

[This is an optional form which may be of some use in bringing about the initial detention of a person under Title 33, Chapter 6, Part 4, Tenn. Code Ann.]

**REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE EXAMINATION FOR EMERGENCY
ADMISSION**

TO: Any law enforcement officer; licensed physician; licensed psychologist where authorized by law; licensed psychological examiner; licensed or certified masters degreed nurse who functions as a psychiatric nurse; certified social worker with two (2) years mental health experience or licensed; licensed or certified professional counselor; or a licensed or certified marital and family therapist, WHERE AUTHORIZED BY LAW.

I request that _____, referred to below as "person," be detained for emergency admission under Tenn. Code Ann. §33-6-401 for the purposes of emergency diagnosis, evaluation, and treatment.

In making this request, I have observed the following behavior by the person: *(Specifically include behavior which shows threats or attempts at homicide, suicide, other bodily harm, or behavior placing others in reasonable fear of violent behavior, or which shows that person is unable to avoid severe impairment or injury from specific risks.)*

Date: _____, _____

Signature