

**EMLG15**

## EMANCIPATED MINOR & LEGAL GUARDIANSHIP FORM 2014/2015

Student's First Name:	UMMC ID (i.e. 300123456)
Student's Last Name:	UMMC Email:

On your 2014-2015 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), you answered "Yes" **either** to questions 54, which asks, "Are you or were you an **emancipated minor** as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?" **or** to questions 55, which asks, "Are you or were you in **legal guardianship** as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?" Before the Financial Aid Office can determine your eligibility for financial aid, you must document your status.

**Instructions:** Please check the box (es) below which apply to your situation and attach the requested documentation. Mail this form and the documentation to the Student Financial Aid Office. **Faxed/emailed forms and documents will not be accepted.**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>I am or I was an emancipated minor.</b> Check this box only if:</p> <p>A. You can provide a copy of a court's decision that as of today you are an emancipated minor, <b>or</b> B. You can provide a copy of a court's decision that you were an emancipated minor immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> The U.S. Department of Education does not recognize Emancipation of a MS Resident as being valid to establish independent student status for Federal Student Aid.</p> <p><b>Documentation:</b> Attach a copy of a court's decision of your emancipated minor status.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>I am or I was in legal guardianship.</b> Check this box only if:</p> <p>A. You can provide a copy of a court's decision that as of today you are in legal guardianship, <b>or</b> B. You can provide a copy of a court's decision that you were in legal guardianship immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> For (A) and (B), the court must be located in your state of legal residence at the time the court's decision was issued.</p> <p><b>Documentation:</b> If (A) above applies to you, attach a copy of Letters of Guardianship. If (B) above applies to you, attach a copy of the court's Order of Discharge from Guardianship.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>I made an error on my FAFSA</b> and I am still a minor and the court decision is no longer in effect. *</p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>I made an error on my FAFSA</b> and the court decision was not in effect at the time I became an adult. *</p>

**\*Requirement:** Correct the information on your FAFSA by providing your parent(s) financial information on your Student Aid Report (SAR). You and one parent MUST sign the SAR and submit it to the federal processor. You will receive a corrected SAR from the federal processor and the corrected information will be transmitted electronically to the Financial Aid Office.

### Required Signature

I certify that all information reported on this form is true, complete and accurate. **I understand that any false statements or misrepresentation will be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal and/or repayment of financial aid.**

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form to:  
**The University of Mississippi Medical Center**  
Office of Student Financial Aid  
2500 North State Street  
Jackson, MS 39216  
[Acct-financial-aid@umc.edu](mailto:Acct-financial-aid@umc.edu)  
Print your Name and Student ID Number  
on All Documents. See <http://myu.umc.edu>  
for your Financial Aid Status