

CHILD'S NAME:  _____	CASE NUMBER:  _____
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**SIX-MONTH PREPERMANENCY ATTACHMENT: REUNIFICATION SERVICES CONTINUED**  
(Welf. & Inst. Code, § 366.21(e))

1. By a preponderance of the evidence, the return of the child to his or her parent or legal guardian would create a substantial risk of detriment to the safety, protection, or physical or emotional well-being of the child. The factual basis for this conclusion is stated on the record.
  
2. **The child's out-of-home placement is necessary.**
  
3.  **The child's current placement is appropriate.**
  
4.  **The child's current placement is not appropriate.** The county agency must locate an appropriate placement for the child.
  - a.  The matter is continued to the date and time indicated in JV-430, item 21 for a  written  oral report by the county agency on the progress made in locating an appropriate placement.
  - b.  Other (*specify*):
  
5.  **The child is placed outside the state of California and that out-of-state placement**
  - a.  does continue to be the most appropriate placement for the child and is in the best interest of the child.
  - b.  does not continue to be the most appropriate placement for the child and is not in the best interest of the child. The matter is continued to the date and time indicated in JV-430, item 21 for a  written  oral report by the county agency on the progress made toward
    - (1)  returning the child to California and locating an appropriate placement within California.
    - (2)  locating an out-of-state placement that is the most appropriate placement for the child and in the best interest of the child.
    - (3)  Other (*specify*):
  
6.  **For child under the age of three years at time of initial removal or a member of a sibling group**  
 There is a substantial probability that the child may be returned to the  
 mother                       biological father                       Indian custodian  
 presumed father                       legal guardian                       other (*specify*):  
 within six months, because the person has
  - a. made significant progress in resolving the problems that led to the removal;
  - b. demonstrated the capacity and ability to complete the objectives of the treatment plan and to provide for the safety, protection, physical and emotional health, and special needs of the child; and
  - c. consistently and regularly contacted and visited the child.
  
7.  **The likely date** by which the child may be returned to and safely maintained in the home or placed for adoption, for legal guardianship, or in an identified placement with a specific goal is (*specify date*):

**Services**

8. Reunification services are continued
  - a.  as previously ordered.
  - b.  as modified
    - (1)  on the record.
    - (2)  in the case plan.

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9.  **Child 10 years of age or older, placed in a group home for six months or longer from the date the child entered foster care**
- a.  The agency has made efforts to identify individuals who are important to the child and to maintain the child's relationship with those individuals, consistent with the child's best interest.
  - b.  The agency has not made efforts to identify individuals who are important to the child and to maintain the child's relationship with those individuals, consistent with the child's best interest.
  - c.  To identify individuals who are important to the child and to maintain the child's relationships with those individuals, the agency must provide the services
    - (1)  set forth on the record.
    - (2)  specified here:

**Health and education**

10.  The  mother  biological father  Indian custodian  
 presumed father  legal guardian  other (*specify*):  
 is  unable  unwilling  unavailable to make decisions regarding the child's needs for medical, surgical, dental, or other remedial care, and the right to make these decisions is suspended under Welf. & Inst. Code, § 369 and vested with the county child and family services agency.

11.  The right of the  mother  biological father  legal guardian  
 presumed father  alleged father  Indian custodian  
 other (*specify*):  
 to make educational decisions for the child is limited as set forth in the *Order Limiting Parent's Right to Make Educational Decisions for the Child and Appointing Responsible Adult as Educational Representative—Juvenile* (form JV-535) filed in this matter.

**Advisement**

12. The court informed all parties present at the time of the hearing and further advises all parties that if the child is not returned to the home at the permanency hearing set on a date within 12 months from the date the child entered foster care, the case may be referred to a selection and implementation hearing under Welf. & Inst. Code, § 366.26 **that could result in the termination of parental rights and the adoption of the child.**

<b>Twelve-month permanency hearing date:</b>
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