Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision:	DISMISSED with ORDER	Appeal Number:	2202902
Decision Date:	6/30/2022	Hearing Date:	06/09/2022
Hearing Officer:	Kenneth Brodzinski		

Appearance for Appellant:

Appearance for MassHealth:

Pro se

Kay George, RN and Michelle Malkoski – Fallon Health



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APPEAL DECISION

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Hearing Location:	Quincy		

Authority

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

Jurisdiction

Through a notice dated April 1, 2022, MassHealth's agent, Fallon Health, denied Appellant's request to be reimbursed \$112.00 for services she contracted outside of the PACE system (<u>Exhibit A</u>). Appellant filed this appeal in a timely manner on April 22, 2022 (<u>Id</u>). The denial constitutes valid grounds for appeal (see 130 CMR 610.032).

A hearing was held on June 9, 2022 during which Fallon Health agreed to a one-time reimbursement of the requested \$112.00. Appellant indicated that she was satisfied with Fallon's reversal of its denial. Fallon requested a decision from the Board of Hearings memorializing this action. Both parties agreed that a written dismissal with an order would be satisfactory.

Whereas there is no issue left to decide, this appeal is DISMISSED.

Order for MassHealth/Fallon

Reimburse Appellant \$112.00.

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Implementation of this Decision

If this decision is not implemented within 30 days after the date of this decision, you should contact your MassHealth Enrollment Center. If you experience problems with the implementation of this decision, you should report this in writing to the Director of the Board of Hearings, at the address on the first page of this decision.

Kenneth Brodzinski Hearing Officer Board of Hearings

CC:

MassHealth Representative: Fallon Health, Member Appeals and Grievances, 10 Chestnut Street, Worcester, MA 01608