

NON-LEGAL CUSTODIAN'S AFFIDAVIT

Use of this affidavit is authorized by R.S. 9:975

INSTRUCTIONS: Completion of items 1 through 4 and the signing of the affidavit are sufficient to authorize educational services and school-related medical services for the named child. Completion of items 5 through 8 is additionally required to authorize any other medical services. ***Please print clearly.***

The child named below lives in my home and I am 18 years of age or older.

1. Name of child: _____

2. Child's date of birth: _____

3. My name (adult giving authorization): _____

4. My home address: _____

5. I am a non-legal custodian.

6. Check one or both (for example, if one parent was advised and the other cannot be located):

I have advised the parent(s) or legal custodian(s) of the child of my intent to authorize the rendering of educational or medical services, and have received no objection.

I am unable to contact the parent(s) or legal custodian(s) of the child at this time, to notify them of my intended authorization.

7. Affiant's date of birth: _____

8. Affiant's LA driver's license number or identification card number: _____

WARNING: Do not sign this form if any of the statements above are incorrect, or you will be committing a crime punishable by a fine, imprisonment, or both.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of Louisiana that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

NOTICES:

1. This declaration does not affect the rights of the child's parent or legal guardian regarding the care, custody, and control of the child, and does not mean that the non-legal custodian has legal custody of the child.
2. A person who relies on this affidavit has no obligation to make any further inquiry or investigation.
3. This affidavit is not valid for more than one year after the date on which it is executed.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO NON-LEGAL CUSTODIANS:

1. If the child stops living with you, you are required to notify anyone to whom you have given this affidavit as well as anyone of whom you have actual knowledge who received the affidavit from a third party.
2. If you do not have the information in item 8 (Louisiana driver's license or identification card), you must provide another form of identification such as your social security card number.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO SCHOOL OFFICIALS:

The school district may require additional reasonable evidence that the non-legal custodian lives at the address provided in Item 4.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AND HEALTH CARE SERVICE PLANS:

1. No person who acts in good faith reliance upon a non-legal custodian's affidavit to render educational or medical services, without actual knowledge of facts contrary to those stated in the affidavit, is subject to criminal prosecution or civil liability to any person, or subject to any professional disciplinary action, for such reliance if the applicable portions of the form are completed.
2. This affidavit does not confer dependency for health care coverage purposes.