



GUARDIANSHIP/LEGAL DECISION-MAKING DOCUMENTATION

Aggies Elevated and Utah State University will regard students as their own legal guardians, unless provided with documentation outlining appointed guardianship and/or other legal decision-making authority for the student.

Types of guardianship and legal decision-making power may include:

- Limited authority/guardianship
- Full authority/guardianship (plenary)
- Financial Conservator
- Medical Power of Attorney (Utah Advance Healthcare Directive)
- Power of Attorney

***** If the student is their own legal guardian, you do NOT need to provide any of the below documentation with the application. *****

If you are your student's legal guardian or have other appointed legal decision-making power for them, please provide the respective documentation with your student's application (*see suggestions below*). This will guide program and university staff to appropriately involve parents/guardians in decision-making and service provision for their student.

Documentation possibilities:

- Order and letter of guardianship
- Order and letter of conservatorship
- Power of Attorney document or letter
- Utah Advance Healthcare Directive form