

United States District Court  
Southern District of Texas

**ENTERED**

July 27, 2017

David J. Bradley, Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
GALVESTON DIVISION

ROBERT CHACON,

Plaintiff,

VS.

DIRECTOR, UTMB CMC, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:16-CV-161

**ORDER**

Plaintiff Robert Chacon (TDCJ #01550395) is a state inmate incarcerated in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice - Correctional Institutions Division (“TDCJ”), and he has filed a civil rights lawsuit. In that lawsuit, Chacon alleges that he suffered a debilitating stroke during a battery of cardiac tests at the University of Texas Medical Branch (“UTMB”) in Galveston. Chacon has filed two motions requesting that the Court appoint counsel for him.

The Court has requested a report from the Texas Attorney General under *Martinez v. Aaron*, 570 F.2d 317 (10th Cir. 1987). *See Cay v. Estelle*, 789 F.2d 318, 323 & n.4 (5th Cir. 1986) (discussing the utility of a *Martinez* report). The Court notes Chacon’s request for appointed counsel but will not consider granting that request until after it evaluates Chacon’s claims in light of the *Martinez* report. Chacon’s motions (Dkt. 8 and Dkt. 9) are **DENIED.**

The Clerk will provide a copy of this order to the parties.

SIGNED at Galveston, Texas, on July 26, 2017.

George C. Hanks, Jr.  
GEORGE C. HANKS, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE