



**GRAND COURT OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS
VISION**

CAUSE NO. OF 2026

BETWEEN: SYDNEY PORTER PLAINTIFF

AND: HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY 1st DEFENDANT

AND: DR. MICHAEL LEON 2nd DEFENDANT

WRIT OF SUMMONS

**To: The Defendants HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY
DR. MICHAEL LEON**

THIS WRIT OF SUMMONS has been issued against you by the above-named Plaintiff of 347 Watershed Circle, Bodden Town, P.O. Box 1274, KY1 -1108, Grand Cayman in respect of the claim set out on the next page.

Within 14 days after the service of this Writ on you, counting the day of service, you must either satisfy the claim or return to the Court Office, P.O. Box 495G, George Town, Grand Cayman, the accompanying Acknowledgment of Service stating therein whether you intend to contest these proceedings.

If you fail to satisfy the claim or to return the Acknowledgment within the time stated, or if you return the Acknowledgment without stating therein an intention to contest the proceedings, the Plaintiff may proceed with the action and judgment may be entered against you forthwith without further notice.

Issued this 20th day of **MAY 2026**

NOTE - This Writ may not be served later than 4 calendar months (or, if leave is required to effect service out of the jurisdiction, 6 months) beginning with the date of issue unless renewed by order of the Court.

IMPORTANT

Directions for Acknowledgment of Service are given with the accompanying form.

This WRIT was filed on behalf of the Plaintiff by, Sophia Lee Attorney - At-Law Address: 3rd Floor Piccadilly Office Centre, 28 Elgin Avenue, George Town, PO Box 924, Grand Cayman KY1-1503 Email: Sflee.law@gmail.com Tel: (345) 923-7851

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

The Plaintiff attended the George Town Hospital Dental Clinic operated by the 1st Defendant, the Health Services Authority, on 18 May 2023 because his tooth was damaged, the filling came out from tooth 5 on the upper right quadrant of the Plaintiff's mouth, an X-Ray was done and he was told to return on 22 May 2023. The Plaintiff returned on that day and was subsequently treated by the 2nd Defendant, a dentist employed by the 1st Defendant, and who in the course of his duties performed dental work and in particular, an extraction procedure on 22 May 2023 on the said tooth. During the procedure, the Plaintiff suffered severe and unnecessary pain, as the pain management was inadequate and the procedure had to be paused on several occasions for the Plaintiff to get a break from the pain and discomfort. Following the procedure, the Plaintiff experienced severe and ongoing pain, bleeding, swelling, infection, facial discomfort, and difficulty eating, which necessitated further dental treatment.

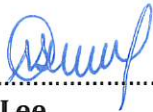
On or about 29 May 2023, after his pain and discomfort increased, the Plaintiff sought further treatment from 2nd Defendant who failed to provide adequate care. Later that day the Plaintiff attended another local private dental health care provider, where further examination and radiographic imaging revealed retained teeth root fragments, a 'dry socket', and an infection requiring additional treatment. The Plaintiff further alleges that the care and treatment provided by the 2nd Defendant fell below the standard reasonably expected of a dental practitioner and constituted negligence and a breach of duty, causing the Plaintiff unnecessary pain and suffering, emotional distress, and anxiety resulting in loss and damage. As part of his ongoing treatment and rehabilitation, the Plaintiff required further medical and dental intervention, including Botox treatment and has had to seek counselling.

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AND THE PLAINTIFF CLAIMS:

1. General Damages;
2. Special Damages;
3. Costs;
4. Any other relief this court deems necessary

Dated this day 20th May 2026



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Sophia Lee
Attorneys-at-Law for the Plaintiff

1. The accompanying form of Acknowledgment of Service should be completed by an Attorney acting on behalf of the Defendant or by the Defendant if acting in person.

After completion it must be delivered or sent by post to the Law Courts, P.O. Box 495G, George Town, Grand Cayman.

2. A Defendant who states in his Acknowledgment of Service that he intends to contest the proceedings must also serve a defence on the Attorney for the Plaintiff (or on the Plaintiff if acting in person).

If a Statement of Claim is indorsed on the Writ (i.e. the words "Statement of Claim" appear on the top of page 2), the Defence must be served within 14 days after the time for acknowledging service of the Writ, unless in the meantime a summons for judgment is served on the Defendant.

If the Statement of Claim is not indorsed on the Writ, the Defence need not be served until 14 days after a Statement of Claim has been served on the Defendant.

If the Defendant fails to serve his defence within the appropriate time, the Plaintiff may enter judgment against him without further notice.

3. A Stay of Execution against the Defendant's goods may be applied for where the Defendant is unable to pay the money for which any judgment is entered. If a Defendant to an action for a debt or liquidated demand (i.e. a fixed sum) who does not intend to contest the proceedings states, in answer to Question 3 in the Acknowledgment of Service, that he intends to apply for a stay, execution will be stayed for 14 days after his Acknowledgment, but he must, within that time, issue a Summons for a stay of execution, supported by an affidavit of his means. The affidavit should state any offer which the Defendant desires to make for payment of the money by instalments or otherwise.

See over for notes for guidance

Please complete overleaf

1. Each Defendant (if there are more than one) is required to complete an Acknowledgment of Service and return it to the Courts Office.
2. For the purpose of calculating the period of 14 days for acknowledging service, a writ served on the Defendant personally is treated as having been served on the day it was delivered to him.
3. Where the Defendant is sued in a name different from his own, the form must be completed by him with the addition in paragraph 1 of the words "sued as (the name stated on the Writ of Summons)".
4. Where the Defendant is a FIRM and an attorney is not instructed, the form must be completed by a PARTNER by name, with the addition in paragraph 1 of the description "Partner in the firm of (.)" after his name.
5. Where the Defendant is sued as an individual TRADING IN A NAME OTHER THAN HIS OWN, the form must be completed by him with the addition in paragraph 1 of the description "trading as (.....)" after his name.
6. Where the Defendant is a LIMITED COMPANY the form must be completed by an Attorney or by someone authorised to act on behalf of the Company, but the Company can take no further step in the proceedings without an Attorney acting on its behalf.
7. Where the Defendant is a MINOR or a MENTAL PATIENT, the form must be completed by an Attorney acting for a guardian ad litem.
8. A Defendant acting in person may obtain help in completing the form at the Courts Office.

IN THE GRAND COURT OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS
CIVIL DIVISION

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BETWEEN: SYDNEY PORTER PLAINTIFF

AND: HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY 1st DEFENDANT

AND: DR. MICHAEL LEON 2nd DEFENDANT

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SERVICE OF WRIT OF SUMMONS

If you intend to instruct an Attorney to act for you, give him this form IMMEDIATELY.

Important. Read the accompanying directions and notes for guidance carefully before completing this form. If any information required is omitted or given wrongly, THIS FORM MAY HAVE TO BE RETURNED.

Delay may result in judgment being entered against a Defendant whereby he may have to pay the costs of applying to set it aside.

1. State the full name of the Defendant by whom or on whose behalf the service of the Writ is being acknowledged.

2. State whether the Defendant intends to contest the proceedings (tick appropriate box)

☐ yes ☐ no

3. If the claim against the Defendant is for a debt or liquidated demand, AND he does not intend to contest the proceedings, state if the Defendant intends to apply for a stay of execution against any judgment entered by the Plaintiff (tick box)

☐ yes ☐ no

Service of the Writ is acknowledged accordingly

(Signed).....

Attorney for

Please complete overleaf

Notes on address for service

Attorney: where the Defendant is represented by an attorney, state the attorney's place of business in the Cayman Islands. A Defendant may not act by a foreign attorney.

Defendant in person: where the Defendant is acting in person, he must give his post office box number and the physical address of his residence or, if he does not reside in the Cayman Islands, he must give an address in Grand Cayman where communications for him should be sent. In the case of a limited company, "residence" means its registered or principal office.

Indorsement by plaintiff's Attorney (or by plaintiff if suing in person) of his name, address and reference, if any, in the box below.

Sophia Lee Attorney-at-Law
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P.O. Box 924 SAV
KY1-1503 Grand Cayman

Indorsement by defendant's Attorney (or by defendant if suing in person) of his name, address and reference, if any, in the box below.

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