

FORM SUMMARY

Name of Form:	Decision and Order on Motion or Order to Show Cause to Change (Legal Custody, Physical Placement, Child Support, Maintenance, Arrears Payment, Other)
Form Number	FA-4175V
Statutory Reference:	§§ 767.451, 767.59, Wisconsin Statutes
Benchbook Reference:	
Purpose of Form:	To make a written version of the decision of the judge or court commissioner following a hearing to modify a prior order about legal custody, physical placement, child support, maintenance, or some other matter in a family case.
Who Completes It:	The court official who heard the matter will sign the document. The court official may complete the document personally or may direct one of the parties to complete the document and submit it to the court official for signing.
Who Signs It:	BY THE COURT: Circuit Court Judge/Circuit Court Commissioner. THIS IS A FINAL ORDER FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPEAL IF SIGNED BY A CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.
Distribution of Form:	Court file, Copies to all parties.
Accompanying Forms:	Generally none.
New Form/Modification:	Modification; last update 03/26.
Modifications:	Added instructions in section about changes to legal custody directing a parent who is not granted sole legal custody to file a medical history form.
Comments:	Although a party may bring either form FA-4170V, Notice of Motion and Motion to Change (Legal Custody, Physical Placement, Child Support, Maintenance, Arrears Payment, Other), or form FA-7171VA, Declaration to Show Cause and to Change (Legal Custody, Physical Placement, Child Support, Maintenance, Arrears Payment, Other) to ask to change a current family court order, this Decision and Order may be used in either situation to make a written record of the decision.
About this Form:	This form is the product of the Wisconsin Records Management Committee, a committee of the Director of State Court's Office and a mandate of the Wisconsin Judicial Conference.

If you have additional information that does not change the meaning of the form, attach it on a separate page. The form itself shall not be altered.