

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
Miami Division**

<p>RICK LOVE, .M.D., et al.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plaintiffs,</p> <p>v.</p> <p>BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD ASSOCIATION, et al.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Defendants</p>	<p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p> <p>)</p>	<p>Case No. 03-21296-CIV-MORENO/SIMONTON</p>
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ORDER APPROVING JOINDER IN SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

THIS CAUSE came before the Court upon Representative Plaintiffs, certain Signatory Medical Societies, the Settling Defendants¹, and Independence Blue Cross, AmeriHealth HMO, Inc., LaCruz Azul de Puerto Rico, and Keystone Health Plan East, Inc.’s (collectively referred to herein as “IBC”) (collectively the “Parties”) Motion requesting an Order approving the joinder filed by IBC in the Settlement Agreement in the action styled Love, et al. v. Blue Cross Blue Shield Ass’n, et al., (formerly Thomas, et al. v. Blue Cross Blue Shield Ass’n, et al.), Case No. 03-21296-CIV-MORENO/SIMONTON (the “Action”), which this Court preliminarily approved on May 31, 2007.

THE COURT has considered the Motion and the pertinent portions of the record, and is otherwise fully advised in the premises.

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Parties’ Motion for Approval of Joinder in Settlement Agreement is GRANTED. The Court further Orders that the published notice in *The American Medical News* and *The Journal of the American Medical Association* will occur within 75 days of the May 31 Order Preliminarily Approving Proposed Settlement Agreement.

DONE AND SO ORDERED in chambers at Miami, Florida, this 16th day of July 2007.



 FREDERICO A. MORENO
 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies provided to: Counsel of Record

¹“Settling Defendants” means the “Blue Parties” as defined in the Settlement Agreement.