

BEFORE THE OFFICE OF STATE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
STATE OF GEORGIA

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Petitioner,

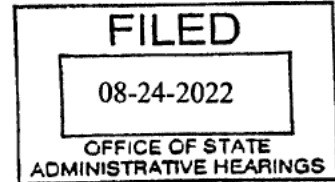
v.

DHS, DIVISION OF FAMILY AND CHILDREN  
SERVICES,

Respondent.

Docket No.: [REDACTED]

Agency Reference No.: [REDACTED]



NOTICE OF HEARING

Your case has been assigned to a judge and is scheduled for a hearing as follows:

Date:  
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**CONTACT INFORMATION:** The judge's assistant is **Lindsey Pugh - 404-651-9631**; Email: [lpugh@osah.ga.gov](mailto:lpugh@osah.ga.gov); Fax: 404-651-9631; 225 Peachtree Street NE, Suite 400, South Tower, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

**ATTENDANCE:** It is important for you and/or your representative to attend the hearing and to bring witnesses and documents that help prove your case. **If neither you nor your representative appears on time, the judge may enter a default and/or dismissal order.** You may attempt to resolve this matter by contacting the opposing party prior to the hearing date.

**HEARING RIGHTS AND PROCEDURES:** The hearing will follow the procedures of the Georgia Administrative Procedure Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-13-1 to -44, and OSAH's Administrative Rules of Procedure, Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. 616-1-2-.01 to -.44. You have the right to be represented by a legal counsel or other person; to examine the case file prior to the hearing; to respond and present evidence on all issues; to confront and cross-examine witnesses; and to subpoena witnesses and documentary evidence. To obtain subpoenas or for additional information, please visit OSAH's website at [www.osah.ga.gov](http://www.osah.ga.gov). All motions must be made in writing and filed with the judge's assistant, with a copy served simultaneously upon all parties of record.

**GETTING YOUR DECISION:** In most cases, decisions are available on OSAH's website within 10 days after the hearing date (including default and/or dismissal orders issued because a party failed to appear). In other cases, it may take up to 30 days to issue the decision. Visit [www.osah.ga.gov](http://www.osah.ga.gov), click on *Get My Decision*, and fill in the required information. Your decision will also be mailed to you. If you do not receive your decision by mail and/or you cannot access it online, please contact the judge's assistant.

**PURPOSE OF HEARING:** The judge will determine whether the Respondent properly denied the Petitioner's application for assistance, established the level of assistance, or terminated or reduced the Petitioner's grant of assistance under the Medicaid Program.

**STATUTES AND RULES INVOLVED:** 42 U.S.C. §§ 1396-1396w-5; 42 C.F.R. Parts 430-456; O.C.G.A. §§ 49-4-1 to -21, 49-4-140 to -157; and the Respondent's Medicaid Manual (Volume II, MAN 3480). The Manual may be inspected at the Respondent's local office or viewed online at <http://odis.dhs.ga.gov>. Official notice is hereby taken of the Manual, subject to the opportunity to contest such materials. See Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. 616-1-2-.18(2).

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