

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
Appellate Division, Fourth Judicial Department

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CA 23-01736

PRESENT: SMITH, J.P., CURRAN, MONTOUR, NOWAK, AND DELCONTE, JJ.

IN THE MATTER OF BLOSSOM V., A PATIENT
ADMITTED TO ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL HEALTH
CENTER, RESPONDENT-APPELLANT.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

NARAYANA REDDY, M.D., MEDICAL DIRECTOR,
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL HEALTH CENTER,
PSYCHIATRIC INPATIENT UNIT,
PETITIONER-RESPONDENT.
(APPEAL NO. 2.)

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(JOSEPH M. BETAR OF COUNSEL), FOR RESPONDENT-APPELLANT.

COSTELLO, COONEY & FEARON, PLLC, SYRACUSE (ROBERT W. CONNOLLY OF
COUNSEL), FOR PETITIONER-RESPONDENT.

Appeal from an order of the Supreme Court, Onondaga County
(Gerard J. Neri, J.), entered July 27, 2023, in a proceeding pursuant
to Mental Hygiene Law article 9. The order denied the motion of
respondent for in-person hearings.

It is hereby ORDERED that said appeal is unanimously dismissed
without costs.

Same memorandum as in *Matter of Blossom V. (Reddy)* ([appeal No.
1] - AD3d - [Sept. 27, 2024] [4th Dept 2024]).

Entered: September 27, 2024

Ann Dillon Flynn
Clerk of the Court