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**Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court Offers
Guidance on How to Navigate the Guardianship Process**

What: A representative of the Office of Dorothy Brown, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, will explain the procedures for processing guardianship files and other Probate Division services to teachers, social workers, school administrators and agencies during the Legal Process of Guardianship of a Minor in Cook County Workshop.

Guardianship is the appointment by a court of a legally responsible individual or agency on behalf of a person who is not able to independently manage his or her affairs due to a mental disability or because a person is under the age of 18.

Ms. Jennifer Smith, Chief Deputy Clerk of the Probate Division, will be a session facilitator. She will also discuss the types of cases heard in the Probate Division, filing processes and important forms.

When: Friday, May 6
11:45 a.m.

Where: Michael Bilandic Building
160 N. LaSalle St., 5th Fl.
Chicago

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