


Kaether v. Metropolitan Area EMS Authority
Settlement Administrator
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**If you were notified on or around
December 19, 2022, that your health
insurance information was potentially
compromised as a result of a cyberattack
on MedStar's network, you may be
entitled to benefits from a settlement.**



A settlement has been reached in a class action lawsuit against Metropolitan Area EMS Authority d/b/a MedStar Mobile Healthcare (“MedStar”) arising out of a cyberattack on MedStar’s network in October 2022. The information at issue may have included names, dates of birth, contact information, and additional personally identifiable information, as well as medical information protected by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPAA”). No court or other entity has determined that MedStar committed any wrongdoing or violated any law, and MedStar denies all the claims asserted in the Litigation.

Why did I receive this Notice? You are receiving this Notice because you were sent a letter by MedStar dated on or around December 19, 2022.

What can I get from the settlement? Under the terms of the settlement, you can recover the following benefits:

- **Out-of-Pocket Losses** – Settlement Class Members can file a claim for up to \$3,000 in unreimbursed Out-of-Pocket Losses.
- **Credit Monitoring** – Settlement Class Members can file a claim for a one-year membership of single-bureau (“1Y/1B”) credit monitoring with up to \$1,000,000 in fraud insurance.

What are my options? You can file a claim for the benefits listed above. The easiest way to submit a claim is online at MAEMSDataSettlement.com. To be eligible, you must complete and submit a valid Claim Form, postmarked or submitted online on or before **February 23, 2024**. You can also exclude yourself or object to the settlement on or before **January 24, 2024**. If you do not exclude yourself from the settlement, you will remain in the Class and will give up the right to sue the Released Parties for the claims resolved by the settlement. A summary of your rights under the settlement and instructions regarding how to submit a claim, access the credit monitoring benefit and other settlement benefits, exclude yourself, or object are available at MAEMSDataSettlement.com.

The Court will hold a Final Approval Hearing on **April 3, 2024, at 10 a.m.** At this hearing, the Court will consider whether the settlement is fair, reasonable, and adequate and will decide whether to approve Class Counsel’s request for up to \$150,000 in attorneys’ fees and reimbursement of costs, and for a \$2,500 service award to the Class Representative. The Court will also listen to people who have asked to speak at the hearing. You may attend the hearing at your own expense, or you may pay your own lawyer to attend. It is not necessary to attend the hearing nor retain your own lawyer to attend the hearing.

How can I get more information? This Notice is a summary. The Settlement Agreement and more information about the lawsuit and settlement are available at MAEMSDataSettlement.com or by calling toll-free 1-877-581-2235.