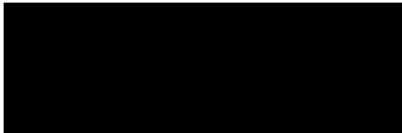


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<b>Hearing Officer:</b>	Patrick Grogan	<b>Record Open to:</b>	8/25/23

**Appearance for Appellant:**



**Appearance for MassHealth:**

Carmen Sola

**Interpreter:**

N/A



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## APPEAL DECISION

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<b>MassHealth's Rep.:</b>	Carmen Sola	<b>Appellant's Rep.:</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Hearing Location:</b>	Remote (Tel)	<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 February 21, 2023, denial of the Appellant's application for MassHealth due to the Appellant not providing information required to decide the Appellant's eligibility within the required timeframe. (Exhibit 1; 130 CMR 515.008) The Appellant timely appealed on May 12, 2023. (Exhibit 2; 130 CMR 610.015(B).)

At the July 17 2023 hearing, the record was left open until August 18, 2023, for the Appellant to submit necessary verifications, and until August 5, 2023, for MassHealth to review the proffered information to determine the Appellant's eligibility. (Exhibit 7) Additional information was provided to MassHealth. (Exhibit 8) On August 9, 2023, MassHealth responded that all information had been received and a determination had been made<sup>1</sup>. (Exhibit 9).

As no issue on the appeal of the February 21, 2023 denial notice for Appellant not providing

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<sup>1</sup> MassHealth indicated the member was over assets and a subsequent notice would be mailed on August 15, 2023. (Exhibit 9) Subsequent MassHealth actions and notices after February 21, 2023 are not a part of the instant appeal.

information required to decide the Appellant's eligibility within the required timeframe to 130 CMR 515.008 remains in dispute, this matter is DISMISSED pursuant to 130 CMR 610.051(B).

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Patrick Grogan  
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