

STATE OF MICHIGAN
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND RULES
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

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Reg. No.: 2010-49860
Issue No.: 2009
Case No.: [REDACTED]
Hearing Date: September 29, 2010
DHS County: Oakland (63-02)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Jonathan W. Owens

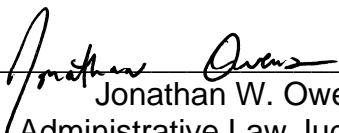
ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge pursuant to MCL 400.9 and MCL 400.37 upon Claimant's request for a hearing. After due notice, a telephone hearing was held on September 29, 2010. Claimant appeared and testified.

Under Bridges Administrative Manual (BAM) Item 600, clients have the right to contest any Department of Human Services (DHS or Department) decision affecting eligibility or benefit levels whenever they believe the decision is illegal. The Department provides an Administrative Hearing to review the decision and determine if it is appropriate. Department policy includes procedures to meet the minimal requirements for a fair hearing. Efforts to clarify and resolve the client's concerns start when the Department receives a hearing request and continues through the day of the hearing.

In the present case, Claimant filed a request for hearing. A hearing was held on September 29, 2010. On December 2, 2010, Claimant's authorized representative withdrew the hearing request. The hearing withdrawal indicated the Department had placed coverage on for the Claimant. Since Claimant has withdrawn her request for hearing, this Administrative Law Judge's jurisdiction over the matter has ended.

Therefore, pursuant to MAC R 400.903(1) and BAM 600, this hearing is hereby DISMISSED.


Jonathan W. Owens
Administrative Law Judge
for Duane Berger, Director
Department of Human Services

Date Signed: January 5, 2011

Date Mailed: January 5, 2011

NOTICE: Administrative Hearings may order a rehearing or reconsideration on either its own motion or at the request of a party within 30 days of the mailing date of this Decision and Order. Administrative Hearings will not order a rehearing or reconsideration on the Department's motion where the final decision cannot be implemented within 90 days of the filing of the original request.

The Claimant may appeal the Decision and Order to Circuit Court within 30 days of the mailing of the Decision and Order or, if a timely request for rehearing was made, within 30 days of the receipt date of the rehearing decision.

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