

**441—7.7(17A) Timelines for contested case hearings.**

**7.7(1)** *Medical assistance.* In cases involving the determination of medical assistance, the contested case hearing shall be held within a time frame such that the final administrative action is timely pursuant to 42 CFR 431.244(f) as amended to December 8, 2021.

**7.7(2)** *Community spouse resource allowance.* In cases involving the determination of the community spouse resource allowance, the hearing shall be held within 30 days of the date of the appeal request.

**7.7(3)** *Sex offender risk assessment.* In cases involving an appeal of a sex offender risk assessment, the hearing or administrative review shall be held within 30 days of the date of the appeal request.

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