GUIDE FOR PARENTS
Legal Resources for Guardianship/Alternatives to Guardianship in Missouri and Kansas

Missouri:

**Legal Aid of Western Missouri (Volunteer Attorney Project)
1125 Grand Blvd.
Kansas City, MO 64106
(816) 474-6750
www.lawmo.org

**May have income guidelines for qualification eligibility

Missouri Bar Association
www.mobar.org
Search tool to find attorneys (under public resources)

Missouri Protection and Advocacy Servs.
www.moadvocacy.org
Legal Advocacy Programs for Disabled

**MO Guardianship Legal Options
Understanding Missouri law on Guardianship - “Stop Light Tool” - begins on pg. 22

Kansas:

**Kansas Legal Services
400 State Ave, Suite 1015
Kansas City, KS 66101
(913) 621-0200
www.kansaslegalservices.org

**May have income guidelines for qualification eligibility

Kansas Bar Association
www.ksbar.org
Search tool to find attorneys (under public resources)

Disability Rights Center of Kansas
214 SW 6th Avenue, Suite 100
Topeka, KS 66603
(877) 776-1541
http://www.drckansas.org/

Other options:
❖ You may want to check with your employer regarding employee benefits for legal services.
❖ Search your county court or county counselor’s website for forms and information on guardianships.

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