

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

IN THE INTEREST OF:

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Case No: _____

_____ A MINOR.

Date of Hearing: _____

Number of Days Case has been Open: _____

Date of Adjudication: _____

Date of Disposition: _____

Date of Temporary Custody: _____

Date of last Permanency Review: _____

PARTIES PRESENT FOR HEARING:

Minor:

GAL for
Minor:

Mother:

Attorney for
Mother:

Father:

Attorney for
Father:

Other:

Attorney for
Other:

Case
Worker

DCFS
Legal:

FIRST PERMANENCY ORDER
SUBSEQUENT PERMANENCY ORDER

This matter comes before the Court for hearing. The Court has considered:

- the service plan
- the stipulation of parties
- the court report
- the testimony of witnesses and any admitted evidence
- the CASA report

Other:

Based upon the foregoing, the Court finds:

1. The appropriate permanency goal is:

Return home within five (5) months
Return home within twelve (12) months
Return home pending status hearing (705 ILCS 405/2-28(2)(B-1)
Substitute care pending determination of termination of parental rights
Adoption
Private guardianship
Subsidized guardianship
Substitute care pending independence
Substitute care because care cannot be provided for in home environment
Continued Foster Care

2. As to the mother:

The mother **has** made reasonable and substantial progress toward returning the minor home.

The mother **has** made reasonable efforts toward returning the minor home.

The mother has **not** made reasonable and substantial progress toward returning the minor home, specifically due to the following:

The mother has **not** made reasonable efforts toward returning the minor home, specifically due to the following:

No finding necessary due to surrender / termination of parental rights or goal of independence.

3. As to the father:

The father **has** made reasonable and substantial progress toward returning the minor home.

The father **has** made reasonable efforts toward returning the minor home.

The father has **not** made reasonable and substantial progress toward returning the minor home, specifically due to the following:

The father has **not** made reasonable efforts toward returning the minor home, specifically due to the following:

No finding necessary due to surrender / termination of parental rights or goal of independence.

4. The services contained in the service plan:

are appropriate and reasonably calculated to facilitate the achievement of the permanency goal.

are **not** appropriate and reasonably calculated to facilitate the achievement of the permanency goal because:

5. The services required by the Court and by the service plan:

have been provided.

have **not** been provided because:

6. The goal selected has not been achieved because:

Parent(s) has / have not yet successfully completed all service plan tasks.

Services are still available to minors.

Adoption or Guardianship is pending.

Other:

7. Placement of the minor outside the home:

is not necessary and appropriate to the plan and the goal.

is necessary and appropriate to the plan and the goal because the parents remain unfit, unable, or unwilling to care for, protect, train, and discipline the minor for reasons other than financial reasons alone and placement in the house is contrary to the health, welfare, and safety of the child.

is necessary because reasonable efforts toward a permanency plan have been offered or engaged in but it is contrary to the health, welfare, and safety of the minor to be placed in the home.

is necessary because it is contrary to the health, welfare, and safety of the minor to remain in the home even though reasonable efforts toward a permanency plan have not been offered or engaged in.

8. The Department of Children and Family Services:

has made reasonable efforts in providing services to facilitate achievement of the permanency goal.

has **not** made reasonable efforts in providing services to facilitate achievement of the permanency goal.

has made active efforts in providing services to facilitate achievement of the permanency goal (if ICWA applies)
has **not** made active efforts in providing services to facilitate achievement of the permanency goal (if ICWA applies)

9. The Guardian ad Litem:

has had at least one in-person contact with the minor and one contact with one of the current foster parents or caregivers since the Adjudication Order was entered (if First Permanency Order)

has had one additional in-person contact with the minor and one contact with one of the current foster parents or caregivers in the subsequent years(s) since the First Permanency Order was entered (if Subsequent Permanency Order).

Has filed a written motion and the Court finds good cause to excuse the required face-to-face interview 705 ILCS 405/2-17(8)

Therefore, it is the order of this Court that:

- a. The permanency goal is established to be the goal set forth in the findings of this order.
- b. The Department of Children and Family Services shall file a new or amended service plan consistent with the findings of this Order on or before (within forty-five (45) days):

c. Custody of the minor is:
restored / continued to the parent(s) / guardian / legal custodian with aftercare services to be provided for _____ months.
continued in the Department of Children and Family Services.
other: _____

d. Guardianship of the minor is:
restored to the parent(s) and this file is to be closed.
continued in the Department of Children and Family Services.
other: _____

- e. The Dispositional Order previously entered remains in full force and effect as supplemented by this Order.
- f. The following visitation will be at the discretion of the Department of Children and Family Services:

MOTHER	FATHER
No Visitation	No Visitation
Supervised	Supervised
Unsupervised	Unsupervised
Unsupervised in the Community	Unsupervised in the Community
Overnights	Overnights

g. The next hearing is set on _____ at _____ for

- Permanency Hearing
- Termination of Parental Rights
- Progress / Status Report

Other: _____

h. The Department of Children and Family Services is ordered to provide a court report to the Court, the CASA, all parties, and all counsel at least 14 days before the next hearing.

i. The Department of Children and Family Services shall notify the foster parents / relative care givers as to the next hearing date.

j. Other:

- k. **The parents are ordered to cooperate with the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services. The parents must comply with the terms of the service plan and correct the conditions which require the minor to be in care, or risk termination of their parental rights.**

Date Entered

Signature of Judge

Mother:

Attorney for Mother:

Father:

Attorney for Father:

GAL for
Minor:

State's Attorney:

Case Worker:

Attorney for Other:

Other:

DCFS Legal:

_____ is to send notice to the parties.