

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, COUNTY DIVISION**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2010 - 8**

**SUBJECT: Disclosure of Court Files Related to Actions Under the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code (405 ILCS 5/1- 100 et seq.)**

In order to comply with the requirements of P.A. 96-1399, the Clerk of Court is hereby directed to refuse to produce any court records within her possession and control relating to proceedings under the Mental Health and Disability Code requested by a subpoena *duces tecum* unless such subpoena is accompanied by an order of a court of competent jurisdiction or an appropriate administrative agency and such subpoena contains the following language:

No person shall comply with a subpoena for mental health records or communications pursuant to Section 10 of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Confidentiality Act, 740 ILCS 110/10, unless such subpoena is accompanied by a written order that authorizes the issuance of the subpoena and the disclosure of records or communications. (740 ILCS 110/10 (d)).

**Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of August 2010 and spread upon the records of this Court**

**ENTER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Presiding Judge  
County Division**

