

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

CLAIM NO. G702868

JACKIE RICKBEIL, Employee	CLAIMANT
MHM SUPPORT SERVICES, Employer	RESPONDENT
MERCY HEALTH, Carrier/TPA	RESPONDENT

OPINION/ORDER FILED JULY 7, 2021

Hearing before ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE GREGORY K. STEWART in Springdale, Washington County, Arkansas.

Claimant appearing *pro se*.

Respondent represented by RANDY P. MURPHY, Attorney, Little Rock, Arkansas.

OPINION/ORDER

This case comes on for review following a hearing on respondent's motion to dismiss. Claimant suffered a compensable injury to her right shoulder while working for respondent on April 12, 2017. Claimant has undergone two surgical procedures and was released by Dr. Cox with no permanent impairment in 2019. No action has been taken with regard to any claim for additional benefits, and as a result respondent filed a Motion to Dismiss this claim for failure to prosecute on May 18, 2021.

A hearing was scheduled on respondent's motion for June 30, 2021. Claimant appeared at the hearing and acknowledged that she had no objection to a dismissal of her claim. She further acknowledged that she was not aware of any issues or benefits that she had not been paid and that she understood that although the parties had discussed a possible settlement, the Commission does not have the authority to order the

respondent to enter into any settlement agreement in the future.

After my review of the respondent's motion, the claimant's response thereto, and all all other matters properly before the Commission, I find that respondent's motion to dismiss this claim should be and hereby is granted. This dismissal is without prejudice and it is pursuant to Commission Rule 099.13.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

GREGORY K. STEWART
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE