

FORM SUMMARY

Name of Form:	Declaration of Clergy person to Waive Parental Consent for Abortion
Form Number	JC-1621
Statutory Reference:	§48.375(7)(bm), Wisconsin Statutes
Benchbook Reference:	JV 15
Purpose of Form:	A member of the clergy may file form JC-1620, Petition to Waive Parental Consent for an Abortion, on behalf of a pregnant juvenile. The clergy person must accompany the petition with a declaration stating that certain statutory requirements have been met.
Who Completes It:	The clergy person who files the declaration must complete it.
Distribution of Form:	Court, Minor and Minor's <i>Guardian ad Litem</i> /Attorney. A copy is provided to the clergy person and a copy is served on the juvenile.
Accompanying Forms:	<p>This form must accompany form JC-1610, Petition to Waive Parental Consent for an Abortion, when a member of the clergy is filing the petition. It is not required when a pregnant juvenile is filing the petition on their own behalf.</p> <p>A juvenile who wants 24 hours notice of hearings, rather than immediate notice, may also have completed form JC-1622, Waiver of Immediate Notice (Parental Consent/Abortion Waivers). If so, that form may be attached.</p>
New Form/Modification:	Modified; last update 05/24.
Modifications:	Changes made pursuant to 23 Wis Act 245 (unsworn declaration); Form title updated from "Affidavit" to "Declaration."
Comments:	Items 1 through 7 are required by statute. However, since the court may base its ultimate decision solely on the basis of the declaration, item 8 was added as an optional question to provide additional information to the court.
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.