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CPS INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS

Date of Contact: 9.9.26

Intake Date: 9.9.26

Case # TSS: 2026-255

Children's Names:

Name	DOB
Javier Alvarez SCAT	9.8.26

Contact Name	Location of Contact	Relationship to Child
Kiara Bylas 8.21.02	Box 192 Peridot SCAT	Mother
Xavier Alvarez 4.5.89	Box 704 SC SCAT	Father

Summary of Allegations: On 9.09.26, I received a intake report from the OB nurse station, concerning a drug exposed birth at the Cobre Valley Regional Medical Center in Globe/Miami, with mother being a San Carlos Tribal member.

Upon arrival at the hospital, I was informed that the mother Kiara Bylas had given birth to a baby boy on 9.5.26, with the mother testing positive for methamphetamine, and marijuana. I was informed the newborn boy's urine was not collected, but his meconium was collected and sent off for testing. The mother had also admitted to the nursing staff that she had used meth prior to coming to the hospital. The staff also stated that a father was also there in the nursing room.

I met with the mother who identified herself as Kiara Bylas, and who was a SCAT member. The father was identified as Xavier Alvarez, who is a SCAT member. I informed them both who I was and why I was there for.

I told the mother that she had tested positive for meth and marijuana. I asked the mother when was the last time she took meth and she looked at me and said about three month ago, and I told her that could not be and asked her again, with her boyfriend reminding her, remember we took it the day before, because you were in pain, causing Kiara to give her boyfriend a mean stare. I asked her when was the last time before the day before, she took meth, and she said about a month ago. I asked her when was the last time she took marijuana and her boyfriend again said remember we took it yesterday because of your pain. The boyfriend said that he has a medical marijuana card, and I told him that if he does it does not mean Kiara can smoke it too. I informed her that her baby's meconium was sent out for testing. I asked her how did she get to this hospital, and she said her mother brought her here on the 8th to induce labor. I asked her where does she live and she said with her mother and father in chinatown. I asked Xavier where does he live and he said with Kiara.

I informed the both of them that I was going to remove the child from their care and if her mother would be willing to care for the infant and she said she should. I informed the both of them that if her mother will agree to care for her child they can't be alone with him, or take him anywhere without her mother being there. That they are not to be alone with their newborn, and if they are located alone with their newborn, I will have to remove him and place him elsewhere. They both agreed. I told Kiara to contact her mother and to tell her to meet me at my office today between 3 and 4pm, and she said she would.

I met with grandmother Barbara Irving, and grandfather Perry Bylas and informed them that their daughter was tested positive for meth and marijuana and I was going to place their infant son elsewhere and if she was willing to care for her grandson and she said she would. I told her that Kiara and Xavier can't be alone with their son anywhere in the community or I will have to place them elsewhere. She said she will not allow the both of them to take their son anywhere and she got mad at her daughter for taking the drugs that she does not allow in her home.

On 9.10.26, a Temporary Custody Notice document was given to Xavier Alvarez and Kiara Bylas at the Cobre Valley Hospital.

On 9.10.26, an Agreement for Child Placement with a Relative document was given to grandparents Barbara Irving and Perry Bylas.

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Summary of Actions:

CPS Investigator

