

MEDIA ADVISORY

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TOMORROW: Federal Court to Hold Hearing on \$162 Million CDPAP Home Care Worker Class Action Settlement Reached by Plaintiffs & PPL

Proposed settlement would cover 200,000 downstate personal assistants

WHAT: A preliminary approval hearing in *Calderon v. Public Partnerships LLC*, at which the Court will consider whether to preliminarily approve the proposed [settlement](#) covering 200,000 downstate personal assistants, worth at least \$162 million.

WHEN: Wednesday, July 1, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. ET

WHERE: U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York
Courtroom 13B South
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, NY 11201

WHO: Plaintiffs are represented by attorneys from Katz Banks Kumin LLP and The Legal Aid Society. Counsel will be available for comment before and after the hearing.

BACKGROUND: Plaintiffs Philip Calderon, Farshad Pinchasi, Allison Fields, and Dana Folgar alleged in this class action [lawsuit](#) that PPL failed to pay personal assistants accurately and on time after becoming the single statewide fiscal intermediary for the Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program (CDPAP) in April 2025. CDPAP is a New York State Medicaid program that allows older adults and people with disabilities to direct their own care by choosing trusted caregivers.

More information, including Plaintiffs' motion for preliminary approval which outlines the settlement and its components, is available at <https://publicpartnershipsettlement.com/>

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