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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS WESTERN DIVISION

ROXANNE BEST PLAINTIFF

V.

No. 4:13-cv-1-DPM

CHARLES HOLLADAY;
CARL JOHNSON, individually and in
his official capacity; RANDY MORGAN;
JOHN DOES, 1-100, individually and in
their official capacities; RACHEL HOLMES,
individually and in her official capacity;
R HALE, individually and in his official
capacity; DONNA WASHBURN, individually
and in her official capacity; MELISSA GRIMES;
and MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC.

DEFENDANTS

ORDER

Best's motion to stay response time, N_2 23, is granted. Best has done enough, early in the case, to show that, by taking Dr. Johnson's and the nurses' depositions, she may uncover facts essential to maintaining her claims against the doctor. FED. R. CIV. P. 56(d); *Chambers v. Travelers Companies, Inc.*, 668 F.3d 559, 568 (8th Cir. 2012). Best's deadline for responding to Dr. Johnson's motion for summary judgment, N_2 20, is stayed until 16 December 2013. Between now and then, she must do focused discovery about Dr. Johnson's role, if any, in Best's care and treatment.

So Ordered.

D.P. Marshall Jr.

United States District Judge

<u>9 October 2013</u>