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Target Audience All CPS staff

Purpose This is an update to the recently issued Investigations policy. The changes are as follows:

- Added a section requiring notification to Probate Court of any legal guardian who is substantiated, regardless of whether the alleged victim is the guardian’s ward.
 - Changed mandatory legal and RRG consults to discretionary at the direction of the Supervisor.
 - Removed two sections, which will be added to the Practice Guide:
 - Time Frame for Contact with Other Children in the Home
 - Time Frame for Contact with Other Children Who Reside in Another Home
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Distribution and Review Process Via All Staff email and Webinar training

Suggestions for Improvement If you have any suggestions for clarifying or improving this policy, procedures or forms, please contact: Director of Change Management Yadira Ijeh or Director of the Workforce Academy Jodi Hill-Lilly.
