

This matter arises from Bergen County Board of Social Services' attempt to recoup benefits which were incorrectly provided to Petitioner as a result of undisclosed resources, resulting in an overpayment of \$14,144.72. At the scheduled OAL hearing, the Petitioner accepted BCBSS' determination of overpayment, and the parties entered into a settlement agreement on the record wherein Petitioner agreed to pay the full amount beginning with an initial lump sum payment of \$8,000 followed by monthly payments of \$275.00 until it is paid back entirely.


By Initial Decision dated December 19, 2018, 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. 1:11-19.1.

Based on my review of the record, I concur with the ALJ's findings and hereby ADOPT the Settlement Agreement.

THEREFORE, it is on this 6th day of MAY 2019,

ORDERED:

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



Meghan Davey, Director
Division of Medical Assistance
and Health Services