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The only issue presented here is whether Petitioner provided the necessary verification for HCBSS to make an eligibility determination. The credible evidence in the record indicates that Petitioner failed to provide the needed information prior to the July 11, 2019 denial of benefits. In fact, as of the day of the hearing, Petitioner was still unable to provide any of the requested documentation. Without this information, HCBSS could not complete its eligibility determination. Consequently, the denial was appropriate.

THEREFORE, it is on this <sup>20~~19~~</sup> day of NOVEMBER 2019,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.

  
Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner  
Division of Medical Assistance  
and Health Services