## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

LABARIAN D. LEWIS,	)
Plaintiff,	)
vs.	) Case No. 17-cv-0325-SMY
CHESTER MENTAL HEALTH, et al.	)
Defendant.	) )

## MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

## **YANDLE**, District Judge:

On March 30, 2017, Plaintiff filed a Complaint (Doc. 1) pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983, alleging constitutional violations associated with his involuntary incarceration at Chester Mental Health Center. (Doc. 1). The Complaint did not survive threshold review under 28 U.S.C. § 1915A because Plaintiff had not associated his claims against any individual defendant responsible for the alleged constitutional violations. (Doc. 7). Accordingly, the Court dismissed the Complaint on April 14, 2017. (Doc. 7). The dismissal specifically directed Plaintiff to file an amended complaint identifying specific defendants associated with his claims no later than May 12, 2017. (Doc. 7). The deadline has now passed and Plaintiff has not filed an amended complaint or requested an extension of the deadline for doing so.

As a result, this case is **DISMISSED** with **prejudice** for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted and for failure to comply with an order of this Court. FED. R. CIV. P. 41(b); *see generally Ladien v. Astrachan*, 128 F.3d 1051 (7th Cir. 1997); *Johnson v. Kamminga*, 34 F.3d 466 (7th Cir. 1994). This dismissal shall count as one of Plaintiff's three allotted "strikes" within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g).

If Plaintiff wishes to appeal this Order, he may file a notice of appeal with this Court

within thirty days of the entry of judgment. FED. R. APP. 4(A)(4). If Plaintiff does choose to

appeal, he will be liable for the \$505.00 appellate filing fee irrespective of the outcome of the

appeal. See FED. R. APP. 3(e); 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2); Ammons v. Gerlinger, 547 F.3d 724, 725-

26 (7th Cir. 2008); Sloan v. Lesza, 181 F.3d 857, 858-59 (7th Cir. 1999); Lucien v. Jockish,

133 F.3d 464, 467 (7th Cir. 1998). If the appeal is found to be non-meritorious, Plaintiff may

also incur another "strike." A timely motion filed pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure

59(e) may toll the 30-day appeal deadline. FED. R. APP. 4(a)(4).

The Clerk's Office is **DIRECTED** to close this case and enter judgment accordingly.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

**DATED: June 18, 2017** 

s/STACI M. YANDLE

United States District Judge

<sup>1</sup> A Rule 59(e) motion to alter or amend a judgment must be filed no later than 28 days after the entry of the judgment. FED. R. CIV. P. 59(e).

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