

**BEFORE THE STATE OF ALASKA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS ON
REFERRAL BY THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
SOCIAL SERVICES**

In the Matter of)
Providence Health System Alaska) OAH No. 06-0152-DHS
_____)

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

On February 21, 2006, the Department of Health and Social Services referred the above-referenced matter to the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH). Administrative Law Judge Terry L. Thurbon of OAH's Juneau office is hereby assigned to this matter. The procedures in AS 44.62.330 – AS 44.62.630 and 7 AAC 07.080 apply to the hearing of this matter.

Documents filed by a party in this matter should refer to OAH No. 06-0152-DHS and should be directed to Administrative Law Judge Thurbon's attention at the following address:

Office of Administrative Hearings
P.O. Box 110231
Juneau, Alaska 99811-0231

Facsimile filings or communications may be allowed in the discretion of the Administrative Law Judge. Telephone the office at 907-465-1886 to request permission to send materials by facsimile.

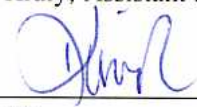
The administrative law judge will schedule a prehearing conference and other hearing-related matters. If any party will be represented by an attorney in this matter, the attorney should file an entry of appearance document at the above OAH address and serve a copy of that document on the other party as soon as possible.

DATED this 24th day of February, 2006.

By: 

Terry L. Thurbon
Chief Administrative Law Judge

The undersigned certifies that on February 24, 2006, this Notice of Assignment was distributed to the following: Susan Humphrey-Barnett, Providence Health System Alaska; Stacie Kraly, Assistant Attorney General. . A courtesy copy was sent to Elmer Lindstrom, Office of the Commissioner.



Kim Rechin