

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
FORT MYERS DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE  
STATES OF CALIFORNIA, DELAWARE,  
FLORIDA, GEORGIA, ILLINOIS,  
INDIANA, IOWA, LOUISIANA,  
MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS,  
MICHIGAN, MONTANA, NEVADA,  
NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEW JERSEY,  
NEW MEXICO, NORTH CAROLINA,  
OKLAHOMA, RHODE ISLAND,  
TENNESSEE, TEXAS, VERMONT,  
VIRGINIA, and WASHINGTON, *ex rel.*,  
and JAMIE THOMSON,**

Plaintiffs/Relator,

v.

2:18-cv-543-SPC-NPM

**ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC.,  
AFFILIATES OF ACADIA HEALTHCARE  
COMPANY, INC. TO BE NAMED,  
RIVERWOODS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, LLC  
d/b/a LAKEVIEW BEHAVIORAL HEALTH,**

Defendants.

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**ORDER**

In this federal-false-claims-act case, the United States has notified the court of its decision to partially intervene for the purpose of settlement and requests an extension of time for the named plaintiff states to intervene in this action.

Accordingly, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(2) and (4), it is hereby **ORDERED** that the relator's complaint (Doc. 2), the United States's notice of

intervention (Doc. 82), and this order shall be *unsealed*. All other papers and orders previously filed in this matter *shall remain under seal*, and the seal is lifted for all other matters occurring in this action *after* the day of this order. The request for an extension of time is **GRANTED**, and the named plaintiff states shall have until **November 20, 2024**, to intervene in this action.

**ORDERED** on September 25, 2024.

  
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NICHOLAS P. MIZELL  
United States Magistrate Judge