

State of Illinois
APPLICATION FOR VOLUNTARY ADMISSION

Facility: _____ Date of application: _____

Name of Admittee: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Last 4 digits SSN: _____

Address: _____
(street) (city) (county) (state) (zip)

- I am the person seeking admission and am 18 or older.
- I am an interested person, 18 or older, who seeks admission for the person named above at his or her request.
- I am a minor, 16 or older, I understand that my parent, guardian, or person in local parentis shall be immediately notified.

I designate the following person(s) to be notified:

- of my admission
- whenever my rights are restricted
- wish no one notified

Name: _____ Address: _____

Name: _____ Address: _____

I have been informed of the "RIGHTS OF VOLUNTARY ADMITTEE" as explained on the second page. I have been given a copy of the "RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS" which states in detail my rights as an individual receiving services. I understand that a copy of this form will be given to me on admission. I further understand that a copy of this form will be given to anyone who accompanied me and to any parent, guardian, relative, or attorney whom I indicate.

If admitted, I (the individual) shall follow the rules and regulations of the facility. I understand that the facility may discharge me (the recipient) at any time that I am deemed clinically suitable for discharge.

Name: Admittee, or interested person at the request of person seeking admission

Signature: Admittee, or interested person at the request of person seeking admission Age _____ Relationship to admittee _____

Witness - Printed Name

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I certify that the individual is not clinically suitable for informal admission for the following reasons:

I certify the following: that the above person has been examined and is considered clinically suitable for voluntary admission, that the individual has the capacity to consent to voluntary admission, that he/she is able to understand that he/she is being admitted to a mental health facility and that he/she may request discharge at any time by placing the request in writing and that the discharge is not automatic, and that he/she understands that within 5 business days of receiving the written request for discharge the facility must either discharge or initiate civil commitment proceedings.

I explained the rights on the back of this form and will give the person a copy of this form in

- English
- Spanish
- Other (specify): _____

I will also provide a copy of the form to anyone the person designates (parent, guardian, relative, attorney, or friend who accompanied him/her). And, if the person is a minor, 16 or older, I will notify the parent, guardian or person in loco parentis. I have also provided the person with a copy of the "RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS". I witnessed the signature and verified the individual's consent if this application was signed by an interested person. The individual was admitted or signed voluntary on:

_____, _____, at _____
(date-month/day) (year) (time)

Employee Name and Title: _____

Employee's signature: _____ For Facility Director: _____

Rights of Voluntary Admittee

- * You have the the right to request discharge from this facility. Your request must be in writing.
- * After you give your request, the facility must discharge you at the earliest appropriate time. This time may never exceed 5 days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, unless it is expected that you are likely to inflict serious physical harm on yourself or others in the near future.
- * If the facility director believes you are likely to harm yourself or others, he/she must file a petition and 2 certificates with the court within the same 5-day period. You will then have a hearing in court and the court will determine if you must remain at the facility.
- * You will have the right to withdraw your request to be discharged if you should decide to remain at the facility. Thirty days after your admission, if you have not been discharged, the facility director will determine whether you need further hospitalization. If the facility director determines you should remain, he/she or his/her designee will consult with you. If you do not agree to stay, your statement will be considered a request for discharge (as above). Every 60 days thereafter the facility director will review your record and consult with you.
- * As a general rule you do not lose any of the 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.

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
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Peoria Regional Office

401 N. Main Street, Suite 620
Peoria, IL 61602
Phone: (309) 671-3030
Fax: (309) 671-3060
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Rockford Regional Office

4302 N. Main Street, Suite 108
Rockford, IL 61103
Phone: (815) 987-7657
Fax: (815) 987-7227
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Egyptian Regional Office

#7 Cottage Drive
Anna, Illinois 62906-1669
Phone: (618) 833-4897
Fax: (618) 833-5219
TTY: (866) 333-3362

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
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Metro East Regional Office

Holly Bldg., 4500 College
Suite 100
Alton, IL 62002
Phone: (618) 474-5503
Fax: (618) 474-5517
TTY: (866) 333-3362

North Suburban Regional Office

9511 Harrison Avenue
Des Plaines, Illinois 60016
Phone: (847) 294-4264
Fax: (847) 294-4263
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Chicago Regional Office

160 N. La Salle Street
Suite S500
Chicago, IL 60601
Phone: (312) 793-5900
Fax: (312) 793-4311
TTY: (866) 333-3362

Springfield Regional Office

521 Stratton Building
401 S. Spring Street
Springfield, IL 62706
Phone: (217) 785-1540
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Chicago, Illinois 60602
(800) 537-2632 or
(312) 341-0022
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Moline, IL 61265
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