

FORM SUMMARY

Name of Form:	Order for Examination under §971.16, Wis. Stats. (Not Guilty by Reason of Mental Disease or Defect)
Form Number:	CR-270
Statutory Reference:	§971.16, Wisconsin Statutes
Benchbook Reference:	CR 34
Purpose of Form:	To order examination of a defendant who enters a plea of not guilty by reason or mental disease or defect in a criminal case.
Who Completes It:	The Court.
Who Signs It:	BY THE COURT: Circuit Court Judge. THIS IS A FINAL ORDER FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPEAL.
Distribution of Form:	Court; copies to district attorney, defense attorney, examiner.
Accompanying Forms:	A copy of the most recent criminal complaint and all examiner reports.
New Form/Modification:	Modified; last update 08/12.
Modification:	Changed language to: “The defendant entered a plea of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect or there is reason to believe that mental disease or defect will otherwise become an issue as to the following crime(s):”.
Comments:	Statute provides that court must sign the Order for Examination.
About this Form:	This form is the product of the Wisconsin Records Management Committee, a committee of the Director of State Court's Office and a mandate of the Wisconsin Judicial Conference. If you have additional information that does not change the meaning of the form, attach it on a separate page. The form itself shall not be altered.