**§7011. Contents of petition for consideration of sterilization of a person based upon a determination**

The petition for determination if sterilization is in the best interest of a person shall be executed under oath and shall set forth: [PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**1. Person being considered for sterilization.**  The name, age and residence of the person being considered for sterilization;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**2. Parents, spouse, custodian or guardian of person being considered for sterilization.**  The names and residences of any parents, spouse, custodian or guardian of the person being considered for sterilization;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**3. Mental condition.**  The mental condition of and effects of any medications being administered to or taken by the person being considered for sterilization;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**4. Reasons sterilization is sought.**  A statement, in terms of the best interest of the person, of the reasons for which sterilization is sought;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**5. Petitioner.**  The name and relationship of the petitioner to the person being considered for sterilization;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**6. Alternatives.**  Less drastic alternative contraceptive methods which have been tried or the reason those methods are believed to be unworkable or inappropriate for the person being considered for sterilization;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**7. Physiological capability to procreate.**  A medical statement assessing the physiological capability of the person to procreate;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**8. Risk to life or health.**  A medical statement regarding the potential risk to the life or health of the person which could be caused by procreation or child rearing;

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**9. Person's attitudes or desires regarding sterilization.**  Any attitudes or desires expressed by the person regarding sterilization; and

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

**10. Informed consent order.**  The date and contents of the order issued under section 7008 concerning the ability to give informed consent for sterilization of the person being considered for sterilization.

[PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).]

SECTION HISTORY

PL 1983, c. 459, §7 (NEW).

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