

STATE OF MICHIGAN
MICHIGAN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING SYSTEM
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

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Reg. No. 2011-38848
Issue No. 3000
Case No. [REDACTED]
Hearing Date: July 20, 2011
Oakland County DHS (04)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Susan C. Burke

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge pursuant to MCL 400.9, MCL 400.37, and upon Claimant's request for a hearing. After due notice, a telephone hearing was held on July 20, 2011 in Detroit, Michigan. Claimant appeared and testified. [REDACTED] also testified on behalf of Claimant. The Department of Human Services (Department) was represented by [REDACTED] Assistance Payments Supervisor.

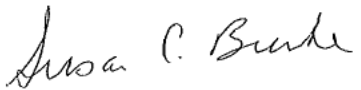
The regulations governing hearings and appeals for applicants and recipients of public assistance in Michigan are found in the Michigan Administrative Code. MAC R 400.901-.951. MAC R 400.903 reads, in part:

An opportunity for a hearing shall be granted to an applicant who requests a hearing because his claim for assistance is denied or is not acted upon with reasonable promptness, and to any recipient who is aggrieved by a Department of Human Services [department] action resulting in suspension, reduction, discontinuance, or termination of assistance.

In the present case, Claimant filed a request for hearing. Claimant does not dispute that the Department has since provided benefits requested. Claimant testified at hearing that his complaint was the lack of professionalism of his worker. However, this Administrative Law Judge has no jurisdiction over such matters as complaints regarding

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the professionalism of Department personnel. Therefore, it is ORDERED that this matter is DISMISSED pursuant to MAC R 400.903(1). BAM 600.



Susan C. Burke
Administrative Law Judge
For Maura Corrigan, Director
Department of Human Services

Date Signed: July 26, 2011

Date Mailed: July 26, 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 60 days of the filing of the original request.

The Claimant may appeal the Decision and Order to Circuit Court within 30 days of the receipt 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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