

Introduction to the 2026 Edition

Ohio Juvenile Law, 2026 ed. (Baldwin's Ohio Handbook Series) covers major aspects of juvenile law including abuse and neglect, dependence, delinquency, and unruliness. This title guides you through the steps in the juvenile court process and presents expert analysis of recent statutory and rule amendment and new case law.

This 2026 Edition of *Ohio Juvenile Law (Baldwin's Handbook Series)* replaces the 2025 Edition of this work in its entirety.

Highlights

Recent developments in this edition include:

- Marsey's Law (*In re K.J.*, § 22:13)
- Adjudication of a child for child endangering (*In re K.C.*, § 4:4)
- A parent's brief hospitalization for a mental health evaluation does not constitute abandonment (*In re C/W Children*, § 29:5)
- Rebuttable presumption of abandonment (*In re W.R.*, § 46:6 and *In re E.J.*, § 45:10)
- Kinship Caregiver Act (*In re K.C.*, § 46:7)
- Grant of Permanent Custody pursuant to R.C. 2151.353(G) was not required where there was a pending ICPC (*In re T.S.*, § 45:6)
- Continuing jurisdiction of Juvenile Court when a Petition for Adoption is filed in Probate Court (*State ex rel. T.B. v. Brown*, § 2:3)
- Declassification (*In re T.C.*, § 6:4)
- Prior delinquency conviction cannot be used to enhance sentencing (*State v. Hand* and *State v. E.T.*, § 5:12)

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