

(iii) Order the child and the child's parent, guardian, or custodian to participate in rehabilitative services that are in the best interest of the child and family; and

(2) Determine custody, visitation, support, or paternity of a child in accordance with § 3-803(b) of this subtitle.

3-819.2.

(A) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE COURT MAY GRANT CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP TO A RELATIVE OR A NONRELATIVE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) AN ORDER GRANTING CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP TO AN INDIVIDUAL UNDER THIS SECTION TERMINATES THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT'S LEGAL OBLIGATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE CHILD.

(C) A GUARDIAN APPOINTED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE HAS LEGAL CUSTODY OF THE CHILD UNLESS THE COURT THAT APPOINTS THE GUARDIAN GIVES LEGAL CUSTODY TO ANOTHER PERSON.

(D) AFTER GRANTING CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP TO AN INDIVIDUAL UNDER THIS SECTION, THE COURT MAY ORDER ANY FURTHER REVIEWS THAT THE COURT DETERMINES TO BE IN THE CHILD'S BEST INTERESTS, CONSISTENT WITH § 3-823(H)(1)(III) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(E) (1) BEFORE GRANTING CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP UNDER THIS SECTION, THE COURT SHALL CONSIDER:

~~(1)~~ (1) ANY ASSURANCE BY THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT THAT IT WILL PROVIDE FUNDS FOR NECESSARY SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE CHILD;

~~(2)~~ (II) ALL FACTORS NECESSARY TO DETERMINE THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CHILD; AND

~~(3)~~ ~~(4)~~ (III) A REPORT BY A LOCAL DEPARTMENT OR A LICENSED CHILD PLACEMENT AGENCY, COMPLETED IN COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, ON THE SUITABILITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO BE THE GUARDIAN OF THE CHILD.

~~(4)~~ (2) THE REPORT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(III) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL INCLUDE A:

1. (I) HOME STUDY;

2. (II) CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES HISTORY;

3. (III) CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS CHECK; AND

4. (IV) REVIEW OF THE PROPOSED GUARDIAN'S PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH HISTORY.

~~(4)~~ (3) IF THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT HAS NOT PRODUCED THE REPORT DESCRIBED IN ~~SUBPARAGRAPH (H) PARAGRAPH (1)(III) OF THIS PARAGRAPH~~