

# Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

**Appellant Name and Address:**



<b>Appeal Decision:</b>	Dismissed	<b>Appeal Number:</b>	2209149
<b>Decision Date:</b>	3/6/2023	<b>Hearing Date:</b>	1/3/2023
<b>Hearing Officer:</b>	Patrick Grogan	<b>Record Open to:</b>	2/24/23

**Appearance for Appellant:**



**Appearance for MassHealth:**

Joshua Bailey

**Interpreter:**

N/A



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# APPEAL DECISION

<b>Appeal Decision:</b>	Dismissed	<b>Issue:</b>	Assets
<b>Decision Date:</b>	3/6/2023	<b>Hearing Date:</b>	01/03/2023
<b>MassHealth's Rep.:</b>	Joshua Bailey	<b>Appellant's Rep.:</b>	
<b>Hearing Location:</b>	Springfield MassHealth Enrollment Center Room 2	<b>Aid Pending:</b>	No

## Procedural Background

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. The issue on appeal was MassHealth's October 13, 2022, denial of the Appellant's application for MassHealth due to the Appellant having more countable assets than MassHealth benefits allow. (Exhibit 1; 130 CMR 520.003, 520.004) The Appellant timely appealed on December 12, 2022. (Exhibit 2; 130 CMR 610.015(B).)

Following the hearing held on January 3, 2023, the record was left open until February 17, 2023, for the Appellant to submit necessary information, and until February 24, 2023, for MassHealth to review the proffered information to determine the Appellant's eligibility. (Exhibit 5) Additional information was provided to MassHealth on February 17, 2023 (Exhibit 7). On February 22, 2023, MassHealth responded that the Appellant was approved. (Exhibit 8).

As no issue on the appeal of the October 13, 2022, denial notice for countable assets pursuant to 130 CMR 520.003 and 520.004 remains in dispute, this matter is DISMISSED pursuant to 130 CMR 610.051(B).

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Patrick Grogan  
Hearing Officer  
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