

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

CITY OF CRESTVIEW and FLORIDA
LEAGUE of CITIES, INC.,

Appellants,

v.

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO
FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND
DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

CASE NO. 1D07-4366

DALE RICHARDS,

Appellee.

Opinion filed August 12, 2008.

An appeal from an order of the Judge of Compensation Claims.
Nolan S. Winn, Judge.

Douglas F. Miller of Clark, Partington, Hart, Larry, Bond & Stackhouse, Pensacola,
for Appellants.

Woodburn S. Wesley, Jr. of Wesley, McGrail & Wesley, Fort Walton Beach, and
David A. McCranie of David A. McCranie, P.A., Orange Park, for Appellee.

PER CURIAM.

The Employer/Carrier challenge the order of the Judge of Compensation Claims
("JCC") awarding evaluation by a dermatologist, evaluation by a psychiatrist, and
treatment with a dermatologist. As to the first two benefits awarded, we affirm
without comment. However, as to the award of treatment with a dermatologist, we
reverse.

In the body of the Final Order the JCC found insufficient evidence of a causal link between Claimant's compensable injury and the dermatological condition he developed subsequent to surgery. The JCC expressly denied Claimant's request for treatment with a dermatologist, and awarded a dermatological evaluation to establish whether such connection existed. However, in the decretal portion of the order, the JCC awarded treatment. Given the JCC's finding with respect to causation, the award of treatment with a dermatologist was error. Accordingly, that portion of the Final Order is reversed.

AFFIRMED in part, and REVERSED in part.

ALLEN, DAVIS, and HAWKES, JJ., CONCUR.