

Breast Implant Class Action

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\$39 MILLION SETTLEMENT REACHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA BREAST IMPLANT CLASS ACTION

VANCOUVER/VICTORIA - An historic settlement was reached yesterday in the British Columbia breast implant class action lawsuit.

The settlement with Dow Corning Corporation and Dow Corning Canada Corporation will pay \$39 million Cdn. (\$25 million U.S.) to approximately 4,100 women residing everywhere in Canada other than Ontario and Quebec.

Women with silicone gel or saline breast implants made by Dow Corning who qualify will receive a range of financial benefits depending on the severity of their injuries.

The settlement will be part of Dow Corning's bankruptcy plan of reorganization and remains subject to approval by the courts in Michigan and British Columbia.