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Subject: RE: Comments on Visit Report

Hello again,

We reviewed the DRAFT report at the staff mtg.

Overall, the staff thought the report was accurate and the recommendations fair.

Most of the conversation centered around the recommendation about doing a “paperless” intake. Some concerns: 1) we have to have a sign citizenship form; 2) when we are meet clients for the first time in court or out in the field, we need to do it the old fashioned way with paper. (note: at LL tribal court, ALS is – at times - appointed to represent clients already in court, so there is no way to do intake via Pika.)

Regarding the concern that a client may walk in on a Thursday and wait until the following Wednesday to find out if he will be helped by ALS, the procedure followed by all staff is to review emergency matters (e.g. motions, hearings, etc.) with the Ex. Director or with Chris, the Litigation Director.

That was it from the staff...as of today.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks.