## Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

## **Appellant Name and Address:**



**Appeal Decision:** Dismissed **Appeal Number:** 2179414

**Decision Date:** 5/10/2022 **Hearing Date:** 01/10/2022

**Hearing Officer:** Rebecca Brochstein **Record Open Date:** 05/13/2022

**Appearances for Appellant:** 

Appearances for MassHealth:

Jessica Barney, Taunton MEC



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## APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision: Dismissed Issue: Long-term care

verifications

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MassHealth's Rep.: Jessica Barney,

**Taunton MEC** 

Appellant's Rep.:

Hearing Location: Board of Hearings (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 involved a denial of the appellant's long-term care application for failure to provide all requested verifications within the required time frame. The record was held open, and the record-open period extended several times, for the appellant's representative to submit the remaining verifications. The MassHealth representative subsequently reported that she had received the necessary verifications and would issue a new eligibility determination.

As the issue of outstanding verifications has been resolved, the appeal is dismissed.

Rebecca Brochstein Hearing Officer Board of Hearings

cc: Taunton MEC



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> During the record-open period, the appellant's representative (his sister) authorized two additional individuals as appeal representatives.