

the issue at that point became whether Flagler Hospital could be paid by Medicaid for the services it had rendered *without prior authorization.*”) (emphasis in original).

On January 25, 2024, Respondent filed with the Office of Fair Hearings a letter authorizing the dental services at issue. As the sole issue in the instant case the undersigned concludes that there is no relief that can be granted at a Fair Hearing at this time.

On January 31, 2024, the undersigned issued an Order to Show Cause (“Order”) why the Fair Hearing request should not be dismissed for mootness under Fla. Admin. Code R. 59G-1.100(9)(b)(6). The Order notified the Petitioner that failure to provide documentation to show cause why the request for a Fair Hearing should not be dismissed on or before February 12, 2024, would result in dismissal of the case.


The Office of Fair Hearings did not receive a response indicating that there are any additional issues that the Office of Fair Hearings has jurisdiction to address.

Based on the foregoing,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT:

This case is dismissed as moot, and is now closed.

DONE AND ORDERED this 14th day of February, 2024 in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

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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.

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