

Axis II No diagnosis
Axis III No medical problems
Axis IV Family conflicts and Custody Issues
Axis V 70

The last known psychological evaluation of Francisco was conducted 12/17/2003 by Angel Lopez, Psy.D. The mother gave a copy to this social worker but it was incomplete. The pages with the diagnosis were not attached. Later I received a complete copy of the evaluation from Ms. Stevenson of the Department of Family and Childrens' Services in Georgia. It indicates that Anthony was referred by his Guardian At Litem. One significant recommendation is the following:

“5. Individual counseling/psychotherapy to help Francisco with issues of self-esteem, anger management, and ADHD. He needs to learn problem-solving skills to be able to express his feelings without recurring to acting out behaviors.”

His diagnosis was as follows:

Axis I: 314.01 Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder, Combine Type
Axis II: No Diagnosis
Axis III: No medical problems
Axis IV: Academic deficits, family conflicts and custody issues
Axis V: 70

Two different psychological evaluations were received for the mother. One was conducted 9/16/02 by Betsy Prince, EdS, LPC. It was requested by the Department of Family and Childrens' Services. The diagnosis and recommendations are as follows:

“DSM IV Diagnostic Impression: Delusional Disorder, to rule out Bipolar and Schizophrenia”

“Summary Comments and Recommendations: My impressions of Celeste are that she is suffering from Delusional Disorder. There are many contradictions in the stories she tells. One of the most obvious occurred after her story about being born in the U.S. and being raised by people other than Hispanics then later while performing the IQ test, giving the answer first in Spanish and then translating into English. Generally, one thinks in his/her native tongue and translates to his/her second language. Celeste is definitely delusional with persecutory themes throughout her though content. My recommendation is that she be referred to a board-certified psychiatrist for a complete psychiatric evaluation and for continued care.”

The second psychological evaluation was conducted by Angel Lopez, Psy.D. on 1/16/04 at the request of the mother. The diagnosis read as follows:

Axis I: 296.90 Mood Disorder NOS
Axis II: No Diagnosis
Axis III: Gulliam Barre Syndrome (in remission), Post-head injury
Axis IV: Psychosocial Stressors: pending legal charges and separation from her husband

Axis V: GAF = 70 (current)

FAMILY VISITATION

Visitation for the mother be unsupervised.

ATTACHMENTS

The attachments identified in this report are attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

1. The psychological evaluation of Anthony 12/17/2003 by Angel Lopez, Psy.D.
2. The psychological evaluation of Anthony 12/17/2003 by Angel Lopez, Psy.D.
3. The psychological assessment of the mother 9/16/2002 by Betsy Prince, EdS, LPC
4. The psychological assessment of the mother 1/16/2004 by Angel Lopez, Psy.D.
5. Copy of the Birth Certificate of Francisco Cortes
6. Copy of the Birth Certificate of Anthony Cortes
7. Multiple Court Orders and Petitions filed in the Juvenile Court of Carroll County, Georgia

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Court order a pick up and detain order on both minors
2. That the minors be detained at PCC/LFH/Adjunct
3. That psychological evaluations be completed for the mother and both minors
4. That the mother's visits be unsupervised
5. A prima facie showing has been made that the children are persons described by 300, subdivision b and c of the Welfare and Institutions Code and facts have been presented showing the reason initial removal was necessary. Continued care in the home of the parent is contrary to the children's welfare; responsibility for placement and care is vested in the Health and Human Services Agency.
6. That reasonable efforts have been made to prevent or eliminate the need for the removal of said children from the parent's home and made it possible for the children to return to their home
7. That the case plan goal be family reunification

Respectfully Submitted,

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
JUVENILE COURT
2851 MEADOW LARK
SAN DIEGO, CA 92123-2792

Child's Name:

~~ANTHONY CORTES~~

Case Number:
DSS Num 0N39272S312
CC Num 0668723
Petition
DetHrg

JUVENILE DEPENDENCY PETITION (VERSION ONE)
Welfare and Institutions Code 300 - ORIGINAL

Petitioner on information and belief alleges the following:

The child named above comes within the jurisdiction of the Juvenile Court under the following subdivisions of section 300 of the Welfare and Institutions Code (See attachments for concise statements of facts): (B), (C)

Child's Name: ANTHONY CORTES	c. Age: 07	d. Date of Birth: 08/21/1999	e. Sex: M
Personal Service ___ Mail Date ___			

MOTHER: DIERDRE CELESTE CORTES 1500 IMPERIAL AVE SAN DIEGO CA 92101 Personal Service ___ Mail Date ___	g. ALLEGED FATHER: PRIMITIVO CORTES UNKNOWN Personal Service ___ Mail Date ___
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Personal Service ___ Mail Date ___

Child's Home Address:	k. Child is not detained.
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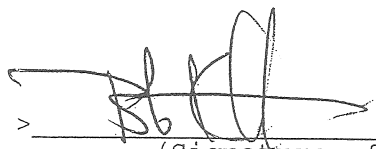
Child may be a member of, or eligible for, membership in a federally recognized Indian tribe.
Child may be of Indian ancestry.

petitioner requests the court find these allegations to be true.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing and all attachments are true and correct.

Date: 12/15/2006

BOB KUCHTA, Social Worker


(Signature of Petitioner)

Number of pages attached: 2 SEE IMPORTANT NOTICE ON REVERSE

JUVENILE DEPENDENCY PETITION (VERSION ONE)
Welfare and Institutions Code 300

CHILD WELFARE SERVICES CASE PLAN UPDATE - [COURT]

CASE PLAN PARTICIPANTS

PARENTS/GUARDIAN

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Of Birth</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>To</u>
Dierdre Celeste Cortes	06/16/1974	Spouse	Primitivo Cruz Cortes
		Mother (Birth)	Francisco Cortes
		Mother (Birth)	Anthony Cortes
Primitivo Cruz Cortes	09/09/1973	Spouse	Dierdre Celeste Cortes
		Father (Presumed)	Francisco Cortes
		Father (Presumed)	Anthony Cortes

CHILD(REN)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Of Birth</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Court Number</u>
Francisco Cortes 0639-3483-2113-0021605	01/28/1996	11 y	M	0516482A
Anthony Cortes	09/21/1999	7 y	M	0516482B

CASE PLAN GOAL

<u>Name</u>	<u>Case Plan Goal</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Projected Date For Termination Of Child Welfare Services</u>
Francisco Cortes	Return Home	02/20/2008	
Anthony Cortes	Return Home	02/20/2008	

Adequacy And Continued Appropriateness Of The Case Plan:

This case plan has been update and is appropriate.

CASE PLAN SERVICE OBJECTIVES AND CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

Dierdre Celeste Cortes

SERVICE OBJECTIVES

- 1. Show your ability and willingness to have custody of your child(ren).**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		

- 2. Obtain resources to meet the needs of your child(ren) and to provide a safe home.**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		

- 3. You will comply with all orders of the court.**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		

- 4. Maintain relationship with your child by following the conditions of the visitation plan.**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		

- 5. Obtain and maintain a stable and suitable residence for yourself and your child(ren).**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		

- 6. Meet your child(ren)'s physical, emotional, medical, and educational needs.**

<u>Previous Service Objective</u>	<u>Projected Completion Date</u>	<u>Objective Met</u>
Yes	02/20/2008	In Progress
<u>Progress</u>		