

**Mock State
Hopewood Department of Children and Family
Services**

**Hopewood District Office
729 Linda Lane, Hopewood, MS**

**CaseName/Child
Javier Diaz**

Initial Case Plan – Permanency Goal of Reunification

September 22, 2014 (from Family Team Meeting)

1. The Department will arrange for Manuel and Lisa Gomez to have psychosocial assessments, so that issues to be worked on can be identified.
2. Lisa and Manuel Gomez agree to participate in psychosocial assessments and follow through with recommendations made.
3. The Department will arrange for Javier to have physical and dental examinations before 10-15-14 and will follow up with any recommendations made.
4. The Department will arrange for Javier to have a behavioral health assessment before 10-15-14 and will follow up with any recommendations made.
5. The Department will ensure that Javier maintains enrollment in school and that any educational assistance required will be provided.
6. The Department will arrange for regular visitation between Javier, Mr. and Ms. Gomez, and Javier's sister Maria.
7. Manuel and Lisa Gomez will notify the Department immediately if other relatives are identified who could be placement resources for Javier.
8. The Department will contact any further relatives identified in a timely way.
9. The Department will continue to identify any important connections for Javier and will encourage and support those connections as appropriate.
10. The Department will continue to facilitate foster home licensure for Juanita Lopez.
11. The Department will provide foster care maintenance payments, respite care, transportation, and other services to Juanita Lopez as requested and as needs arise.

By our signatures below, we, the attendees of this Family Team Meeting, agree that the above stated activities were discussed and agreed upon by the specific participants in the meeting.

<u>Javier Diaz</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>Kathleen Minor</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Javier Diaz, Child		Kathleen Minor, DCFS Investigation Worker	

<u>Manuel Gomez</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>Lisa Gomez</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Manuel Gomez, Guardian		Lisa Gomez, Guardian	

<u>Juanita Lopez</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>Gloria Esteban</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Juanita Lopez, Foster Mother		Gloria Esteban, Aunt	

<u>Lana Trujillo</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>(participated by phone)</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Lana Trujillo, Aunt		Suzanna Cardenas, Grandmother	

<u>Vanessa Thomas</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>Nancy Walker</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Vanessa Thomas, DCFS FC Worker		Nancy Walker, DCFS Investigation Supervisor	

<u>Robin White</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>	<u>John Gare</u>	<u>9-22-14</u>
Robin White, CFS FC Supervisor		John Gare, Guardian ad Litem	