

This matter arises from the termination of Medicaid eligibility based upon excess income. However, at the scheduled OAL hearing, Petitioner provided updated paystubs which showed she was below the income guidelines. Thereafter, the parties entered into a Settlement Agreement whereby Petitioner agreed to withdraw her hearing request and reapply for benefits with the updated income information.

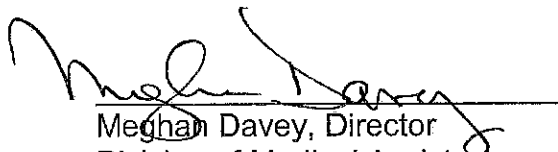
The ALJ approved the Settlement Agreement because it was consistent with the law, fully disposed of all issues in controversy and was voluntarily entered into by both parties, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 1:1-19.1.

Based upon my review of the record, I agree with the ALJ's conclusions and ADOPT the Settlement Agreement as based upon substantial credible evidence and consistent with applicable law.

THEREFORE, it is on this 5th day of October 2016,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision approving the Settlement Agreement in this matter is hereby ADOPTED.


Meghan Davey, Director
Division of Medical Assistance
and Health Services