

**EMPLOYMENT APPEALS BOARD DECISION**  
**2018-EAB-0201**

*Affirmed*  
*No Disqualification*

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY:** On December 27, 2017, the Oregon Employment Department (the Department) served notice of an administrative decision concluding that claimant quit working for the employer without good cause (decision # 131047). Claimant filed a timely request for hearing. On February 5, 2018, ALJ Meerdink conducted a hearing and issued Hearing Decision 18-UI-102480, concluding that claimant voluntarily left work with good cause. On February 26, 2018, the employer filed an application for review with the Employment Appeals Board (EAB).

The employer submitted a written argument in which it contended that the ALJ's decision was in error because claimant left work for "personal reasons" after the employer had offered her different work "with virtually no access to the clients." However, the employer did not dispute at hearing that, rather than leaving for merely personal reasons, claimant left work because of "extreme anxiety and PTSD" that made it "impossible" for her to report for work. Audio at ~10:35, ~21:31. In addition, there was no evidence at hearing that the employer offered other work to claimant. Audio at ~18:00, ~21:00. The assertions of fact contained in the employer's argument are not supported by the record.

EAB reviewed the entire hearing record. On *de novo* review and pursuant to ORS 657.275(2), the hearing decision under review is **adopted**.

**DECISION:** Hearing Decision 18-UI-102480 is affirmed.

D. P. Hettle and S. Alba;  
J. S. Cromwell, not participating.

**DATE of Service:** March 23, 2018

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