

Office of Medicaid BOARD OF HEARINGS

Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Appeal Number:	2308011
Decision Date:	11/07/2023	Hearing Date:	10/05/2023
Hearing Officer:	Alexis Demirjian	Record Open to:	11/24/23

Appearance for Appellant:



Appearance for MassHealth:

Jenny Chan, Quincy MEC



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APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision:	Dismissed	Issue:	Over 65; Over Assets
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MassHealth's Rep.:	Ms. Chan	Appellant's Rep.:	[REDACTED]
Hearing Location:	Telephonic	Aid Pending:	No

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. The issue on appeal involved a denial of the appellant's long-term care application for having excess assets. The appellant's daughter argued that the asset in question was a passport bank account that had been set up when she was a minor and the appellant's name was on the account solely to establish the bank account since the minor child could not open an account on her own.

The record was held open after hearing for the appellant's daughter to submit sufficient documentary evidence that the bank account only belonged to the appellant's daughter. The MassHealth representative subsequently reported that she had received the necessary verifications and approved the application as of the requested start date of June 22, 2023.

As the issue of excess has been resolved and the matter has been resolved in favor of the appellant, the appeal is dismissed.

Alexis Demirjian
Hearing Officer
Board of Hearings

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Appellant Representative: [REDACTED]

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