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Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision: Dismissed Appeal Number: 2304848

Decision Date: 9/11/2023 **Hearing Date:** 7/17/2023

Hearing Officer: Patrick Grogan Record Open to: 9/15/23

Appearance for Appellant:

Appearance for MassHealth:

Elizabeth Landry

Interpreter:

N/A



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APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision: Dismissed Issue: Verifications

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MassHealth's Rep.: Elizabeth Landry Appellant's Rep.:

Hearing Location: Remote (Tel) Aid Pending: 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 March 27, 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 June 14, 2023. (Exhibit 2; 130 CMR 610.015(B).)

At the July 17, 2023 hearing, the record was left open until September 1, 2023, for the Appellant to submit necessary verifications, and until September 15, 2023, for MassHealth to review the proffered information to determine the Appellant's eligibility. (Exhibit 7) Additional information was provided to MassHealth. (Exhibit 7) On September 7, 2023, MassHealth responded that all information had been received and a determination had been made¹. (Exhibit 8).

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¹ Both the Appeal Representative and MassHealth indicated the member was over assets. A subsequent notice will be generated. Subsequent MassHealth actions and notices after March 27, 2023 are not a part of the instant appeal.

As no issue on the appeal of the March 27, 2023 denial notice for Appellant not providing 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).

Patrick Grogan Hearing Officer Board of Hearings

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