**SESSION 5 REDD CASE**

**WORKING THE REDD CASE**

In this activity, you will be “working” a case from start to finish to help you gain a better sense of what the process is like for a CASA/GAL volunteer.

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| **Materials you will need:*** Redd Case File and Notes
* Your completed genogram of the Redd Family
* Court Report template (Your facilitator will provide you with either a court report used in the local jurisdiction in which you reside or you will use the “sample court report” worksheet provided for this session).
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Review the Redd case. Take notes just as you would when working a “real” case.

1. Respond to the following questions in preparation of completing the court report:
* What are the top issues that need to be addressed in the Redd case? (Please list no more than 2-3 top issues).
* What are some additional questions you might have posed to some of the key informants in the case?
* How would these questions have helped your information gathering for this case?
* Is there anyone else that you would like to interview? Why and why? If yes, who and what questions might you ask them?
1. Complete the **Court Template.** Use the one provided by your facilitator or the court template Worksheet.