# TRIAL COURT Healing to Wellness Court



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Paul Fuentes, Probation Officer Trial Court of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes P.O. Box 102 Concho, OK 73022

RE: Mr. DOB: 06/20/88

SUBJECT: Psychosocial Evaluation

Dear Mr. Fuentes,

On October 16, 2016 the Healing to Wellness Court (HWC) Coordinator conducted a Psychosocial Evaluation on Mr. This evaluation accompanies his inpatient application to the Social Development Center.

- 1) Methods of Evaluation:
  - a) Review of court records provided by the Trial Court of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes
  - b) Consult with Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Probation Officer, Paul Fuentes and review probationer records
  - c) Review Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory (SASSI-3) dated September 18, 2016 by Kimberly Larney, MSW
  - d) Clinical interview of Mr. conducted by Kimberly Larney, MSW on October 1, 2016 at the Kingfisher County Jail totaling approximately 90-minutes.

## 2) Presenting problem:

- And Mr. And Analysis and Arapaho male was referred by the Judicial Courts for a substance abuse assessment. Provider conducted a SASSI screening for Substance Use Disorder with Mr. While he was incarcerated at Kingfisher County jail. His criminal offenses are Intoxication, Aggravated Assault, and Domestic Violence. He has served nearly 45 days in jail. He is currently awaiting entrance into a residential treatment facility.
- 3) Interpersonal relationships:
  - a) Mr. indicated strained relationships with extended family members due to past abusive relationships. Currently, he is separated from his common-law spouse, who has physical custody of their two children. He is the youngest child

in a family of 5 siblings. He has endured the loss of two sisters; with the most recent passing away in February 2016.

4)	Medical	History:

a) Mr. utilizes Indian Health Services for medical care and recent physical exam results were unremarkable. Paternal medical history is hypertension and diabetes. Maternal medical history is unremarkable. One sister passed away from cancer, type unknown.

#### 5) Mental Health History:

a) Mr. reports history of anxiety, depression, and self-harming behaviors. He is currently prescribed hydroxyzine 25mg and buspirone 10 mg. No family history of suicide was reported. Mr. does not present harmful intent, ideation, or plans to hurt himself or others. Presents a history of domestic violence and aggravated assaults within immediate and extended family. Maternal history includes symptoms of depression. Paternal history is unknown.

## 6) Substance Abuse History:

a) Primary substance of choice is alcohol. For 19 years, client reports daily use that consists of 6-12 cans of beer or a bottle of hard liquor. He reportedly used meth twice at 26 years old and cocaine once a month at age 21. He smokes 2-3 packs of cigarettes per week. No intravenous drug or pain prescription abuse reported. He has never participated in substance abuse treatment. He reports "witnessing uncles and cousins drink a lot on both sides of the family." Mr. was charged with public intoxication in 2014.

#### 7) Strengths/Needs

a) Mr. is motivated and willing to comply with court requirements and engage in residential treatment to address substance abuse, anger, and grief issues. He expressed a desire to achieve sobriety so that he can resume with traditional practices and restore his way of life. Mr. has been forthcoming with his information.

### 8) Clinical Recommendations:

- a) Mr. would benefit from 60-120 days of inpatient treatment to detox and break the cycle of dependence; or
- b) Mr. would benefit from 12 months of weekly Outpatient Treatment to address alcohol addiction and build coping skills, and
- obtain support from those in recovery from alcohol addiction, and maintain abstinence.
- d) Anger Management is recommended to address past violence in his interpersonal relationships.

This is not a comprehensive mental health evaluation, but a specific evaluation to answer specific questions. If you have any questions or need additional information, feel free to contact me at (405) 422-7450.

Respectfully,

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