

**PARENT/LEGALGUARDIAN/CUSTODIAN  
APPLICATION FOR  
CHILD REQUIRING ASSISTANCE**

DOCKET NO.

**Massachusetts Trial Court  
Juvenile Court Department**



NAME & ADDRESS OF CHILD

DATE OF BIRTH OF CHILD

COURT DIVISION

NAME OF PERSON FILING THIS APPLICATION

ADDRESS OF PERSON FILING THIS APPLICATION *(complete this section only if different from child's)*

Have you visited a Family Resource Center? ☐ Yes ☐ No

The person filing this application is: ☐ the child's mother ☐ the child's father ☐ the child's legal guardian  
☐ the person with custody of the child

The person filing this application alleges that the above named child and the child's family require assistance, as defined in G.L. c. 119, § 21, in that said child who is between the ages of 6 and 18:

☐ repeatedly runs away from the home of a parent, legal guardian or custodian.

Please provide information about the child running away.

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OR

☐ repeatedly fails to obey lawful and reasonable commands of a parent, legal guardian, or custodian, thereby interfering with the parent's, legal guardian's or custodian's ability to adequately care for and protect said child.

Please provide information about the child's behavior.

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☐ Check if additional page(s) attached.

Date

Signature of Person Filing This Application

Print or Type Name

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_