts, or other materials distributed with or provided to you in connection with your use of Mirena.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- f. Copies of advertisements or promotions for Mirena and articles discussing Mirena in your possession.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- g. All documents in your possession or the possession of anyone acting on your behalf (other than your lawyer) obtained directly or indirectly from any of the Defendants or their employees, relating to Mirena.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- h. All documents constituting any communications or correspondence between you and any representative of the Defendants, relating to Mirena.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- i. All photographs, videos, journals, e-mails, tweets, texts, blog or other online posts, slides, DVDs or any other media relating to Mirena, your physical condition during the time you claim you were suffering from injuries allegedly caused by Mirena, or the injury(ies) Mirena allegedly caused you.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- j. If you claim you have suffered a loss of earnings or earnings capacity, your federal tax returns and W-2s from the time beginning 5 years before your first Mirena was inserted to the present?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- k. If you claim any loss from medical expenses, copies of all bills from any insurer, governmental agency, physician, hospital, pharmacy, or other health care providers.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- l. All public statements made by you relating to this litigation or Mirena.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- m. Copies of letters testamentary or letters of administration relating to your status as plaintiff (if applicable).

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

- n. Decedent's death certificate and autopsy report (if applicable).

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**XV. DECLARATION**

I declare under penalty of perjury that, at the time I completed this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet, all of the information provided in this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after due diligence and reasonable inquiry, that I have supplied all the documents requested in this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet, to the extent that such documents are in my possession and that I have supplied the Authorizations attached to this declaration. I understand that I must revise this Mirena Plaintiff Fact Sheet upon receiving any information making any answer incorrect or incomplete.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_