

Novant Meeting with Meredith Snapp Reduced

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Leonard Williams: Oki Dokie. Can you hear me?

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Meredith Snapp: Hi Leonard.

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Leonard Williams: Yes. Hello. Okay, so you can hear me?

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Meredith Snapp: Yes, I can hear and see you. This is Dr. Snapp. Can you hear and see Me?

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Leonard Williams: Yes, I sure can. Good. Good. Good.

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Meredith Snapp: Wonderful. Wonderful. So I did receive the...um, records that you sent over of detailing your, um, history and some of the symptoms that you've been experiencing.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah. Now...now. Did you see the second email that I sent to...to...um...Lindsay? I sent you an updated doc package that's got like 340 pages.

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Meredith Snapp: Um, let me see. Um...I have...uh...I see it now, but I have not looked at.

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Leonard Williams: Oh...okay. So...so what that has that's additional is it has a chat with my former manager at Wells Fargo. Uh, and it has the complaint that I sent, uh, to the federal authorities, uh, over the abuse, uh, that I've suffered. And it also has another snippet of a chat with a friend.

Uh...now...now...so I'll go in order. So this actually I won't go in order...but the complaint...uh...that's just a detailed narrative of the events and the background of what's happened that's caused my traumatic stress, uh...brain injury. And of course, there's a whole background that that follows it...uh...you know...going way back to when I lived in the mountains. Um...okay. So that's...that's the complaint. That's kinda like a narrative. Uh...the...the...the chat with my...uh...friend...that's this one I picked out one example...um...of when I have this...uh...symptom where I...I become suddenly hostile.

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Leonard Williams: Uh...this is something I have all the time, and I was especially having it back then...um...is it's like I will be hit with some memory or some feeling or something, and I'll have this...uh...very...very...um...pulverizing...uh...feeling of emotional pain. And it's like a shell shock feeling.

And it'll be accompanied at times...uh...by feeling of ho...hostility. Okay. And...and then...and then the chat with my manager...um...I just put that in their cause it's...it is full of...of such...um...uh...uh...instances...uh...where you'll be able to see that I'm talking to her and it's kind of a...of a normal...um...you know...kind of easygoing or...or...you know...just kind of informal...uh...you know...that there's...you know...conversation, and then all of a sudden, I start to make insults at her and tell her I want...uh...make legal threats to this person, I'm gonna ruin this person's life of what they've done to me and things like this. Oh...okay. And then...and so to me...and again...I have no idea if that's useful to you or not...but I just thought I'd throw it in there. uh...um...cause um...you know...I've had these symptoms going back way then...and so you can see in...in that chat history...you know...you'll be a...

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Meredith Snapp: When did this started?

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Leonard Williams: Okay...so...so...so when did this...the PTSD start?

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Meredith Snapp: Sure.

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Leonard Williams: Okay. So...so...um...I noticed it acutely in April of 2019. Okay. And what happened there was a massive, uh, criminal...uh...scam...uh...was ran on me, and I was basically kidnapped. And again...I've...I've got a rationale for...for...for...you know...cause it's...it's...it's not...it's not what you normally think is kidnapping. That's what it was. Okay. It was done...done with the guise of a...uh...civil commitment petition. Now that was April of 2019. Now...I do believe...um...that I was experiencing...uh...uh...this hostility and this emotional pain to some degree before then. Now...now...the reason I say that is cause on my records at Atrium...uh...you know...the person that...that was involved in the civil commitment...uh...petition...the petitioner...I believe they call her...um...she had made some comments...uh...about how...um...that I...that I'll be talking normally and all of a sudden I'll get hostile. Something like that, she says. So I...I...I didn't recall... cause again...the profound symptoms started in April of 2019. Uh, they got extremely profound in May. Okay. And that was...that was the...so...so again...that...that's when I recalled it. But then when I started looking at my records, I noticed she had said that. So I'd say probably, you know, a couple months before then in February. So I'd had some symptoms there. Um...

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Meredith Snapp: Leonard, can you tell me the...you were...you were kidnapped?

Leonard Williams: Uh, yeah. Yes...yes...yes...yes...yes. It was a...it was a kidnapping...uh...under the guise...uh...of a...um...uh...civil...uh...commitment petition. Okay. And of course, I know that this...this...this...this whole...uh...this whole thing sounds insane, but let me give you the background here. Uh...so what happens...um...is I...I moved...uh...from...from...uh...the mountains of Western North Carolina...this is background...to Charlotte...uh...in 2011. Okay. Now, I left behind a huge, huge fricking

mess, uh, that didn't need...uh...to make it up here. uh...um...okay...so...so this included...uh...people that had made attempts on my life. Okay. That been out to get me for...you know...out for me for a long time. Um, I was also treated a very stigmatized...uh...horrible rumors went...went around me...uh...concerning my mental health history.

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Leonard Williams: Okay. So this hell had to be...uh...uh...left there. Okay. And...and so, um, the first job I get...I get a job at Bank of America. I work there. I'm laid off, and then I get a job at Wells Fargo in November 13. Okay. And...and...and so fast forward...and the...the initial...um...violation of the law, um, that occurred...uh...regarding me was a civil violation. Uh, where we had this...this senior manager at Wells Fargo...who was an idiot that didn't get along with me...um...had this girl...quote unquote look into my past. Okay. So this is a civil intrusion upon seclusion...uh...violation of the privacy. Uh...now what happens is...is I...I don't know that Wells Fargo was behind it; I just know that this girl's talked to some people and they told her this garbage, and I kind of need to be in part of this conversation that was never supposed to happen.

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Leonard Williams: Cause again...this...you know...you know this looking into my past...And what she did...by the way...is she got me to give her a link to my Facebook profile and contacted someone on my...um...uh...Facebook who was told...and she was told a bunch of garbage. Oh...uh...okay...so...so I...I beg and plead and screamed...threatened with this girl...I mean...over and over for...for from...from December 17th...all the way up until April 19. And then April of 19...I start making some threats...okay. And what this prompts is a massive wave of crime...uh...on the part of Wells Fargo. Okay. And...and...and so...um...uh...what happens...um...is...uh...me and this girl...um...uh...are...and of course you can see the whole...and you can read my complaint. It has the whole narrative of it. It's...it's on...started on about April 17 or so...uh...me and this girl...Jenny, who...

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Meredith Snapp: 2020 or 2019?

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Leonard Williams: 2019...sorry...yeah, 2019. So...so April 17th, 2019, around there, me and this girl...um Jenny, uh, we start arguing about this whole situation again. Okay. Because we've been arguing about it forever. She...she...she repeatedly says...uh...it never happened. Uh...but there's too many suspect details that make it clear to me that...that it has. And so what happens is, me and her have been arguing about this for years. And...um...um...and this...this...this kind of dispute that we have kind of goes on...on and off for a few days now...then on April of...uh...April 21st...uh...2019...um...I'd had a dispute with her and I'd made a heated...uh...comment about...you know...don't have nobody come over here and get me cause I'm gonna be a vegetable, or something like this. Basically, I was making a reference to what would happen if my...if I poisoned myself

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Leonard Williams: And she sent someone over here...you know...to...to...to...to get me...okay. Um...and what she does...um...is she goes...uh...to the...to the magistrate and...uh...uses this...uh...as an excuse...uh...the...this an excuse that I have made...uh...this...this vague...Again...it was...it was...it was a heated emotional statement. I've made these statements all the time. You know...I have...uh...um...you know...out of emotional pain and things like this. And of course, my...uh...um...um...I kind of overreact...uh...how do I say this? Sorry...I'm getting tongue tied here. Um...this whole situation has caused me a lot of emotional pain. And it has caused me to have...um...you know...say suicidal type things or have suicidal ideations...uh...for a long time. Okay. So she goes and fill out a civil commitment petition...uh...with the Magistrate in Charlotte.

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Leonard Williams: Okay. Now, this thing that I described where I had in my privacy invaded...uh...this was entered on the civil commitment petition...um...as...uh...that I quote...uh...thought my friends were out to get me. And that I was having paranoid delusions. So again, I think a workplace privacy violation has happened is characterized "I think my friends were out to get me." Uh...she says that I have...uh...detailed plans to commit suicide or something like this. Okay. And so...um...uh...what happens is...this is on the 21st that we're arguing...uh...I don't know that she's filled out this petition until all of the sudden...um...uh...at 11:03 PM at my door is an officer of the Charlotte Mecklenburg...uh...uh...police...uh...who enters my residence against my consent. I told I didn't want...as I said...no...I'm fine. I need you...you know...I'm going to bed.

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Leonard Williams: He says...well...I going to have to come in. Okay. So he enters my apartment against my consent. Uh, he proceeds to tell me because of the nature of what's happened, they're gonna have to have somebody come and look at me, [that] I'm not under arrest, and he gives me this whole spiel. He puts me in handcuffs against my consent. He puts me in patrol car against my consent and drives me to 501 Billingsley Road against my consent. Uh, now on the way there, um, he admits, uh, that he does not have, uh, this civil commitment petition in his possession. Cause I start asking...I say...so...so she filed some paperwork and he starts saying something like...well...you know...who...whoever...whoever did will...will sign it or whoever did...will file it or some something like this. What he is saying, uh, makes it very clear, uh, that he is not in possession of this, um, civil commitment petition.

Okay. So I go to Atrium Health 501 Billingsley Road at their inpatient unit. Um...and I'm very eager and anxious to see a doctor cause this whole thing is bullshit. I'm convinced that...you know...that I can...that I can...uh...you know very...very transparently...you know...this is this whole thing...claiming that I have delusions and paranoia and whatever other garbage that she said...it's bullshit. And I can also show them these...these texts where it's like...you know...I just very briefly made a heated statement. And for...by the way...after I made this heated statement about don't send me...don't send 'em over here because I'll be a vegetable. There was like a period of three hours that I'm doing very, very good. I'm cool as a cucumber. So...so anyhow...um...uh...while I'm there...uh...what happens...uh...the officer goes and gets the...the...the petition, uh, from the magistrate's office and brings it to the gentleman at the door at Atrium.

Uh, there is an exchange there of where the...where the Charlotte Mecklenburg...uh...police...uh...says...we will just say...uh...that we will just put 'em...make them the

same...so that we can say we put the wrong time. Okay. That's...that's the words that he says. He says...we will make them the same. That way we can say we put them at the wrong time. Sorry...sorry that we put the wrong time. Uh, now, um...this again was April, 2019. It was January. Um...I ordered this petition from the...uh...atrium Health Records. Uh...and what he's talking about there is that on...uh...this civil...uh...commitment petition...uh...they put the time that I was taken into custody at 11:43 PM. Okay. That's the...what that means...that's the time I'm thrown in handcuffs and placed in his patrol car is supposed to be. Okay.

Uh, the time I'm delivered to the inpatient unit is also 11:43...uh...uh...pm. Okay. So there's a very obvious purpose here that they're giving plausible deniability over the fact that he was not in possession of the civil commitment petition when he is here. So they know...they go to the magistrates audit file and they put the real time on there that he got at my house...11:03. Uh...you know...this...this defies the laws of nature. He can't be at the magistrate's office at...you know...11:35 and get this petition and take it to me at 11:0... okay. Okay. Now...now...so...so again...this whole thing...was a kidnapping...uh...very simply for the following reasons. Um...and this is according to North Carolina law...um...that...uh...the civil commitment petition...uh...in his possession is what gives him the right to enter my residence against my will, to put me in handcuffs against my will, and to transport me... Okay. Uh...so having no legal right to do any of this. Okay, Uh, he puts me in handcuffs...he puts me in his car...uh...transports me. Um...and...and of course this was carried out as part of a series of healthcare frauds. Uh... cause again...now the thing is...

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Meredith Snapp: So you were committed to the Billingsley behavioral health...um...because somebody at your work was concerned that you had suicidal ideation.

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Leonard Williams: No...no...no...no...no. So...so...so...so what it was is...again...okay...so let...let me go back. And again...there's a massive...uh...backstory. And we...we unfortunately...you know...it would take probably 10 appointments for me to tell you the whole thing. Uh...but again...so the girl in question that filed this petition...uh...this is the girl...uh...that...that did the invasion of my privacy...um...in 2017. Okay. So we have this dumb ass...uh...senior manager at Wells Fargo. Uh...he can't get along with me...and he gets this girl to quote unquote look into my past...okay. Now...the thing is...is for the longest time I didn't know that Wells Fargo was behind it. And so I'm arguing...uh...with her. Now...of course...as I later found out...uh...Wells Fargo is behind this whole thing. They have...uh...the whole time.

Uh...and they're the ones...uh...behind...you know...that they have her go and fill out this petition ok...so she's the petitioner. And again...my claim that a workplace privacy violation...uh...has occurred...uh...that I have very...very good reasons for...is put that I have a paranoid...uh...delusion...okay. That I think my friends are out to get me. Now...how...how the hell is this? Uh...when I say you violated my privacy...you know...you...this individual...you and this other girl potentially cause of this other girl that knew about it...I was convinced...but when I say one to two people...uh...violated my privacy at work...how in God's name is this thinking my friends are out to get...I mean this is bullshit. Um...and she did put on there...she put on there that I had detail...plans detailing suicide...uh...which I did not.

I just very...I made a heated statement...um...um...all of the sudden...um...uh...and now...now another part that...that...that comes into effect here...um...is...is that there was a crisis counselor...uh...that accompanied her...uh...to the magistrate's office. Okay. So...so this...this girl told me this after the fact. And by the way...this girl...um...you'll see her referenced...her name is Jenny. Um...she...she's kind of pitiful. Um...she...she just doesn't get the gravity of what's happened. And so she splurges this detail to me that this crisis counselor...uh...went...went with her...uh...well...this crisis counselor...uh...was at my house on April 17th. Um...and these people...theres's two of them...uh...and they were paid to create a fraudulent healthcare record. Again...and I know...I mean...this sounds absolutely insane...believe me.

I know it. Uh...it's absolutely true. I...I...beyond a doubt I've had other people...you know...it's...it's very clearly...um...uh...the case...uh...then...and what happens there is...is they come in here and I'd had a bad day. I was very...I'm...I'm agitated. Um...but again...if you look at my history at...at Atrium... cause again...this is on April 17...uh...these crisis counselors were at my...uh...apartment. But you look...I have a very, very lengthy history of being very, very stable. Uh...very clearly. There's not a damn thing wrong with me. Okay. These crisis counselors come in here...uh...there are two of them now...now one of them. And this...by the way...this girl...Jenny...she gives me these people's numbers. She's begging me to talk to them. She's like insistent I talk to them...and so finally Um...I agree.

Now...of course...it's suspected me a little bit of the fact...you know...this girl...she's...she's been up to no good. And here she's given me the number to call this cris.... You know...again...you know...the number's supplied by Jenny. Um...uh...which at this point...you know...as...as I'm arguing with Jenny and going over this stuff...um...it's like...I don't what the hell to think of Jenny . So we have these two crisis counselors come here. Uh...one of them...uh...kind of listens to my narrative and what I'm saying...and I explain all the background. Uh...the other one...um...is focused on two questions...okay. And she interrupts me repeatedly and says...what we need to know is, do you have a mental illness? Okay. I mean...over and over and over again. Uh...she's obsessed with...do I have a mental illness.

Okay. Now...as I'm giving my narrative and telling about my history and all this...which I kind of be...I tend to be overly kind of overly detailed. I have autism. And so I kind of speak in...I tend to tell the whole story in excessive detail. And so I'll say...you know...and then when I was...uh...you know...such and such age...you know...I...I was 13...I was treated for conduct disorder as a kid. And...uh...you know...and this can be...you know...this is kind like the premature version of this...what they call antisocial whatever. And so she jumps in...like...so that's your diagnosis...okay. So she zeroed in obsessively...like it's very important to her. Her sole concerns are; do I have a mental illness? And what is my diagnosis? Okay. And...and...uh...so these crisis counselors tell me that all I need tell me that I've just had a bad day that all I need to do is eat a cheeseburger or work on my computer.

Okay. That's what they tell me. Uh...now when I retrieve their internal notes...um...there's a bunch of garbage on there that's saying that I...that I'm paranoid...delusional...uh...that...that I live in a malodorous apartment that I'm sweating inside my...that I'm covered in sweat and it's cool in my apartment...but I'm covered in sweat. Again...my apartment's malodorous. Uh...there...there's piles of trash. Uh...it's over and over and over again. Paranoid...paranoid. And then the other thing they put in there is they put that I'm overweight. Okay. Um...and...and so it's like...you know...it says...says general impression. They put...uh...overweight...malodorous paranoid...and this...this...uh...uh...uh...garbage...okay. So this is obviously...uh...quite

dramatically...um...different...uh...to tell me this...uh...you know...then...then what they told me to eat a cheeseburger and work on my computer. Cause I've had a bad day. Okay. Now...now...now...um...

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Meredith Snapp: Leonard, if I can interject, are you working with a psychiatrist now?

Leonard Williams: Uh...yes. So...so...so I...I...I see I go to Atrium Health for regular care. Uh...the reason I came...uh...uh...to you well...is one cause you're not Atrium Health. Um...and...and I need...and...and two...because it looks like that you have some kind of thing where you can accept Medicaid for a...uh...for...for a brain scan. Cause what I need...uh...very badly is I need a brain scan.

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Meredith Snapp: And so you've never had a picture of your brain?

Leonard Williams: Um...well...not since I had the PTSD. Um...so...so...and...and...and it was roughly...I believe it was May of 2018...um...around there. Yeah. That've been about right. No...actually...sorry...it was January or so of 2018...between January-May 2018, I had an MRI over this cognitive impairment that my Zyprexa causes. Uh...so what happens is zy...I use Zyprexa and olanzapine interchangeably...okay. So that's what I'm talking about. I think I actually take olanzapine...but you know...the...the ones a generic. What happens is...um...over the years...uh...starting...I started to acutely notice that around age maybe 30...31...it actually...once I reflected on this...it started happening earlier than that...probably 27...28. Uh...but I'd had started...I had increasing...uh...cognitive...uh...problems...okay. And...and so it starts out...I start to notice that I get really forgetful...especially like in the short term.

So I'll be talking...uh...you know...it's like all of a sudden I just forget what I'm talking about. And of course...this happens to a lot of people. Um...uh...and it didn't norm...but it didn't normally happen to me. And it sure as hell didn't happen with so much frequency. Uh...then...uh...the next thing...uh...I noticed...um...later on is like...it's getting worse and worse. And the kind the next big...uh...kind of...um...landmark...um...is when I get to the point that I'm...that I'm going...like...I'll have an interview for a job and the person will be talking and there'll be some question that I have to ask them or something that I need to say. Um...and what I have to do is I have to repeat it in my mind what I wanna say. I have to repeat it over and over and over again...because if I don't...I'm gonna forget it in a second. Okay.

Uh...now the breaking point comes...and this is another landmark...is why I'm so out of it that I pull out in front of somebody at Walmart...okay. My mind is gone. So I go to...uh...Metro Line Neurology Associates and...uh...the...the neurologist there...how Howard Mandel...uh...you know...he tells me...he says...we're going to get an MRI; we're going to get a...uh...um...uh...um...I think it's an EEG...one of these...one of these brain...these brain electrical activity... we're going to get psych...neuro-psych testing. So we're going to get all this...he says...but my hunch is...is it is your Zyprexa. He says...I've seen this happen...um...a lot. And so he recommends that I immediately work with my...um...providers...uh...to find an alternative medication to treat my...um...bipolar...um...condition. Uh...now what happens is...is unfortunately...uh...you know...the Zyprexa had always caused me to have a...a terrible problem...uh...with oversleeping.

And...uh...so...so...you know...I tried every medicine under the sun previously when I lived in the mountains to try to get off Zyprexa. It turns out Zyprexa is the only thing that that works for me. Uh...now what happens though is that I do remember that I...that I...that I had not fully...uh...did a regimen of Depakote and see if Depakote would work. So me and my provider at Atrium try to put me on Depakote to a replace the Zyprexa. Uh...now what happens here is the Depakote doesn't work. I have terrible...um...symptoms. And...you know...the end...the end solution of this is that...that I go on a...a variable dose of Zyprexa. I...I don't take 15 milligrams. That's way too much. I take five to 10...okay. Cause what happens with this cognitive impairment is it happens profoundly at 15 milligrams.

It happens less profoundly at 10 milligrams, and it happens much less profoundly at five milligrams. And then...and then the other effect is...is that when I take 10 or 15 milligrams...it compounds...okay. So it's not like...not like I have a persistent...uh...um...uh...level of cognitive impairment at 10 milligrams. It's like if I take 10 milligrams over and over and over again night after night after night...uh...it will compound. Uh...and so what I do is...is some nights I take five...uh...some nights I take...um...uh...10. Now...now since I've had this PTSD...by the way...I've been taking mostly 10. Uh...but before that...um...you know...I would take five...maybe four or five nights a week. The other...the other two nights a week, I would take 10. And my thought process here is...it's like Mo... and again...I really feel like that most likely in terms of my bipolar I symptoms...five milligrams is all I need.

But it's almost like an extra insurance. I kind of picture is like this kind of brain chemistry...uh...that's going kind of up and down and you can't get let the waves get too out control. And so, if I have a kind of a slight...uh...you know...if there's some kind of slight or medium size effect...with this five milligrams...uh...you know...then...then...you know...intermittently interjecting 10 milligrams...uh...you know...will help kind of ke... again...you know...it's...it's like some extra...uh...to put things back. Uh...you know...how do say this...to keep things from getting out of control...you know...significant...I don't know how to say it...but you...do you understand the analogy I'm making...basically like how I picture is like brain chemistry and it's like...you know...

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Meredith Snapp: Yeah, yeah. So what came out of Dr. Mandel's evaluation...the MRI...the EEG...

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Leonard Williams: Yes. So...so it was fine...yeah. Was...yeah...that I showed no symp... there...there was no signs of anything...any...anything whatsoever.

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Meredith Snapp: Did you receive any brain trauma, an injury to your brain? Not psychological, but a physical injury?

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Leonard Williams: Well...so...so now...now that that's the part...as I understand it...that that post-traumatic stress disorder...um...is caused by traumatic injury to the brain, involving stress hormones. In other words...the PTSD is...you know...it is a result of a...of...of a...in other words...it's...you know...it's almost like organic brain damage or something. You see what I'm saying? I mean...is that not...is that...is that not how you understand it? Okay. I can't hear you

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Meredith Snapp: Do you have an external injury to the Brain? A car accident...

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Leonard Williams: No...no...no...no. Nothing. Nothing like that. Nothing like that.

Now...now...now...when I was seven...um...I...I...I did...um...I was jumping on the bed and I knocked the hell outta my head on one of the bed posts...and it put like a big...um...big knot on my forehead right here. Um...but apparently I...I...I...so if the MRI would've captured any injury resulting of that...I don't have one. Uh...you know...but that's the only thing that I would think that would remotely qualify as any kind of...uh...you know...again...when you're...you're seven...you know...yeah. Your brain is...you know...it's...it's...it's not like it's made out metal. And I can imagine that maybe there's kind of impact there. Uh...but...but no...but no...I...I've never...but it's entirely...it's entirely...uh...when I say that I need a picture of my brain imagery...uh...injury...uh...I'm explicitly referring to...uh...what I believe...uh...to have occurred...uh...that has caused my ptsd. And...and in other words...this...this...you know...and I don't fully understand it...you know...or I don't know the...the entire nuances of it. Um...but the part I do understand is...is...is...um...uh...again...that...you know...that there's some kind of...uh...you know...that this extreme stress...uh...causes an actual...it's like a physical injury to your brain. That's how I've understood it.

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Meredith Snapp: Okay. So, um...we, a...a brain mri...an MRI is the most...um...detailed picture we can get of the brain. Um, and, um...it is...uh...a good thing to do with if...if there's any trouble with...um...memory or psychological stress...um...you know...can all come from...um...uh...problems in the brain. Um...the fact that you had a normal one in 2018...it is super reassuring. Um...but I hear you...you're saying like...things are worse.

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Leonard Williams: Yes. So...so again...so...so 2018...I had not yet had the ptsd

Meredith Snapp: mm-hmm. <affirmative>.

Leonard Williams: And so...again...I...I...I think that as a result of traumatic stress...again...resulting from...again...going back...what this officer does in...in...in...in practice, as well as the matter of law...um...he kidnapped me. Okay. Because he...because again...now the thing is this officer...by the way...uh...he's poor little Jenny. He...he's her...he's...he's her neighbor...okay. And so...like Jenny's crisis counselor friend...uh...you know...that she procures to come over here and tell me I need...need a cheeseburger, and writes up this gargantuan...uh...report that put paints me in the worst light possible...including...and again...one of the giveaways to me...by the way...um...is the fact...uh...that...that...that they put that I'm overweight.

Okay. What function does this detail serve to a crisis counselor other than to put me in the worst light possible? You see what I'm saying? 70% of their patients are overweig...of people are overweight. Do they...on 70% of their reports...do they put in their impression this person is overweight. That sounds like garbage. Um...uh...but...but...but you know...again...why I say...again...it's under the law and also as a matter of practice... cause again...my brain...uh...does not know the difference between the

law...what's lawful and what's not. Uh...my brain just knows what happened. So...so say it was...say it was perfectly legal for the police to come here and just beat the living shit outta me. Okay...they can come in here and pound me black and blue. It was permanently...it was perfectly legal. Uh...well...my brain...my body...uh...does not know the difference between illegal pulverizing and a legal pulverizing.

Uh...all it knows is it's been pulverized. Um...and it's the same thing is...is...is...is you got to understand that this thing that happened at my work...um...caused me unbelievable, enormous stress when it happened. Okay. It was like I was doing so well...and I go into like a downward spiral where I'm living in hell...um...in...in intermittently. I mean...I cry; I scream. I've gotten...I've gotten suicidal over it...uh...uh...uh...at least once that I recall. Uh...actually more than that. Um...I mean...it was terribly...terribly. And so what happens is...I beg this girl...it's like...why will you not tell me? Cause again...I've got people who wanna fucking kill me out in the mountains out there. I need to know who the hell's talking to and what information you're giving 'em. Uh...you know...again...it's the whole fucking nightmare left behind.

Uh...now...now...once they bring this nightmare here...um...I need to be part of the picture. That was...that was the concern. Another concern is don't even know what the hell these people say. Okay. In terms of these rumors that they spread about me...I've got some inklings or some ideas about what they might say. I know it stems from my...my mental health history...um...for sure. Um...and so something about...you know...that I've been to a mental institution and I'm some kind of mental...uh...you know...these people on the mountains...uh...you know...they perceive that this hospital I went to is in Morganton, North Carolina. It's called Broughton. Uh...now...when I'm growing up...uh...in...in...in the mountains up there...uh... Broughton Hospital is perceived as this place where it's like, you know, people are chained to the wall and it's like, you know, stay the right, cause Hannibal lectures on the left, okay.

That...that's how the people see it. And so once I've been sent there...all these rumors get started. I mean, it destroys my life. Uh...and again...that's...that's a side note to the fact that I've literally had people make attempts on my life...uh...for sure. Oh...oh...okay. And so what happens is...I'm feeling totally worthless. Like...like...I mean...I have no worth whatsoever. And I beg and plead...and eventually I get to the point like, here, will you just admit that I have a reason to think this...okay. That all this bullshit that you've told me doesn't make sense. Uh...uh...uh...you know...which I...I detailed the complaint a lot of this bullshit she tells me...again this poor girl. She's not all there. Uh...which is another thing that pisses me off...uh...beyond belief that these goddamn thugs at Wells Fargo...they're sitting on a hundred billion dollars and they hide behind this little girl...okay.

It's fucking pathetic. But again...I'm sitting here...I'm feeling totally worthless...I beg and plead...and then the next thing they do is have some punk ass fucking officer come here and throw me in handcuffs...okay. And take me to this goddamn hospital again...in a kidnapping. Okay. So...so first off...under the law...um...it is not sufficient...the law says...you know the...I can't remember what chapter it is...you know the North Carolina statute. It says the person has threatened suicide or has made plans of suicide and there's a reasonable probability. Uh...first off...I've made these heated statements before, I was cool as a cucumber for three hours. This officer comes and gets me. I'm totally...uh...totally...uh...um...fine...fine. So even then...there wasn't a sufficient...uh...reason in my mind...uh...uh...to...to file...um...uh...this petition un under the law.

Now...now...what complicates that is these goddamn magistrates will sign anything you put in front of him. Okay. Now...now...now...given that the magistrate signed that, had he had it in his

possession...um...you might think...okay...this was...this was a legal...uh...legal while he did. Cause he's got the possession petition...his possession...uh...well first he didn't have it in his possession. Uh...second...uh...he for sure...uh...knew that this thing was fraudulent. Uh...uh...uh...knew this...this...this petition...uh...was fraud. Okay. He was part of...of this...um...uh...uh...uh...uh...scam. And...and of course then what happens is I go to atrium and the destruction of my life immediately follows...okay. Cause let me tell you...atrium Health are...I mean...they're rabid foaming at the mouth criminals...okay. They've been criminally victimizing me...uh...ever since then.

Okay. So I...I start telling all the suspect details of what happens with this...uh...civil commitment petition, about how this girl's here...and she's preoccupied with do I have a mental illness? How the officer doesn't have the petition. Um...and of course...again...this is in...in...in April or May...that I'm telling them this. And...and it was only...April...May of 2019. It's not until January 2020 that I get this petition and I realize what's happened here with this "We'll make the times the same". Okay. They've deliberately fraudulently authored...um...this petition again...this...this...make 'em the same. That's for plausible deniability. So...you know...if...if they're ever examined on the audit and the magistrates audit file says this civil commitment petition was handed out at 1135...what time did you take him into custody? What time did you examine him? And they can say...oh man, you know, we must have put the wrong time.

We put them both the same...that that's the meaning of...of that exchange. Uh...now the next thing that happens...um...is...uh...because you know...what happens...by the way...is...is...and I was very happy about this with Atrium...um...is I'm interviewed by multiple doctors. So, April Morciglio is the first one they call her Morci...I believe...that interviews me. Okay. She won't listen to look Goddamn word that I say. Um...quite likely. Um...she was part of this whole fucking scam. Um...uh...and she tells me that I'm manic and I'm paranoid and all this...that I need to be stay there to...or actually...she tells me that she thinks I'm manic. And...uh...I forget what else she says that...that I can't remember what the hell else she said. Um...but then the thing is on her notes...she just puts that I...that I talked about suicide in a text...according to my friend...I need to be...need to be kept over...okay.

Now...what happens here is I've been in this situation before where you've got some doctor that will not listen to you...okay. Cause again...I'm this doctor's prisoner...um...they're the person that lets me out. Uh...so what I do I, s I decide that here...I'm never gonna get outta here if I don't agree with her that I've got this kind of brain chemistry problem...uh...that causes me to have what's described as a paranoid delusion that might...okay. And so I start saying...well...hey...I think I've got a legitimate problem. I tell the nurse...uh...and I think I have some reasons to...to to think what I think as well. And I ask for some extra...uh...um...uh...medication. Uh...what happens though is despite my claims that the contrary...uh...these other doctors at Atrium independently conclude there's not a damn thing wrong with me.

Okay. Uh...then I'm perfectly fine. Okay. Now...now...now again...at this point that...that...that this happened in April of 19...again...I still did not fully realize just how much Wells Fargo...uh...was behind this entire thing. I tell my other man...my manager in the...uh...in the...and you'll see that in the chat...the chat history that I gave you. Uh...and what this triggers is now I'm Wells Fargo with sweating bullets over what my hospital may have on their...um...records against them. Cause again...you know...again...um...at that point Wells Fargo damn well knows that they've committed a slew of crimes. And here my hospital's called bullshit. So in June of 2019...um...uh...they...that their finance lady starts

to make attempts to fraudulently file a Medicaid application to get my medical records and send 'em to Wells Fargo. Okay. Now that...that's

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Meredith Snapp: Leonard...that's okay. We don't need to go over that again. Um...so...um...the current psychiatrist that you're working with...is that Dr. Phillip Murray?

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Leonard Williams: Uh...no so...so...so he left and I'm working with...um...uh...I can't...I just got a new one because he just left...I can't remember her name. Her name was Wright. I think it's Dr. Wright.

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Meredith Snapp: Okay. Okay. Um...and...but it's still at...um...atrium.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah...yeah...yeah...yeah...yeah. Again...there's...there's...there's the problem here with Atrium. Uh...there's...yeah...they're engaged in ongoing...uh...I mean...they're foaming at the mouth criminals. Okay. I mean...so...

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Meredith Snapp: So here's the thing. Um...so...um...I can...um...I can order you the brain mri. Okay. I really hope that's going to come back normal. I would hope and expect it to come back normal. Um...because the...um...types of things that...um...traumatic stress does to the brain...we don't always see it. It doesn't always show up on a picture. Um...you know...the things that happen chemically...but it doesn't necessarily show up on a picture

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Leonard Williams: Okay.

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Meredith Snapp: the purpose of a brain mri though...is to rule out other things...right? Make sure there isn't...um...scarring or damage...infection...inflammation...God forbids strokes...God forbid...tumors...right? You know...other things that could affect your brain health. Um...so I am happy to do that. Um...and then...um...I think that your long-term treatment though is going to need to stay with psychiatry. Um...of course managing that...um...that post-traumatic stress...I love that you're in the therapy and it sounds like that's been helping somewhat. And then of course...the psychiatrists help with the medications to manage to manage it. Um...so...um...the...uh...I just want to mention that...um...uh...Adderall can sometimes make things worse rather than better as far as...um...ptsd symptoms or...um...uh...you know...or your thought processes. I understand you take that for...um...for ADD. Yeah. Um...but that's something that you and your psychiatrist want to think about is like...sometimes those medicines do more harm than Good.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah. So...so I interject there...okay. That's the last thing we're gonna talk about. Um...I understand I fully...and I know your line of thought and that it's documented that sometimes it can increase...uh...this hyper arousal. What I can tell you though is that my Adderall...um...helps with my PTSD...uh...more than anything.

Meredith Snapp: Okay.

Leonard Williams: Uh...uh...you know...and then that's what I've been asking them for forever...they won't give me...is I've been asking...uh...for more. Okay. It...it helps in numerous ways, which by the way. Um...you know...you can google...there...there are a lot of studies that will show that in some cases the Adderall...uh...will help. Now...now...now...what are you referring to as thought processes? What...what do you mean there?

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Meredith Snapp: Well, yeah, like, so you were saying that you've got trouble with your...um...attention...right? Your short-term memory...

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Leonard Williams: Okay. And so you're saying that the Adderall can affect my thought processes and affect my short-term memory...

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Meredith Snapp: Uh...correct.

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Leonard Williams: But it would've a therapeutic effect on both of those...would it not?

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Meredith Snapp: It may. Um, and then it can work...it can destabilize the mood...right? So...you know with bipolar the mood kind of shifts up.

Leonard Williams: Yes.

Meredith Snapp: Again...and...um...um...Adderall can worsen irritability...which like, you know, you're saying you're having these waves with just like hostile...irritable.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah...yeah.

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Meredith Snapp: That's...um...can be a side effect of Adderall.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah. So...so let me interject there. Okay. So again...I've been taking Adderall for God knows how long...well...over a decade. Um...and before this happened...I never

had...uh...um...uh...this...um...effect. And again...so the thing is...is the Adderall and the...and the Zyprexa...uh...they're like the perfect recipe. And then also the citalopram I was taking...uh...but now they take me off the citalopram actually...I've discovered I feel better without the citalopram...which you got to understand that Adderall and Zyprexa kept me stable...uh...for years. I mean...well over a decade...okay. And that's part of the reason that there was a hesitancy to...to...to even monkey with it. But then it's caused me this cognitive...um...uh...impairment. Uh...so again...I I...I understand that like there's...there's...there's literature and there's research and studies...uh...that hey...it can fluctuate your mood and it can do all the stuff.

Uh...but again...I've got 14 years...20 years...God knows how long...uh...that it did not do that. You see what I'm saying? And...and this is another...this frustrates me by the way...um...uh...because to me it's kind of clear how this works...uh...is these...these...uh...psychotropic medications...um...you know, it's not like a heart medicine...okay. So like...somebody got a...a condition...they gotta take a medicine for their heart. Uh...the doctor can probably tell them like...Hey...it does this...it does this...it does this...and this is why it works. Uh...these psychotropics...it's like...it's almost like...it's kind of like a gambling to see what works. In other words...if...you know...if...if I go on a psychotropic a medication...uh...regimen, and I'm...and I'm on this medicine, then this medicine...one of 'em works...one of 'em doesn't.

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Leonard Williams: You know...say I go through three that don't work...I find one that does. Uh...there's not a single human being on the face of the earth that can tell me for hundred percent sure the exact mechanism as to how that fourth medication...uh...um...uh...you know...as to how it works...why it works. Uh...we just know...uh...that it does. And...and this is the frustration I have talking to doctors constantly...is I got a history of being very...very well on certain medications. Um...and they want throw up is like everyone wants to...to bring up what the literature says about this. You...what might happen. Uh...you know...these facts on paper...which I don't contest at all...that those do not happen to a lot of people. That do not happen to some people. I mean...it...it happens. Um...but...but again...when I've got a decades long history of...of doing well on medications it's...to me it's like...you know...this hypothetical what could happen...what does happen to some people...um...is not...um...uh...you know...it is not relevant. It's...you see what I'm saying?

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Meredith Snapp: I do. I fully support that Leonard...I completely agree. You've got to figure out what works for your body.

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Leonard Williams: Yeah...yeah. Again...yeah. And that's why like for instance...I've been asking Atrium...uh...uh...to up my Adderall...um...forever...uh...because it helps me. So...so again...what they do is they build in extras into my prescriptions. So I've got like six extras each each month that I can take. But what I wanted was, I wanted my dose up to 60 milligrams. Um...because uh...that would help me. And I know that from taking these extras. And of course, I think I document one time on your online portal there, that it's been months ago...uh...that I end up running outta Adderall. Um...because I have these severe PTSD symptoms. And of course they're so disturbing...they're so distressing. Uh...they're

so...um...you know...so terrible. Uh...it's kind alike a lot of times like irresistible when I know that Adderall's gonna help me.

It's like...how...how can I not...um...um...take it? And of course I've been doing a lot better...you know...that was only...that happened way back...you know...September last year or something...something...uh...like this. But again...I tell Atrium this helps me...and they refer back to again...these facts that you referenced. Uh...Adderall can make PTSD worse. Uh...Adderall can...can inflame your flare up...your...your...your...your mood. Okay. And...and it's like...you know...where's the fact I just freaking told you...I've been telling you for months that it helps me. Where...where does that factor in? Okay...does this get zero weight? Okay, where's the fact that for 10 years I've been taking this...uh...which...which by the way...I took one of my extras today. Uh...you'll probably notice that I'm kind of...uh...you know...I'm a little...you know...a little extra...extra energy...uh...um...um...um...uh...um...here.

Um...and part of that was because...again...part of what's occurred...um...is...is I am terrified of...of abuse of the mental health system. Okay. Cause what happens is these magistrates will sign anything...I've got people criminally abusing me. Okay. Like this fraudulent process with this officer...uh...at atrium...uh...you know...I'm like...I'm like a liability for all these people that are committing crimes against me. Uh...and it's like I'm de facto a prisoner at will of everyone...okay.

Meredith Snapp: Yeah.

Leonard Williams: But...but because anybody that knows this process...all they got to do is put something in front of the magistrate...uh...you know...and...and then there you're gonna be...and...and so...um...but...but

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Meredith Snapp: So Leonard, we're...um...we're gonna...we're gonna need to wrap it up here...but I wanted you to know that I've ordered that mri. Um...it...um...is gonna be...um...with and without contrast. So you'll get an IV medication that helps light up any abnormalities in the brain that we might otherwise miss. Um...and...um...they'll contact you once it's approved by insurance...you'll get a phone call to get scheduled for that test. I'll send you that result.

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Leonard Williams: Now...now can I ask you one question because again...it's very important...and I'm sorry...we...we getting this again...I've got such a backstory...um...but this depersonalization that I experience...would that to you be indicative of a very, very serious case of ptsd? Cause I have...and I haven't had this in a long time...um...

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Meredith Snapp: Leonard...there's a few things that could cause depersonalization. So it's not specific to PTSD

Leonard Williams : Yes.

And I think that question...um...uh...would really be best handled through the psychiatry department. They are the experts in diagnosing PTSD versus other psychiatric illnesses like, for example...bipolar disorder that can come with

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Leonard Williams: Yeah. So...so...so...so let me back. So for sure...um...without a doubt...uh...this depersonalization...which you're saying that depersonalization is a symptom of bipolar disorder.

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Meredith Snapp: Oh...it can be. So there's...um...a subset of people with bipolar disorder can...can be...um...have a delusional or paranoid...um...state

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Leonard Williams: Um...oh...okay. So...so depersonalization has not a damn thing to do with delusions and paranoid.

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Meredith Snapp: I...I hear you Leonard. I know you don't think that's the case. I'm talking about just like what can happen is that...um...that that can be a...a feature of that. But listen...these are questions for your psychiatrist, right. That they are the experts in...in diagnosing that.

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Leonard Williams: Okay. Okay. Okay. Okay. All right...well thank you.

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Meredith Snapp: Yeah...no problem. All right. So, um, they will be in touch with you about that scan. We'll let you know the results, okay.

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Leonard Williams: All right. Thank you.

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Meredith Snapp: You're so welcome. Take care of yourself.

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Leonard Williams: Bye-bye.

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Meredith Snapp: Bye-bye.