

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 1042 authorizes any guardian who obtained a court order for inpatient mental health treatment for the ward to apply for an order requiring either municipal or county officials to retrieve and deliver the gravely disabled ward to an inpatient treatment facility when certain criteria are met. If the ward is unable to provide for his or her basic personal needs, voluntarily request and receive assistance for his or her basic personal needs, or is unable to survive safely without involuntary detention and does not have the help of others to provide the person's basic personal needs, the guardian shall be authorized to apply for the order. The measure clarifies that no person shall be presumed to be incompetent because the person has been evaluated or treated for a mental disorder.

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