

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Cheshire Board of Education v. Student

Appearing on behalf of the Parent: *Pro Se*

Appearing on behalf of the Board: Christine Sullivan, Esq.
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Appearing before: Sylvia Ho, Esq.
Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Is the Board's initial evaluation consisting of academic achievement evaluation, cognitive evaluation, social emotional behavior rating scales, attention, and executive functioning assessments sufficiently comprehensive and appropriate?
2. If not, are Parents entitled to an IEE in the areas of neuropsychological (including but not limited to cognitive functioning, processing and executive functioning), reading (including decoding, encoding, reading fluency, and reading comprehension), math and psychiatric evaluations?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Board brought the Due Process Complaint and Hearing Request on March 1, 2019. The Hearing Officer was appointed on March 8, 2019. The Hearing Officer wrote the parties and conducted a Prehearing Conference on March 14, 2019. The Parents did not attend. On March 22, 2019, the Board's attorney informed the Hearing Officer that Board was withdrawing its Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing because the Parents had notified the Board that they were withdrawing their request for an independent educational evaluation.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**