

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

CHILDREN'S DIVISION

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M E M O R A N D U M

**What's Inside:**  
Revised Caregiver  
Court Information  
Form

TO: REGIONAL EXECUTIVE, CIRCUIT MANAGERS, PROGRAM MANAGERS AND SUPERVISORS  
FROM: TIM DECKER, DIRECTOR  
SUBJECT: REVISED CAREGIVER COURT INFORMATION FORM

DISCUSSION:

The purpose of this memorandum is to inform staff of the revised Caregiver Court Information form.

Caregivers for foster youth have the right to be present and heard at juvenile hearings and are encouraged to attend. The caregiver may appear and provide information verbally and/or submit written information to the court. This form will be submitted to the juvenile officer to file with the court. All parties to the case will have access to the information provided and the caregiver may be called to testify.

The instructions for completion and submission of the form are located on page 3 and page 4 of the form.

The form is posted on Children's Division E-forms. It is a not a Children's Division created form and therefore it does not have a form number. It may be accessed by typing in the title of the form in the search box on E-forms.

**NECESSARY ACTION**

1. Review this memorandum with all Children's Division staff.
2. Review revised Child Welfare Manual chapters as indicated below.
3. All questions should be cleared through normal supervisory channels and directed to:

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| <p><b>CHILD WELFARE MANUAL REVISIONS</b><br/>N/A</p>   |
| <p><b>FORMS AND INSTRUCTIONS</b><br/>N/A</p>   |
| <p><b>REFERENCE DOCUMENTS AND RESOURCES</b><br/><a href="#">42 USC 675 - Sec. 675. Definitions - U.S. Code - VLEX 19252733</a></p>   |
| <p><b>RELATED STATUTE</b><br/><a href="#">211.171 RSMo</a><br/><a href="#">211.464 RSMo</a><br/><a href="#">210.566 RSMo</a></p>   |
| <p><b>ADMINISTRATIVE RULE</b><br/><a href="#">124.02</a></p>   |
| <p><b>COUNCIL ON ACCREDITATION (COA) STANDARDS</b><br/>N/A</p>   |
| <p><b>CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES REVIEW (CFSR)</b><br/>N/A</p>  |
| <p><b>PROTECTIVE FACTORS</b> N/A<br/>Parental Resilience<br/>Social Connections<br/>Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development<br/>Concrete Support in Times of Need<br/>Social and Emotional Competence of Children</p> |
| <p><b>FACES REQUIREMENTS</b><br/>N/A</p>   |