

IN RE: PPA  
(Pheny/propranolamine)

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
MIDDLESEX COUNTY: LAW DIVISION  
CIVIL ACTION

DOCKET NO. MID L-9887-02 MT

Case Code No. 264

FRANCHESKIA JOHNSON, individually  
and as the parent and guardian ad litem of  
KEDRICK JOHNSON, a minor

Plaintiff,

v.

NOVARTIS CONSUMER HEALTH, INC.,  
NOVARTIS CORPORATION and NOVARTIS  
PHARMACEUTICALS CORPORATION

Defendants.

**ORDER APPOINTING GUARDIAN AD  
LITEM AND SETTING DATE OF  
FRIENDLY HEARING**

**ORDER**

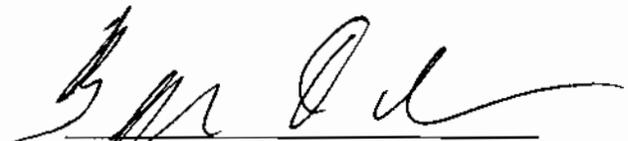
This matter having come before the Court in Accordance with R.4:44-1 and R.4:44-3; and unopposed by Defendants; and Counsel for Plaintiffs having reported to the Court that a settlement of the minor Plaintiff's (Kedrick Johnson's) claim has been arrived at between Plaintiffs and Defendants to this matter; and this Court having been moved to appoint a Guardian Ad Litem to approve the proposed settlement; and a Friendly Hearing having been requested pursuant to approving the proposed settlement of this matter;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT Douglas T. Hague be appointed as Guardian Ad Litem for purposes of approving the proposed settlement between Plaintiffs Francheskia Johnson and Kedrick Johnson and Defendants Novartis Consumer Health, Inc., Novartis Corporation and Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation. The Guardian is

to be compensated for his services at a reasonable rate. The sum is to be paid from the parent's share of the settlement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Friendly Hearing shall be scheduled upon the Guardian's review of the settlement materials. Counsel shall contact the court for a hearing date.

DATED: 12/16, 2005



HON. BRYAN D. GARRUTO