



Public Guardian Services (PGS) is a privately-operated, non-profit program that is helping to meet the need for a guardian or conservator for the most isolated individuals at risk in Suffolk and Plymouth Counties in Massachusetts.

Ways that PGS can help:

1. Depending upon current caseloads, we may be able to act as guardian or conservator if there is no other person willing or able to serve.
2. Training for non-professional guardians and conservators. Training is intended mainly for family or friends who are willing to act as guardian or conservator, but are not sure how to go about it, or what is required.
3. Hotline support for guardians and conservators. We cannot give legal advice, but we can direct you to resources for help with forms and/or guardianship expertise.

Contact us for more information
and to check availability

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To Be Eligible for PGS Services:

- The individual in need of services must reside in Suffolk or Plymouth County.
- To be eligible for training or support, the person requesting help must be serving (or planning to serve) as guardian, conservator or other decisional support fiduciary for someone in Suffolk or Plymouth County.
- To be eligible for direct fiduciary services, it must be established that:
 - o No other suitable person is available or willing to serve, and
 - o PGS has service capacity available at that time.