

Section 35 Massachusetts Family Checklist

Use first

This checklist is for organizing questions. It is not legal advice or medical advice.

- Immediate danger: call 911.
- Emotional crisis or substance-use crisis concern: call, text, or chat 988.
- Legal questions: use the court, counsel, or official court sources.

Information to organize

- Full legal name and date of birth if known.
- Current location and safest contact method.
- Recent safety concerns and dates.
- Known treatment history or providers.
- Court paperwork, deadlines, and official contact names.
- Questions for outpatient care after immediate safety/court questions are addressed.