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AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION  
OFFICE OF FAIR HEARINGS



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PETITIONER,

AHCA Case No.: 23-FH1488

Plan ID No.: [REDACTED]

vs.

SUNSHINE STATE HEALTH PLAN, INC.,

RESPONDENT.

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**FINAL ORDER**

At all times relevant to this proceeding, Petitioner received Medicaid benefits through Sunshine State Health Plan, Inc.. On June 19, 2023, [REDACTED] (“Complainant”) requested a Fair Hearing based on Respondent’s denial of skilled nursing services.

A Hearing Officer may deny or dismiss a Fair Hearing request if the Recipient files a written withdrawal of the request. A Hearing Officer may also deny or dismiss a Fair Hearing request if the Recipient testifies on the record that he or she wishes to withdraw the request. *See* Rule 59G-1.100(9)(b)(5)(a), Florida Administrative Code.

On July 17, 2023, Complainant sent to OFH an e-mail withdrawing the request for a Fair Hearing.

Based on the foregoing,

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT:**

Petitioner’s Fair Hearing request is hereby deemed withdrawn, and this matter is now closed.

**DONE AND ORDERED** this 18th day of July, 2023, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

Alan J. Leifer

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**ALAN LEIFER, Hearing Officer**  
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**NOTICE OF A RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW**

A PARTY WHO IS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY THIS FINAL ORDER IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW, WHICH SHALL BE INSTITUTED BY FILING THE ORIGINAL NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE AGENCY CLERK OF AHCA, AND A COPY, ALONG WITH THE FILING FEE PRESCRIBED BY LAW, WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL IN THE APPELLATE DISTRICT WHERE THE AGENCY MAINTAINS ITS HEADQUARTERS OR WHERE A PARTY RESIDES. REVIEW PROCEEDINGS SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FLORIDA APPELLATE RULES. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE RENDITION OF THE ORDER TO BE REVIEWED.

**COPIES FURNISHED TO:**

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