

Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Appeal Number:	2155738
Decision Date:	10/20/2021	Hearing Date:	09/07/2021
Hearing Officer:	Samantha Kurkijy	Record Open Date:	09/28/2021

Appearances for Appellant:



Appearances for MassHealth:

Gabe Gillis—Chelsea MEC



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APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Issue:	Eligibility— verifications
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MassHealth's Rep.:	Gabe Gillis	Appellant's Rep.:	[REDACTED]
Hearing Location:	Remote		

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. The issue on appeal involves MassHealth's denial of the appellant's long-term care application for failure to provide all requested verifications. A hearing was held on September 7, 2021. The MassHealth representative indicated that the missing verifications consisted of the following: a legible copy of the health premium; IRA statements from May 2020 to closing, as well as verification of disbursements over \$1,000 and verification of all deposits, regardless of amount; and annuity statements from May 2020 to closing, as well as verification of disbursements over \$1,000.

The record was held open until September 21, 2021 for the appellant to obtain the necessary documentation and MassHealth was given until September 28, 2021 to respond. The MassHealth representative reported that he received all of the requested verifications and would process the case, honoring the June 3, 2021 application date.

The issue on appeal has been resolved. Therefore, the appeal is dismissed. The appellant has appeal rights as to the new MassHealth notice that issues.

Samantha Kurkijy
Hearing Officer
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cc: Nancy Hazlett
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