

PETITION FOR INVOLUNTARY/JUDICIAL ADMISSION

This is for the county of the admitting hospital.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE _____ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
_____ COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF

Patient Name

(name of respondent)

Docket No.

Court use only

Involuntary

Who is asserted to be a person subject to

(judicial/involuntary)

In-patient admission to a facility and for whom

Do not circle

this petition is being initiated by reason of: (Select one or more, if applicable)

Check box must match certificate

Emergency inpatient admission by certificate; (405 ILCS 5/3-600). The Respondent is currently detained in a mental health facility or hospital; name of facility where detained: _____

Only filled out if patient in hospital

Inpatient admission by court order; (405 ILCS 5/3-700).

Voluntary admittee submitted written notice of desire to be discharged and two Certificates are attached to/submitted with this petition; (405 ILCS 5/3-403).

Voluntary admittee failed to reaffirm a desire to continue treatment and two Certificates are attached to/submitted with this petition; (405 ILCS 5/3-404).

Person continues to be subject to involuntary admission on an inpatient basis; (405 ILCS 5/3-813).

Emergency admission of the developmentally disabled; (405 ILCS 5/4-400).

Judicial admission of the developmentally disabled; (405 ILCS 5/4-500).

Developmentally disabled person or an interested person on behalf of a person submitted written objection to admission; (405 ILCS 5/4-306).

Administrative person; (or person who executed application) failed to authorize continued residence; (405 ILCS 5/4-310).

Person continues to meet standard for judicial admission; (405 ILCS 5/4-611).

**These prongs are not used
For an emergency petition**

A person does not have to be actively suicidal to be petitioned. Any criteria listed in the first three prongs apply. If there is valid criteria seen by other witnesses and you cannot petition, offer to give said witness a blank petition.

I assert that

Patient Name

is: (check all that apply)

- a person with mental illness who: because of his or her illness is reasonably expected, unless treated on an inpatient basis, to engage in conduct placing such person or another in physical harm or in reasonable expectation of being physically harmed; **e.g. Self mutilation needing medical attention, hearing voices saying to hurt self or others, delusions requiring self defense**
- a person with mental illness who: because of his or her illness is unable to provide for his or her basic physical needs so as to guard himself or herself from serious harm without the assistance of family or others, unless treated on an inpatient basis; **Unable to judge personal safety, extreme lack of self care, paranoid delusions**
- a person with mental illness who: refuses treatment or is not adhering adequately to prescribed treatment; because of the nature of his or her illness is unable to understand his or her need for treatment; and if not treated on an inpatient basis, is reasonably expected based on his or her behavioral history, to suffer mental or emotional deterioration and is reasonably expected, after such deterioration, to meet the criteria of either paragraph one or paragraph two above.
- an individual who: is developmentally disabled and unless treated on an in-patient basis is reasonably expected to inflict serious physical harm upon himself or herself or others in the near future, and/or **Do not select this prong**
- in need of immediate hospitalization for the prevention of such harm.

Use only if criteria for 1 and 2 are not met and have strong historical evidence

I base the foregoing assertion on the following (State in detail the signs and symptoms of mental illness displayed by the Respondent. Include prior diagnosis, treatment and hospitalizations. Describe any threats, behavior or pattern of behavior which support your complaint. Include personal observations that lead to your belief the Respondent is subject to involuntary admission): If additional space needed please attach a separate page or pages.

When, who, where, What happened Use quotes, if Possible. Identify the harm. Must show clear need Of hospitalization

On 1/1/2000 at 1:01pm, a 25yr old, Caucasian male, known as, John Doe, was found wandering in the road on route 14 near route 31, wearing only his underwear. He was unable to provide appropriate information or identify himself. He kept repeating "I want to die, I want to kill." He has a history of significant harm to himself when noncompliant with treatment. He is at high risk of harm to self and others and cannot care for self and is in need of immediate hospitalization.

Below is a list of all witnesses by whom the facts asserted may be proven (include addresses and phone numbers):

Myself, agency address, agency phone number Any other witness, address, and phone number i.e. John Doe's mother (who heard what he said), address, and phone number

Multiple witnesses add credibility

Listed below are the names and addresses of the spouse, parent, guardian, or substitute decision maker, if any, and close relative or, if none, a friend of the respondent whom I have reason to believe may know or have any of the other names and addresses. If names and addresses are not listed below, I made a diligent inquiry to identify and locate these individuals and the following describes the specific steps taken by me in making this inquiry (additional pages may be attached as necessary):

If no relative, list friend or neighbor. If unable to obtain any names, explain why: He refuses to give any info, no prior contact, no one home at his address

Don't leave Blank

- I do I do not have a legal interest in this matter.
- I do I do not have a financial interest in this matter.
- I am I am not involved in litigation with the respondent.
- Although I have indicated that I have a legal or financial interest in this matter or that I am involved in litigation with the respondent, I believe it would not be practicable or possible for someone else to be the petitioner for the following reasons:

If you cannot indicate "I do/am not" state why you are the only one who can complete petition. I.e. "Above information was witnessed only by me and was provided to prevent harm" ----

Being under arrest is not legal interest

No certificate was attached with this petition because no physician, qualified examiner or clinical psychologist was immediately available or it was impossible after diligent effort to obtain a certificate. However: I believe, as a result of my personal observation, that the respondent is subject to Involuntary inpatient admission. A diligent effort was made to obtain a certificate; but no physician, qualified examiner or clinical psychologist could be found who has examined or could examine the respondent; and a diligent effort has been made to convince the respondent to appear voluntarily for examination by a physician, qualified examiner or clinical psychologist, or I reasonably believe that effort would impose a risk of harm to the respondent or others.

One Certificate of Examination is attached.

This is only checked if there is a prepared certificate

Two Certificates of Examination are attached.

If a police officer is involved in transport but not petitioning, please provide this information for petitioner

Did a peace officer detain respondent, take him/her into custody, and/or transport him/her to the mental health facility?

No Yes; If yes, the peace officer **MAY** complete the petition or if the petition IS NOT COMPLETED by the peace officer transporting the person, the following information **MUST** be entered:

Transporting Officer's Name: _____ Badge Number: _____

Employer: _____

The petitioner can request to be notified if the facility director approves the recipients's request for voluntary or informal admission prior to adjudication. The petitioner may also request to be notified of the recipient's discharge under section 3-902 (d) of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code. Failure to indicate a choice will be treated as a decision NOT to be notified.

Check last box

- if the individual requests and is approved for voluntary or informal admission prior to adjudication, I wish to be notified using the contact information supplied below. (Hospital staff use form IL462-2203 for notification purposes).
- if the individual is committed or discharged by court, I wish to be notified using the contact information supplied below. (Hospital staff use form IL462-2208M for notification purposes).
- I do not wish to be notified in either of the two situations described above.

The petitioner has made a good faith attempt to determine whether the recipient has executed a power of attorney for health care under the Powers of Attorney for Health Care Law or a declaration for mental health treatment under the Mental Health Treatment Preference Declaration Act and to obtain copies of these instruments if they exist.

I have read and understood this petition and affirm that the statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that knowingly making a false statement on this Petition is a Class A Misdemeanor.

If this is not signed, dated, and timed, it is invalid

Date: _____

Signed: _____

Time: **This starts the 24 hour clock**

Printed Name: _____

Relationship to Respondent:

Address:

Work address

Do not write "none"

**Police officer
Friend
Family
Paramedic**

Telephone Number: **Work phone number**

NOTE: a signed petition is a legal document. Subject must be seen by a mental health professional for further assessment

Include pages 4 and 5 but these are not filled out by the petitioner

Within 12 hours of admission to the facility under this status I gave the respondent a copy of this Petition (IL462-2005). I have explained the Rights of Admittee to the respondent and have provided him or her with a copy of it. I have also provided him or her with a copy of Rights of Individuals Receiving Mental Health and Developmental Services (IL462-2001) and explained those rights to him or her (405 ILCS 5/3-609).

Date/Time of Admission _____

Signed: _____

To Mental Health Facility/Psychiatric Unit

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

RIGHTS OF ADMITTEE

1. If you have been brought to this facility on the basis of this petition alone, you will not be immediately admitted, but will be detained for examination. You must be examined by a qualified professional within 24 hours or be released.
2. When you are first examined by a physician, clinical psychologist, qualified examiner, or psychiatrist, you do not have to talk to the examiner. Anything you say may be related by the examiner in court on the issue of whether you are subject to involuntary or judicial admission.
3. At the time that you have been certified you will be admitted to the facility and a copy of the petition and certificate will be filed with the court. A copy of the petition shall also be given to you.
- 4A. If you are alleged to be subject to involuntary admission (mentally ill) you must also be examined within 24 hours excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays by a psychiatrist (different from the first examiner) or be released. If you are alleged to be subject to involuntary admission the court will set the matter for a hearing.
- 4B. If you are alleged to be subject to judicial admission (developmentally disabled) the court will set a hearing upon receipt of the diagnostic evaluation which is required to be completed within 7 days.
- 5A. If you are alleged to be subject to involuntary admission (mentally ill) and if the facility director approves, you may be admitted to the facility as a voluntary admittee upon your request any time prior to the court hearing.

The court may require proof that voluntary admission is in your best interest and in the public interest.

- 5B. If you are alleged to be subject to judicial admission (developmentally disabled) and if the facility director approves, you may decide that you prefer to admit yourself to the facility rather than have the court decide whether you ought to be admitted. You may make the request for administrative admission at any time prior to the hearing. The court may require proof that administrative admission is in your best interest and the public interest.
6. You have the right to request a jury.
7. You have the right to request an examination by an independent physician, psychiatrist, clinical psychologist, or qualified examiner of your choice. If you are unable to obtain an examination, the court may appoint an examiner for you upon your request.
8. You have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you do not have funds or are unable to obtain an attorney, the court will appoint an attorney for you.
9. You have the right to be present at your court hearing.
10. As a general rule, you do not lose any of your legal rights, benefits, or privileges simply because you have been admitted to a mental health facility (see your copy of the "Rights of Individuals"). However, you should know that persons admitted to mental health facilities will be disqualified from obtaining Firearm Owner's Identification Cards, or may lose such cards obtained prior to admission.
11. Information about the health care services you receive at a mental health or developmental disabilities facility is protected by privacy regulations under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) (P.O. 104-191) at 45 CFR 160 and 164. Your personally identifiable health information will only be used and/or released in accordance with HIPAA and the Illinois Mental Health and Development Disabilities Confidentiality Act [740 ILCS 110].

A Guardianship and Advocacy Commission is a state agency consisting of three divisions: Legal Advocacy Services, Human Rights Authority and the Office of the State Guardian. The Commission is located at the following addresses:

East Central Regional Office

2125 S. First Street
Champaign, IL 61820
Phone: (217) 278-5577
Fax: (217) 278-5588

Peoria Regional Office

401 N. Main Street, Suite 620
Peoria, IL 61602
Phone: (309) 671-3030
Fax: (309) 671-3060

Rockford Regional Office

4302 N. Main Street, Suite 108
Rockford, IL 61103
Phone: (815) 987-7657
Fax: (815) 987-7227

Egyptian Regional Office

47 Cottage Drive
Anna, Illinois 62906-1669
Phone: (618) 833-4897
Fax: (618) 833-5219

West Suburban Regional Office

Madden Mental Health Center
1200 S. First Avenue, P.O. Box 7009
Hines, IL 60141
Phone: (708) 338-7500
Fax: (708) 338-7505

Metro East Regional Office

Holly Bldg., 4500 College
Suite 100
Alton, IL 62002
Phone: (618) 474-5503
Fax: (618) 474-5517

North Suburban Regional Office

9511 Harrison Avenue
Des Plaines, Illinois 60016
Phone: (847) 294-4264
Fax: (847) 294-4263

Chicago Regional Office

160 N. La Salle Street
Suite S500
Chicago, IL 60601
Phone: (312) 793-5900
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521 Stratton Building
401 S. Spring Street
Springfield, IL 62706
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20 N. Michigan, Ste 300
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1 West Old Capitol Plaza, Suite 816
Springfield, IL 62701O Box 276
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(309) 786-6868
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300 E. Main Street, Suite 18
Carbondale, IL 62901
(618) 457-7930
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Fax: (618) 457-7985

Website: www.equipforequality.org

I certify that I provided respondent with a copy of this form.

English Spanish Other Specify language: _____ on _____

Time: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Printed Name: _____