

MCINTOSH TRAIL
COMMUNITY SERVICE BOARD

POLICY NO. 2021
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SUBJECT: CONSUMER NEED FOR GUARDIANSHIP

EFFECTIVE
DATE: 04-04-11 (replaces 02-02-10)

APPROVED BY:

Executive Director

Reviewed (no changes): _____

POLICY

Although the organization does not provide a service to assess the need for guardianship, it is the policy of McIntosh Trail CSB that clinical staff will assist the consumers' family to access their local Probate Court.

The need for an assessment for guardianship is a separate process and is independent of consideration used in determining the consumer's need for services and establishing his/her treatment/program plan.

Any recommendations to the referred agencies reflect the organization's belief that the consumer be the primary beneficiary of the guardianship and are documented in the clinical record.