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**STATE OF WISCONSIN  
Division of Hearings and Appeals**

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In the Matter of

[REDACTED]  
c/o [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

DECISION

MPA/155402

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**PRELIMINARY RECITALS**

Pursuant to a petition filed February 05, 2014, under Wis. Stat. § 49.45(5), and Wis. Admin. Code § HA 3.03(1), to review a decision by the Division of Health Care Access and Accountability in regard to Medical Assistance, a hearing was scheduled for March 13, 2014, by telephone.

No issue remains for determination.

**PARTIES IN INTEREST:**

Petitioner:

[REDACTED]  
c/o [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Respondent:

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**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:**

Peter McCombs  
Division of Hearings and Appeals

**DISCUSSION**

Petitioner appealed the modification of a prior authorization request for psychotherapy sessions, PA no. [REDACTED]. Prior to the hearing the Office of the Inspector General reviewed the prior modification, and concluded that the modification was in error. As such, the requested seven 45-minute psychotherapy

sessions have been approved for dates of service from December 31, 2013, through March 31, 2014. Petitioner's representative confirmed the agreement when I contacted her for the hearing. Therefore the matter was resolved and the appeal in this case can be dismissed.

Petitioner was advised that coverage of psychotherapy sessions after March 31, 2014, would not be contemplated by the PA at issue here, and was advised to submit a new PA for anticipated future psychotherapy sessions.

**THEREFORE, it is**

**ORDERED**

That the petition for review herein be and the same is hereby dismissed.

### **REQUEST FOR A REHEARING**

You may request a rehearing if you think this decision is based on a serious mistake in the facts or the the law of if you have found new evidence that would change the decision. Your request must be **received within 20 days after the date of this decision**. Late requests cannot be granted.

Send your request for rehearing in writing to the Division of Hearings and Appeals, 5005 University Avenue, Suite 201, Madison, WI 53705-5400 **and** to those identified in this decision as "PARTIES IN INTEREST." Your rehearing request must explain what mistake the Administrative Law Judge made and why it is important or you must describe your new evidence and explain why you did not have it at your first hearing. If your request does not explain these things, it will be denied.

The process for requesting a rehearing may be found at Wis. Stat. § 227.49. A copy of the statutes may be found online or at your local library or courthouse.

### **APPEAL TO COURT**

You may also appeal this decision to Circuit Court in the county where you live. Appeals must be filed with the Court **and** served either personally or by certified mail on the Secretary of the Department of Health Services, 1 West Wilson Street, Room 651, Madison, Wisconsin 53703, **and** on those identified in this decision as "PARTIES IN INTEREST" **no more than 30 days after the date of this decision** or 30 days after a denial of a timely rehearing (if you request one).

The process for Circuit Court Appeals may be found at Wis. Stat. §§ 227.52 and 227.53. A copy of the statutes may be found online or at your local library or courthouse.

Given under my hand at the City of Madison,  
Wisconsin, this 14th day of March, 2014

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\sPeter McCombs  
Administrative Law Judge  
Division of Hearings and Appeals



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The preceding decision was sent to the following parties on March 14, 2014.

Division of Health Care Access and Accountability