

IN THE INTEREST OF _____

Amended

**Petition for Appointment of Guardian
for Child without a Living Parent
(§48.831, Wis. Stats.)**

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Case No. _____

I STATE ON INFORMATION AND BELIEF:

1.	Child's Address
	Child has previously been adopted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Parent 1's Name
	Parent 2's Name
	Other known information in regard to tribal affiliation or enrollment, including all potential tribes that the child/juvenile may be a member and aliases or enrollment numbers of parents, grandparents, or other direct lineal ancestors:
	Guardian's Name and Address
	Legal Custodian's Name and Address
	Indian Custodian's Name and Address
	Is an interpreter needed? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Language(s) _____ Party Name(s) _____

2. The child is is not may be subject to the federal Indian Child Welfare Act (25 USC 1901 to 1963).
Tribe/address: _____

3. The appointment of a guardian is being requested for a child in need of protection or services because he or she is without a living parent as described under §48.13 (1), Wis. Stats.
The petitioner is
 the department. a county department.
 a licensed child welfare agency under § 48.61 (5) to accept guardianship.
 a relative or family member of the child or a person whom the child has resided with and who has also acted as a parent of the child.
 A guardian appointed under §48.9795 or ch. 54, 2017 Wis. Stats., or ch. 880, 2003 Wis. Stats., whose resignation as guardian has been accepted by a court under §48.9795 (11) or §54.54 (1), 2017 Wis. Stats., or §880.17 (1), 2003 Wis. Stats.

4. The person or agency nominated as the guardian of the child is _____.
Date of Birth: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

5. Adoption is in the child's best interest. The proposed guardian is:
 the county department authorized to accept guardianship under §48.57 (1)(e) or (hm), Wis. Stats.
 a licensed child welfare agency under §48.61 (5), Wis. Stats. to accept guardianship: _____
 the department.

6. Adoption is not in the child's best interest.
 The proposed guardian is the department.
 The child is placed in the custody of a county department or agency under contract with the department.

7. The Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act Affidavit (GF-150) is attached to this Petition.

I request that [Name] _____ be appointed guardian of the child.



Petitioner's Signature

Name Printed or Typed

Address

Email Address

Telephone Number

Date

State Bar No. (if any)

DISTRIBUTION:

- 1. Court
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- 4. Relative Caregiver/Foster Parent
- 5. Tribe
- 6. Indian Custodian