

## FORM SUMMARY

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**Name of Form:** Petition for Protective Placement/Protective Services

**Form Number:** GN-4040

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**Statutory Reference:** §46.279, Chapter 54 and 55, Wisconsin Statutes

**Benchbook Reference:** GA-3

**Purpose of Form:** Initiate a protective placement and/or protective services.

**Who Completes It:** Petitioner or attorney.

**Distribution of Form:** Court; Petitioner/Individual/Ward; Individual/Ward's Guardian; Individual/Ward's Legal Counsel; Guardian ad litem; Individual/Ward's agent under Power of Attorney for Health Care; Presumptive Adult Heirs; Facility in which the Individual/Ward resides/Physical Custodian; County Department of Individual/Ward's county of residence under §55.18(1)(a) and County Department of Individual/Ward's placement under §55.18(1m).

**Accompanying Forms:**

**New Form/Modification:** Modified; last update 11/12.

**Modifications:** Updated Power of Attorney language. Added  Other in I REQUEST THE COURT and Distribution list.

**Comments:** Interested parties and parties entitled to notice can be found in §§55.01(4) and 55.09(1), (2), Wis. Statutes.

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