

## FORM SUMMARY

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| <b>Name of Form:</b>          | <b>Petition for Examination (Fifth Standard Under §51.20(1)(a)2.e.)</b>   |
| <b>Form Number:</b>           | <b>ME-913</b>   |
| <b>Statutory Reference:</b>   | §51.20(1)(a)2.e, Wisconsin Statutes   |
| <b>Benchbook Reference:</b>   | MH 1-7  |
| <b>Purpose of Form:</b>       | This form initiates involuntary civil commitment proceedings by 3 adult petitioners of an individual who is believed to be mentally ill, incompetent to refuse psychotropic medications, and deteriorating as a result of lack of treatment.  |
| <b>Who Completes It:</b>      | This form must be completed by the county corporation counsel, and must be signed and sworn to be true by 3 adult persons, at least one of whom has personal knowledge of the conduct of the subject individual.  |
| <b>Distribution of Form:</b>  | The <u>original</u> document must be filed by the corporation counsel with the probate court for the county where the individual is present or the county of the individual's legal residence. A copy must be provided to the subject individual at the time he or she is taken into custody for detention at a treatment facility. An additional copy must be provided to the detention facility at the time of admission of the individual. |
| <b>Accompanying Forms:</b>    | Generally none, unless petitioner adds pages with additional factual allegations.   |
| <b>New Form/Modification:</b> | Modified; last update 12/02.  |
| <b>Modification:</b>          | Added paragraph to identify the drafting of County Corporation Counsel.   |
| <b>Comments:</b>              |   |
| <b>About this Form:</b>       | 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.**