
what's up doc?



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Hello, Everyone:

It's football season. The Saints started us off with an unexciting win. But a win none-the-less. And the party looked like fun. Same with LSU and Southern last weekend. The wins came but were not so pretty. I hope we can at least hope for some more wins, no matter how ugly. But we shall see won't we? But it is good to have football season back again. That usually means the end of hurricane season, and the beginning of cooler weather as well.

This week has been meetings, meetings, meetings! I know I have to go to a lot of meetings, but it is getting tiring for me. I like to be out and about and in the facilities and in the p and p offices. This System of Care project has really been gobbling up my time, but it is a very important, so I know I am where I need to be for the time being. It is so big, it almost hurts my head, but it will be well worth it if we can make this thing happen. Just a reminder, there is a website if you are really interested in finding out about what this big change is all about.

I did get to go to Shreveport on Wednesday and Thursday. I got a chance to see some good folks in the Shreveport P and P office. The staff I talked to were all busy and in good spirits. I really wish we could find different and affordable office space for the Shreveport P and P. They are really on top of each other and it is definitely not an ideal situation. But then again we have that same situation in the Lafayette regional office. We will keep this in mind as our budget situation improves. In the meantime, we just have to make do, and tough it out. I appreciate all of our staff and the work you do! I really do. I am very proud of our staff and whenever I get the chance, I tell other people how great you are.

I am sorry that this is getting out so late, as I said, I have been in meetings away from the office all day. I have some other pressing business to take care of before I leave tonight, so I will say so long for now.

You are making a big difference in the lives of youth we serve. We are going in the right direction. Keep the FAITH and keep up the good work. I appreciate each and every one of you and what you do to meet our mission.

Sincerely,

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