

**APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO MARRY
JUVENILE RULE 42**

The Hamilton County Juvenile Court accepts Applications for Consent to Marry in accordance with Juvenile Rule 42. The requirements are as follows:

R.C. 3101.02

- If both persons to be joined in marriage are the age of seventeen, they may be joined in marriage only if the Juvenile Court has filed consent to the marriage under R.C. 3101.04.
- If only one person is the age of seventeen, that person maybe joined in marriage only if both of the following apply:
 - The Juvenile Court has filed consent to marriage under R.C. 3101.04 and
 - The other person to be joined in marriage is not more than four years older than the applicant.

R.C. 3101.041

In determining whether to file the consent under R.C. 3101.04, the Juvenile Court shall do all of the following:

- Consult with any of the following for each party of the intended marriage who is seventeen years of age: parent, legal custodian, legal guardian, and a representative from Children Services if permanent custody has been granted;
- Appoint a Guardian ad Litem for the juvenile applicant;
- Determine all of the following:
 - Each party to the intended marriage who is seventeen years of age has entered the Armed Service so the United States, has become employed and self-subsisting, or has otherwise become independent from the care and control of the party's parent, guardian, or custodian.
 - For each party to the intended marriage who is seventeen years of age, the decision of that party is free from force or coercion;
 - The intended marriage under RC 3101.042 is in the best interest of the applicant.

R.C. 3101.042

When the Juvenile Court files Consent to Marriage pursuant to the Juvenile Rules, the court shall also issue an order regarding each party to the marriage who is seventeen years of age. The court order shall specify that the party has the capacity of an eighteen year old person as described in R.C. 3109.011.

Hamilton County Juvenile Court, Ohio

CONSENT TO MARRY JUVENILE RULE 42

I, _____, born on _____, and currently age _____,
am a minor who desires to contract matrimony with _____ who is age _____.
I reside at _____.

I am a resident of Hamilton County. I (am) / (am not) a ward of this Court.

_____ I am pregnant and have attached a physician’s certificate verifying the pregnancy.

_____ I have delivered a child, and have attached a copy of the child’s birth certificate.

_____ I have no parent, guardian, or custodian whose consent to marriage is required by law.

The reason as to why consent of the parent, guardian or custodian is not required is: _____

The name and address of the (parent) (guardian) (custodian) is: _____

I respectfully file this application, requesting, that the Judge of Juvenile Court give consent and
approbation in the Probate Court for such marriage in accordance with Juvenile Rule 42.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ 20 _____.

Petitioner

Petitioner’s Parent, Guardian or Custodian

Petitioner’s Parent, Guardian or Custodian

Notary Public / Deputy Clerk

CONSENT TO MARRY INFORMATION SHEET

FEMALE: Full Name: _____ Birth Date: _____ Age: _____

Current Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.

School or Employment Status: _____

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) / or Legal Custodian(s)

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.

MALE Full Name: _____ Birth Date: _____ Age: _____

Current Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.

School or Employment Status: _____

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) / or Legal Custodian(s)

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Telephone Number: _____.