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**MALLINCKRODT (“MNK”) OPIOID PERSONAL INJURY TRUST
SUPPLEMENTAL GENERAL FAQs – THESE WERE CREATED FROM
ANSWERING FOLLOW-UP QUESTIONS**

These FAQs are meant to simplify the description of the Personal Injury Claim submission and review process to facilitate Claimant and Law Firm understanding, and are not all inclusive. However, the actual Plan, PI Trust Distribution Procedures and Trust documents are controlling, and these FAQs will evolve and be edited as the Trust administration proceeds.

1. If I am a firm that represents multiple clients, is there any way to do bulk filing NOW, like through Dropbox, or will the portal allow batch filing of any type?

Yes, we are open to a bulk filing approach. Now, You can do PDF bulk filing, as described below, and we are in the process of finalizing the details on a data set format for uploading claims information into the portal system, so that the forms could be prepopulated for your clients, and they can then simply login to the portal and proof the claim form and sign it. Once that data format is finalized, it will be available, with instructions, to those firms that would like to utilize it. The portal system itself will be available by August 15, 2022. We are also open to other avenues of bulk uploading, including PDFs, NOW, through Dropbox, SFTP link, or other type of secure transmission of the PDF claim forms and supporting documents, and we began accepting paper claims submissions, such as those, as of August 1, 2022. You can contact us if you would like more information on bulk uploading or would like to set up a Dropbox or other bulk file transfer method to do so.

2. What notice of the effectiveness of the PI Trust are you providing to personal injury claimants?

The MNK Debtors have already notified the Purdue pro se claimants of the MNK Plan. If the Purdue Plan becomes effective, we plan to place on the Purdue Settlement website notice of the effectiveness of the MNK PI Trust, due to the anticipated overlap of claims. We have compiled what we believe to be a reasonably complete list of the Law Firms that have Purdue PI Claims, and have attempted to provide direct notice to those Law Firms on July 8, 2022. Notice was filed in the MNK Docket on July 8, 2022. Notice will also be provided to the small number of PI creditors, or those reasonably believed to be PI creditors in the MNK Bankruptcy that filed a proof of claim. The MNK Effective Date Notice contains the address for the PI Trust website, MNKPITrust.com, and the PI Trust phone number 1-855-637-5538. The website is also provided on the MNK Bankruptcy website. A measured notice by publication is planned, being a one time, 2 column, 2 inch Notice in the Wallstreet Journal, and a Metadata.io campaign across several platforms, including FaceBook, Google Ads, etc. With respect to future claimants, periodic future publication is planned.

3. Can a lawyer/law firm sign the claim forms as the authorized legal representative/attorney for the claimant?

No. Both the MNK PI Trust Distribution Procedures for NAS PI Claims and Non-NAS PI Claims require the Claimant to sign the Claim Form to certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided therein is true and correct to the best of their ability. If the Claimant is a minor, his or her parent or legal guardian can sign on his or her behalf. If the Claimant is deceased, the legally appointed personal representative, or the person qualified to complete and sign the correct Heirship declaration (SD1 or SD2) should be the person completing and signing the Claim Form. Electronic signatures are allowed.

4. What format do you want the Claim Form, HIPAA Release, and documentation in, PDF? Does the portal require any special formats?

If a Claimant chooses to go through the Portal system, they can complete the claim forms and other documents online electronically. Otherwise, we prefer PDF versions of the completed forms and supporting documents.

5. How will you know where to send payment if an attorney is involved? (asked because only address information on claim form is Claimants)

There will be a question on the Portal interface asking if the Claimant is represented, and if so, to please provide their attorney information. However, we are more than happy to obtain a list from the law firm ahead of time of their clients so that we can identify them as represented by a particular law firm in our system. Also, if a law firm chooses to utilize the data upload option, we will be able to link the claimants to the law firm at that time.

6. Provided a law firm has authorization from their claimants, is it acceptable for the attorney to sign the HIPAA release on their behalf?

No. Most insurers or entities that will be receiving the signed HIPAA release require the claimant's signature, or, if the claimant is deceased, a minor, or incapacitated, the legal representative's signature.

7. What happens if I sent my Claim Form to the Trust prior to the August 1, 2022 date the Trust began accepting Claim Form submissions?

All Claims submitted prior to August 1, 2022 are treated as having been received on August 1, 2022.

8. If a law firm is submitting claims in bulk through the Portal system claims data upload, is it possible to upload the final page of the form with the claimant's signature and verification of the claim along with the supporting documents instead of having the Claimant login to the portal to sign electronically?

Yes. It is possible to upload the final page of the claim form with the claimant's signature and verification of the claim when submitting the claims data in bulk via the Portal System.

9. Is a HIPAA form required to be submitted with every claim?

Yes. The Trustee is requiring that a signed HIPAA form be submitted for every claimant up front to expedite MASSIVE's lien resolution process.

10. Will there be a deadline to submit signed releases once the Trust has notified the claimant of their award?

Yes. The Trustee is currently developing policies and procedures to address the timeline for signed releases. The deadline for submitting signed releases will be a reasonable time as determined by the Trustee.