



AFFIDAVIT FOR GRANDPARENT/CARETAKER/GUARDIAN CARETAKER AUTHORIZATION AFFIDAVIT

Use of this affidavit is authorized by sections 3109.65 to 3109.73 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Completion of items 1-7 and the signing and notarization of this affidavit is sufficient to authorize the grandparent/caretaker/guardian signing to exercise care, physical custody, and control of the child who is its subject, including authority to enroll the child in school, to discuss with the school district the child's educational progress, to consent to all school-related matters regarding the child, and to consent to medical, psychological, or dental treatment for the child.

The child(ren) named below lives in my home, I am 18 years of age or older, and I am the children's grandparent/caretaker/guardian.

Name of Child(ren)	Child's Date of Birth	Child's Social Security No. (Optional)
1.	2.	3.

4. My Name: _____ 5. My Date of Birth: _____

6. My Address: _____

7. Driver's License or Identification Card Number: _____

8. Despite having made reasonable attempts, I am either: a) Unable to locate or contact the child's parents, or the child's guardian or custodian; or b) I am unable to locate or contact one of the child's parents and I am not required to contact the other parent because paternity has not been established; or c) I am unable to locate or contact one of the child's parents and I am required to contact the other parent because there is a custody order regarding the child and one of the following is the case: (i) The parent has been prohibited from receiving notice of a relocation; or (ii) The parental rights of the parent have been terminated.

9. I hereby certify that this affidavit is not being executed for the purpose of enrolling the child in a school or school district so that the child may participate in the academic or interscholastic athletic programs provided by that school or district.

I understand that this document does not authorize a child support enforcement agency to redirect child support payments. I further understand that to have an existing child support order modified or a new child support order issued administrative or judicial proceedings must be initiated.

WARNING: DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM IF ANY OF THE ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE INCORRECT. FALSIFICATION IS A CRIME UNDER SECTION 2921.13 OF THE REVISED CODE, PUNISHABLE BY THE SANCTIONS UNDER CHAPTER 2929 OF THE REVISED CODE, INCLUDING A TERM OF IMPRISONMENT OF UP TO 6 MONTHS, A FINE OF UP TO \$1000 OR BOTH.

SEE NEXT PAGE.

I declare that the foregoing is true and correct:

Grandparent/Caretaker/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Grandparent/Caretaker/Guardian(s) of: _____,

_____, _____,

Witness: _____

State of Ohio

County of: _____

Sworn to or affirmed and subscribed before me by _____, on this date of

_____.

(Notary Seal)

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: _____