Required Court Admonishments

Adversary Hearing

If TMC is granted:

"Your parental and custodial rights and duties may be subject to restriction or to termination unless you are willing and able to provide your child(ren) with a safe environment." Tex. Fam. Code § 262.201(m).

Status Hearing

• If a parent is not represented by an attorney:

"You have a right to be represented by an attorney in this suit. If you are unable to afford an attorney, you have the right to have an attorney appointed for you, subject to a determination of indigence by this court." Tex. Fam. Code §§ 263.203(a), 107.013(a-1), and 263.0061.

• At the end of the Hearing:

"Your progress under the service plan will be reviewed at all subsequent hearings, including a review of whether you have acquired or learned any specific skills or knowledge stated in the plan." Tex. Fam. Code § 263.203(b).

"Your parental and custodial rights and duties may be subject to restriction or to termination unless you are willing and able to provide your child(ren) with a safe environment." Tex. Fam. Code § 263.006.

Permanency Hearing Before Final Hearing

• If a parent is not represented by an attorney:

"You have a right to be represented by an attorney in this suit. If you are unable to afford an attorney, you have the right to have an attorney appointed for you, subject to a determination of indigence by this court." Tex. Fam. Code §§ 263.0061 and 107.013(a-1).

At the end of the Hearing:

"Your parental and custodial rights and duties may be subject to restriction or to termination unless you are willing and able to provide your child(ren) with a safe environment." Tex. Fam. Code § 263.006.