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• More likely for adoption which involves more delays
• Parental substance abuse requires significant intervention and time
• Conflicts in court processes, contested J/D hearings, continuances
• BUT WHY?

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• Initial placement to Family/NREFM
  • Child mental health issues
  • Parents participate more fully in services
• Focus on child safety and not parent engagement
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