

STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH P.O. Box 11729 Albany, NY 12211

### NOTICE OF DISMISSAL - FAILURE TO APPEAR

Notice Date: May 21, 2015

NY State of Health Number:

Appeal Identification Number: AP00000002135



Dear

On March 20, 2015, the Marketplace prepared a preliminary eligibility determination stating that you are not eligible for financial assistance.

On that same day you spoke to the Marketplace Account Review Unit and requested an appeal insofar as your eligibility for financial assistance through the Marketplace.

On March 21, 2015, the Marketplace issued an eligibility determination notice stating that you are eligible to purchase a qualified health plan at full cost through New York State of Health. The notice states that you are not eligible for Medicaid because your household income is over the allowable income limit and not eligible to receive advance premium tax credits because you are married, but do not plan to file your taxes jointly.

On March 26, 2015, the Marketplace issued a Notice of Telephone Hearing scheduling your hearing for April 22, 2015 at 9:00 am.

On April 22, 2015, you failed to appear by telephone for your scheduled hearing. An impartial hearing officer attempted to contact you at the telephone number you provided on three separate occasions between 9:00 am and 10:00 am. You did not answer. Therefore, we were unable to reach you.

Accordingly, we are dismissing your case.

If you need this information in a language other than English or you need assistance reading this notice, we can help you. Call 1-855-355-5777 (TTY – English: 1-800-662-1220) (TTY – Spanish: 1-877-662-4886).

## How does this Dismissal Affect Your Eligibility?

The Marketplace's March 21, 2015 eligibility determination continues in effect.

However, any determinations made by the Marketplace subsequent to your appeal request will not be affected by this dismissal.

### If You Think Your Appeal Should Not Be Dismissed

Under some circumstances, you can ask us to vacate (cancel) this dismissal. You must ask us in writing within 30 days after the date on this notice. In that writing you also must state a good reason for us to do this.

If you ask us in writing to vacate this dismissal, the Marketplace's Appeals Unit will review your request and send you a decision on that request.

If we deny your request to vacate this dismissal, we will tell you that in writing.

If you do not respond to this notice within 30 days, your appeal will remain dismissed. No further action will be taken on it by the Marketplace.

# Appeal Identification Number

When communicating with the Marketplace about this appeal, please reference Appeal Identification Number at the top of this notice.

# **How to Contact the Marketplace**

You can contact us in any of the following ways:

- By calling the Customer Service Center at 1-855-355-5777
- By mail at:

NY State of Health Appeals P.O. Box 11729 Albany, NY 12211

• By fax: 1-855-900-5557

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<b>Legal Authority</b> We are sending you this notice in accordance with Federal regulation 45 CFR § 155.530.

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