

Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Appeal Number:	2306087
Decision Date:	08/21/2023	Hearing Date:	08/21/2023
Hearing Officer:	Casey Groff, Esq.		

Appearance for Appellant:

Aron Rosenblum, Business Office, Ray
Healthcare

Appearance for MassHealth:

Mary Vieira, Taunton MassHealth Enrollment
Center



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APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Issue:	Eligibility; Over 65; Verifications
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MassHealth's Rep.:	Mary Viera	Appellant's Rep.:	Aron Rosenblum
Hearing Location:	Board of Hearings (Remote)	Aid Pending:	No

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. On July 11, 2023, MassHealth denied Appellant's application for long-term care benefits due to his failure to submit verifications by the required deadline. See Exhibit 1, p. 3. Appellant filed a timely appeal of the notice, and a hearing took place on August 21, 2023. Id. at 1-2; Exh. 2. At hearing, the MassHealth representative testified that it received, that morning, all requested verifications. The MassHealth representative posed additional questions to Appellant's representative to clarify specific transactions reflected in the documentation received. Through oral testimony, Appellant's representative answered all questions, allowing MassHealth to proceed to an eligibility determination honoring Appellant's March 1, 2023 application date.

As all issues pertaining to the July 11th MassHealth notice have been resolved, this appeal is DISMISSED. See 130 CMR 610.051(B).

Casey Groff, Esq.
Hearing Officer
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cc: MassHealth Representative: Justine Ferreira, Taunton MassHealth Enrollment Center, 21 Spring St., Ste. 4, Taunton, MA 02780

Appellant Representative: [REDACTED]