

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF IOWA

No. 15-0331
Filed September 23, 2015

**GREAT RIVER MEDICAL CENTER and
ARGENT/WEST BEND INSURANCE CO.,**
Petitioners-Appellants,

vs.

TESSA MURPHY,
Respondent-Appellee.

Appeal from the Iowa District Court for Polk County, Arthur E. Gamble,
Judge.

An employer appeals the district court's dismissal of its petition for judicial
review. **AFFIRMED.**

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Considered by Doyle, P.J., and Mullins and Bower, JJ.

MULLINS, Judge.

Great River Medical Center and Argent/West Bend Insurance Company (employer) appeal the district court's dismissal of their petition for judicial review of a workers' compensation commissioner's decision. The agency concluded Tessa Murphy was entitled to permanent and total disability benefits due to her September 10, 2011 back injury. On appeal from the district court's decision, the employer asserts the agency's decision that Murphy is permanently and totally disabled is not supported by substantial evidence and is an abuse of discretion. In addition, the employer challenges the agency ruling that the employer is not entitled to a credit for overpayment/early payment of temporary benefits against the permanent total disability benefit award and was not entitled to apportionment from prior injuries. The same claims were made before the district court, which thoroughly and correctly analyzed the same. We therefore affirm the district court's decision pursuant to Iowa Rule of Appellate Procedure 6.1203(a) and (c).

AFFIRMED.