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A In those police reports were narrative

statements, an extensive over a hundred pages of the

chronology of the events that occurred. I reviewed his,

excuse me a minute, medical records from his incarceration

at Seminole County Jail. I reviewed the records, and I

probably will mispronounce the name, is it Wuesthoff

Hospital?

Q Exactly, right.

A Okay. I also reviewed the report from Dr. Skolly-Danziger when I created this report. Let me see. I'm just checking my notes here. I believe those are the primary ones I reviewed.

Q Okay. Did you consider reports from Dr. Joseph Wu or Dr. Mark Erpst?

A Okay. Those I obtained after this report was generated, but since the report was generated I reviewed records from Dr. Wu which was an MRI and a PET scan, P-E-T, and then from a Dr. Erpst who reviewed -- did a blind study of the MRI and an updated report from Dr. Skolly-Danziger and a video of the actual shooting, I reviewed that since then.

Q Did you rely on -- is that a comprehensive list that you think you included everything?

A As best I can recall.

Q And you actually interviewed Mr. Bradley?

- 1 A Yes, I saw him on two occasions.
 - Q And were you assisted in your interview with Mr. Bradley?

A On the first one I had a resident with me,
Dr. Spicer, who came to fulfill part of her post doctoral
experience in order to obtaining in neuropsychology, she
was there and assisted me on the first one and I did the
seconds one all by myself.

Q How many -- how much time have you spent talking to Mr. Bradley including the testing done? Well break it down into this. Two meeting with him, part of that was an interview?

A Correct.

Q A portion of your meeting with him and other parts were devoted to testing, giving actual tests. So, can you break that down?

A I spent approximately six hours with Mr. Bradley, approximately half of it was obtaining information, what we call the interview stage, and the second half was for testing.

Q Did you -- in reviewing his records at the Seminole, the Polk Correctional Institute, did you note whether he was on psychotropic medication?

A Yes, not initially but definitely by the time I saw him at the second evaluation date.

- - A Primarily Risperidon which is an antipsychotic medication.
 - Q And Doxepin?

- A Yes, that's another one that's used to assist people who are having difficulties controlling there psychosis and require additional medication.
- Q You work in the criminal justice system, you work in the courts frequently and you have done evaluations of -- in criminal cases before, have you not?
- A Yes, on multiple occasions both hired by the -requested by the defense but also almost as frequently by
 the state in a court order.
- Q Those would be the state attorneys, the prosecuting offices?
 - A Yes, sir.
- Q As far as the ability of an inmate at a jail such as Mr. Bradley was when you saw him to obtain those psychotropic medications, that would require a prescription written by a medical doctor, a psychiatrist?
- A Correct. Correct. Although, regular doctors can prescribe some of the medications all though for more complicated they generally refer to a psychiatrist, and also a physician's assistant can prescribe medication but again usually it's at the request of a psychiatrist,

they're the one who direct and control the care of a patient.

- Q Did you tell Mr. Bradley what the reason for your evaluation was?
 - A Yes.

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- Q And why you were there to evaluate him?
- A Yes, and also I explained the non-confidentiality of this evaluation because people when they see a doctor, particularly a psychologist, assume confidentiality exists and in most cases it does but not this one.
- Q What did you tell Mr. Bradley was the reason that you were evaluating him?
- A For the first time I saw him in March I was evaluating him at the request of his attorney to assist with his legal case, and at the second time I went to see him in November I explained to him the purpose was to assess his understanding, ability to understand knowingly and voluntarily provide a statement to the police.
 - Q Did it help you to interview Mr. Bradley twice?
- A Of course, I often when I do neuropsychological evaluations break it up into two taste. First of all, the completion of a neuro-psychologic evaluation takes many hours, I get tired and I know that if I'm tired and I'm not doing most of the work, I know that the individual I'm

testing is probably even more tired than I am. So, I don't like to have fatigue become what I call an extraneous variable, a factor that could influence the outcome. So, I prefer to break it down.

Q Did you notice a change in his mental status between a first interview and a second interview?

A Yes, I did, during the first interview when I saw him he reported experiencing auditory hallucinations and his presentation was consistent with that. He appeared to be at times internally distracted, that's a way of saying that he was responding to internal stimuli whereas at the second interview I did not observe that.

Q And was there -- between the first and the second interview, was there an indication that he began the medication that you just described between the first and the second interview?

A Yes, and he reported at the time I was evaluating that he wasn't hearing voices.

Q Do you believe you could give a thorough competent evaluation in situations like -- a case like this, a death penalty case, without a face-to-face interview with the patient?

A It would be very difficult to provide an opinion in this situation given the severity of this legal case without having a face-to-face interview. I know that

people review records and I've done that and sometimes

I've been asked to do that but my confidence in my opinion
is significantly lower compared to my confidence in
providing an opinion when I have the opportunity to be
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Q Now, of course, there's always a potential in a case, a criminal case, in particular a death penalty case, for malingering or deception. Now, would you explain to the jury what malingering means and how you address that in your testing.

Α Okay. In the field of neuropsychology it is critical for us to have confidence that when I'm administering these tests that people are first of all reporting what they truly believe or perceive because there's a difference between perception and reality and -so, it's critical for me to have confidence that they're providing information they truly believe, and secondly that actually trying to complete these tasks with positive motivation and effort. We call that faking bad or malingering. When somebody purposely tries to do poorly on tests in order to manipulate the outcome of the evaluation, that's known as malingering. neuropsychologists we are at the very top in understanding and assessing malingering because it is most critical to our field, again both in malingering cognitive data,

that's the completion of these tests, as well as self
reported data, what they tell us about, the historical
background, their perceptions and understanding. So, when
I complete a test particularly for forensic purposes I
make sure that I administer sufficient measures of effort
and motivation so that I would have confidence in my
findings, without it this is useless.

Q So, on the issue of malingering or deception, does it help also to judge the person's body language, attentiveness to the task, whether the person is giving a full effort in your opinion, is that part of the assessment as to malingering?

A Yes, it's important to ensure that behavioral observations are consistent with the test results.

Q Describe one of the tests at the Paul House if I'm pronouncing that right.

A Yes, you are.

Q Deception test, would you describe that to the jury and what the results were?

A I find the Paul House Deception test is -- it's called the scales, PDS, I found that to be a particularly relevant test to administer particularly in regards to areas of competence. The Paul House deception scale is a measure of dissimilation which is a fancy way of saying lying. It has also measures of positive motivation, in

other words, is a person who's completing this trying to
positively manipulate the outcome. So, in other words, by
lying or exaggeration. This is related to self reported
data.

- Q Was the Advanced Clinical Solutions another test?
- A Yes, it is, it has a number of subtests that assesses the cognitive aspect of testing, whether or not a person was putting forth, you know, positive motivation and effort on paper, what we call paper and pencil tests.
 - Q And was that administered to Mr. Bradley?
 - A Yes, the three subtests were.

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- Q And what were the results of those two tests?
- A The results of these tests did not give any indication that he was purposely lying or dissimilating or trying to manipulate the outcome of the self reported data and there was no indication that he was trying to fake bad on the test.
- Q You also gave some standardized tests related to the Miranda issue, did you not?
- A Yes, I did and one of them actually had a test of malingering he passed that as well.
 - Q Okay. Was that the SAMA?
- A Yes, it was one of the subtests of the standardized administration of Miranda.

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point and then we'll take some of the other tests you did.

The standardized assessment of Miranda abilities, what is
that? Can you describe that to the jury and then what

Let's talk about the Miranda testing at this

scores you got from Mr. Bradley that test?

A It's a series of subtests that examines a person's understanding of the vocabulary, in other words, the words included in the Miranda rights, his comprehension on understanding of the Miranda rights, it also measures a persons misperceptions or distortions in understanding of the Miranda rights, and it also measures a person's level of acquiescing, in other words, how likely would that person acquiesce to a strong authority figure in their responses, as well as the specific details of the events surrounding the waiving of the Miranda rights.

Q Now, he scored at the first percentile on one of that test, did he not?

A Yes, he scored at the -- well, it depends upon how we frame it. He scored at ninety-ninth percentile in regards to his tendency to acquiesce.

Q Now, when we're talking about percentile, describe to the jury what that means, what information you get from that analysis of -- if you rank them according to a percentile score.

The way I describe this to my patients and all 1 the way from here up to here, if I have a hundred people 2 3 in my office, only -- if somebody scored at the ninety-nine percentile for something good like an IQ test, 4 5 I would tell this individual that if I asked everybody to leave to this room except for those who did as well as you 6 did, how many people would be left and if somebody scored 7 in the ninety-ninth percentile there would only be one 8 other person left in the room. Kids can get it this. 9 10 That's how well they did. But if this is a test that measures weaknesses it would have the opposite, in other 11 12 words, of the hundred ninety-nine people would do better 13 than you would have done on this test.

Q Okay. And what -- so, what was the components as to which he did a first percentile score?

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A Out of a hundred people he would be almost at the very bottom, there would be only be one person who did worse than he did.

Q So, overall with respect to the standardized assessment of -- standardized assessment of Miranda abilities, what was the overall performance on that test?

A He did extremely -- he has extremely high -- I know, we're switching back and forth. His tendency to acquiesce is extremely high, he would be somebody who would be very easily manipulated. He's a passive

dependent individual and be very easily manipulated by others.

Q Okay. On the other tests, the -- did you derive any further information from the SAMA you just discussed?

A Well, part of the problem is that Mr. Bradley reported having no memory of the time in which he reportedly freely, voluntarily, knowingly waived his Miranda rights. So, that aspect of the test I could not administer because he has absolutely no memory. However, not having that one piece in no way influenced the other aspects of the subtests that were administered.

Q In your experience and training, have you found that people who consume drugs around the time of an event like Xanax, benzodiazepines, for example, that that affects their memory?

A Oh, absolutely.

Q In what way?

A Let's talk about marijuana. I taught every grade level and when I was teaching at college, at Valencia, when we got to the section about drugs, as a teacher, as a professor, marijuana clearly interferes with the ability to learn and store new memories, it is not the innocuous drug particularly for younger brains, teenagers in twenties. It's not the innocent drug when it comes to

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memory and learning because it clearly influences the forming of new memories without a doubt, that's been very well documented. It also has been found to lower IOs in research.

How about the ingestion of large quantities of Xanax, is there any literature or through your training and experience or exposure to the literature that suggests that that would cause an event to be erased from someone's memory?

It doesn't cause an event to be erased, those memories were never there.

So, if Mr. Bradley consumed a large quantity of drugs including Xanax preceding the waiver of the Miranda, the giving of a statement, would that be consistent with the effects of the Xanax on Mr. Bradley that he couldn't remember?

Α Again, it has to do with the totality -the total amount of drugs ingested over a period of time.

Would you describe the Grisso testing that you Q did?

Α That is an older instrument that was published back in the late nineties whereas the SAMA was published in the I think it was 2012, that is a simpler measure of Miranda rights. What it does is it focuses more on knowledge of vocabulary, knowledge of comprehension, it

doesn't really assess the person's ability to apply that
information to their specific legal circumstances, it's
more a measure of simple memory. In the classroom we used
to call these tests are students able to regurgitate the
data rather than apply it specifically, but that, that was
a good instrument for the time.

Q What was Mr. Bradley's performance on that test? What did you learn from that test and how did that apply to your opinion?

A Okay. On that test he demonstrated fairly normal ability in most areas except his ability to apply that knowledge, that was significantly lower. So, in other words, he could regurgitate the information but he had a difficult time actually applying that information.

Q Was that after you gave the Paul House test which indicated that he was not malingering?

A Oh, yes, yes, I do the malingering test at the beginning.

Q Did you consider other test results? Did you administer and consider other test results?

A Well, as I'm doing these evaluations I appreciate the findings of other test results that I administered earlier.

Q All right. One of those was the Delis-Kaplan, would that be correct?

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Yes.

Q And what was nature of that test and what was the purpose of it?

A The Delis-Kaplan is a measure of our frontal lobe or executive skills functioning. Now, in neuropsychological testing particularly when there's concerns about the possibility of brain damage, this is a critical measure. The frontal lobe or the prefrontal lobe of the brain is what distinguishes from other animals that exist on this planet. Our frontal lobe or prefrontal lobe houses those unique quality of human functioning and human behavior, it incorporates our higher level thinking and reasoning, particularly abstract reasoning, but more than anything else it houses our self control and self regulation, self knowledge and self awareness.

If I'm comparing the brain to a computer, another way of understanding the executive system, is you can have a fine Pentium processer like ones that exist today, and I'm not at all have much technical knowledge, but what the prefrontal lobe is, it's our operating system. So, in other words, if you have, I know they don't call them this any more, but like a dual core processer and you're trying to run it on one of the first windows, what is, Windows '98, you may have some abilities there but your ability to tap in and effectively utilize

is it prevented because your operating system cannot handle it.

Q Is the orbital frontal cortex part of that frontal lobe.

A Oh, yes, it is. In fact, the orbital frontal cortex holds the pathway between the frontal lobe or the prefrontal lobe of the brain which regulates, it helps us control and self control and the emotional component of the brain. It's the pathway. So, if there's a disconnection there, there's an organic disconnection between our ability to control, manage and inhibit our emotions.

Q Now, there are various components of that test, correct?

A Yes, there are.

Q And were the performance of Mr. Bradley on various components which were sufficiently low to be suggestive of further testing on the issue of whether he may have brain damage?

A Oh, absolutely. In fact, on a couple of the scores it was below the first percentile, it was extremely low.

Q Then another test was the Weschler Adult Intelligence Scale 4, is that what --

A Yes, it's the most recent adult IQ test which

is considered the gold standard in regards to testing peoples intellectual functioning.

Q And were there components of that test which also if scored sufficiently low would suggest brain damage?

A Right, a couple of the areas you'd look for would be his processing speed as well as what is called working memory because that's part of the executive system, and also the similarity test which has to do with abstract reasoning which requires that prefrontal lobe.

Q And he scored in the second percentile for processing speed, do you recall?

A I'm just reviewing.

Q Yes, ma'am, refresh your memory if you need to and if you would point out the components of which the scores were significantly low.

A On the measure processing speed there were two tests that are combined to produce an index score, he performed at the second percentile and --

Q Any other score components where he scored low on the Wechsler?

A His attention executive component was at the fourth percentile.

Verbal comprehension?

A That was fifth percentile. Again, those all

fall within the impaired raining.

- Q Full scale IQ under the Wechsler test?
- A It was at the second percentile.
- Q You also considered his Department of Correction, his prison records, did you not?
 - A Yes, I did.
- Q And in one of those it was indicated that back in about 2007, correct me if I'm wrong, 2008 perhaps, an I request of 96 on what's called the Beta Test?
 - A Yes, I think it was administered in 2010.
- Q How would you -- which is the preferred test, the Wechsler test or the Beta test and what's the difference between the two?

A Significantly different. The Beta test actually first was created in 1917 by I think it was Robert Urkeys, a psychologist for the military, this as you can recall around World War I when the draft was implemented and there were a number of individuals coming into the military. Back in those days there were highly intelligent people who were not really literate because that was society. So, the military had to come up with a quick way of finding out peoples intellectual functions in order to place them in the best place where they would be useful for the military. So, they came up with the Alpha test, these were tests for people who were literate and

they were a large group test and then the Beta test were people who were not literate but -- and these were called nonverbal. A non --

Q Nonverbal did you say?

A Right, nonverbal. In other words, you would not need to read or read very well in order to complete this test. An example of a problem that is considered nonverbal would be you would have a puzzle with three pieces kind of in a box and one missing and then you would have a visual picture, maybe they could be all balls, and this is a very simplistic one, then you would have responses to choose, you could have a square, a triangle, a rectangle in a ball and you have to identify what was the missing piece. So, that would be a nonverbal way of assessing a person's intellectual functioning without needing language or the ability to read.

Now, after World War I the military no longer used those instruments whereas I think it was in the thirties in that another group of doctors got together and said let's take this Beta and try to develop it and use it for servarium purposes. So, the Beta III came to exist back in the thirties and it is a group test that is mainly based upon nonverbal subtests. It's a quick screen, it's not time limited, excuse me, and it can be done in a large setting like this. So, it does not — it does not assess

executive skills which is critical in this situation, it doesn't assess language, and it really doesn't assess processing speed which is again critical in this situation, it only really assesses the nonverbal aspects of functioning.

Q How would you explain the difference over a five year period, 2008 under the Beta test which the prison gave which is the short fairly quick test a score of 96 and the results you got on the Wechsler test of some five years later?

A What's interesting is the closest test that I administer would be part of the IQ test called matrix reasoning, it is a nonverbal test that is not timed, that was the highest score that Mr. Bradley obtained, it was at the twenty-fifth percentile which is considered below average. So, that isn't significantly different than the Beta test but again that's one isolated part of the brain, it doesn't take into account the comprehensive measure of the brain. It is not timed and it doesn't include again the executive skills, the processing speed which a full blown IQ request test would utilize.

I'll give you another way of looking at the Beta test. As a school psychologist we are at times asked to do IQ measures when I was in the school system to determine a child's placement into a gifted program or

whether or not he had a learning disability. The Beta

test is not accepted by the State of Florida as a means to

evaluate a person's cognitive abilities, it's not accepted

as a test to measure whether or not a person previously

would be called mentally retarded now is called

intellectually disabled. So, it's not qualified by the

opinion for those purposes.

- Q Of course an IQ, an accurate picture of IQ would be important for you in this assessment, would it not?
 - A Oh, of course.
- Q Because one of the aspects is whether it's a knowing and intelligent waiver and the statement was a knowing and intelligently given?
 - A Yes.
 - Q Voluntarily given?
- A Correct.

- Q Now, would drug use, drug abuse, chronic drug use, drug abuse be -- and brain damage, would those possibly explain the difference in the IQ performance scores between the Beta test and the Wechsler?
- A Yes, and of course again looking at the results of the neuro-cognitive imaging test, the MRI and PET scores, that's -- and related to processing speed and executive skills functioning, that was not assessed in the

- same way as it was on the IQ test and I don't think
 there's any measures of executive functioning.
 - Q Did you take -- did you recommend as a result of the testing you've been describing that Mr. Bradley have neuro-imaging testing done?
 - A Yes, I did, I referred that to you I think the exact day after I saw him.
 - Q And did you consider those test results that came back from the tests that were given, the neuro-imaging tests, in your opinion?
 - A Yes.
- 12 Q Did you rely on those results?
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- Q And what were the results made known to you and what did you -- how did they affect your opinion?
- A Are you talking about my test results or the neuro-imaging?
 - Q The neuro-imaging tests you were made aware of.
- A I had already provided an opinion before I got that based upon my own data and the records I reviewed, but having -- given the additional information it completely supported my initial opinions.
- Q You had some information, did you not, of head injury in Mr. Bradley?
- 25 A Yes, he consistently reported to me that he had

had one very serious head injury and the other two that could have easily resulted in a head injury.

Q Was this -- the results from the PET scan and the MRI, did they -- what affect did they have on your consideration of whether he had actually experienced head injuries in the past?

A It added additional corroborative data to support my opinions, it was very clean, very clear, very consistent.

Q And was your recommendation of the neuro-imaging testing done to help corroborate or confirm what you suspected through your testing?

A Yes, I sought additional information and it was obtained and it created more validity to my opinions.

Q Did you -- you also considered -- you viewed the DVD of the interrogation?

A Yes.

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Q Now, there was a portion preceding when the interrogation actually begins?

A Quite a long time.

Q Quite a long time. And during which Mr. Bradley is doing what?

A Falling off the chair and sleeping.

Q And that's before the police walk into the room and begin to question him?

- 1 A Yes.
- 2 And what period of time is that, do you recall?
- A I think the actual video began around 12:45.
- 4 Q P.m.?
- 5 A And then it lasted for hours.
- 6 O That's like 12:45 on March the 6th?
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- Q And can you tell whether Mr. Bradley is sleeping or passed out or -- and if so what would inform that opinion?
- A Well, he initially was put on a chair but some time later he fell off the chair and you can hear snoring and them mumbling, you can hear people coming in trying to arouse him without being successful.
 - Q Was that what you observed?
- 16 A Yes.
 - Q And officer come in to try to wake him up?
- 18 A Yes.
 - Q And how did that -- how successful was that effort?
 - A He wasn't. He wasn't -- he mumbled and he wasn't able to get him more alert very successfully and it wasn't until the actual time the two officers came in that you heard more than just mumbling or a few sentences or words.

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Q Okay. And were -- would perceptual distortions be something that you would consider if you observed them Mr. Bradley in informing to help you reach the opinion of whether his statement and waiver of Miranda were voluntarily?

A Yes, he reported significant history of psychotic experiences, also he was very paranoid when I saw him on March, the first time. He was actually -- when he was explaining his beliefs, his distorted beliefs, he actually was concerned about my well-being and shared with me the importance of not taking an oath because an oath -- if I took an oath it would make me vulnerable to being taken over by the dark side so to speak.

Q What I'm asking would be the perceptions of the -- that Mr. Bradley expressed during the interview of being shoot, fear of being shot?

A Yes, it would be quite relevant because it would integrate his personal experiences, personal history with his psychosis.

Q And would that also influence your decision about whether he was knowingly and intelligently and voluntarily able to waive Miranda and give a statement?

A Yes, all of the pieces would be important.

Q Were there other points where Mr. Bradley expressed that concern about being shot which would lend

to your opinion about -- or influence your opinion about whether he was experiencing perceptual distortions?

A Yes, and both times I saw him in March and then later in November he described a belief that he was going to have a very short life, that he had personally experienced five deaths within a very brief time, I think beginning at age fifteen with the death of his grandmother and then his cousins and close friends who had all been shot, one was accidentally blown up, and a belief system that he would experience the same outcome. Also, he described about a week before his legal circumstances occurred of having a hit placed on him and that somebody was trying to kill him.

Q Well, specifically, I mean, you viewed the DVD of his statement?

A Yes.

Q The focus here is trying to figure out if he's in touch with reality or not, perceptual distortions, as it relates to his ability to waive Miranda and give a voluntary statement, that's your focus?

A Yes.

Q Okay. During the DVD, reviewing of the DVD of the actual shooting, were there -- was there any evidence there that would form your opinion about whether he was undergoing perceptual distortions?

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object at this point, wish to approach.

THE COURT: Yes, you may. My screen's down, you're going to have to put us on bench conference.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

THE COURT: My screen's been up, that's the first time it's been down all morning.

MR. BROWN: I'm going to object as to any testimony of her interpretation of the shooting, what psychoses he may have been undergoing at the time of the shooting is not A, relevant, B not admissible.

MR. MOORE: It's relevant if it's something she reasonably relied on in giving her ultimate opinion about Miranda and perceptual distortions which is what she's being offered for and whether it's admissible or not the fact, the fact that the DVD is in evidence and -- so, that takes care of that.

However, under 90.704, an expert can rely on -- reasonably rely on matters even if they're not admissible but in fact that DVD is in evidence and it's consistent with Mr. Bradley saying to the police I thought she was going to shoot me, it's consistent with Andria Kerchner's testimony where she attributes that very comment to Mr. Bradley and so it's just

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further basis for her to reasonably rely on in giving her opinion about whether Mr. Bradley was able to voluntarily waive Miranda and give a statement.

MR. BROWN: Judge, it's simply a gateway now (unintelligible) which is why we objected to this in the beginning that the diminished capacity defense, they're simply trying to back strap it in. The issue that her testimony at this stage of the trial is whether or not his statement was freely and voluntarily given, whether he's having a psychoses come three hours earlier is not relevant, it's pushing the fence that doesn't exist. Diminished capacity evidence is not admissibility, it would be confusing to the jury and it goes contrary to the purpose counsel argued that she's here to testify as to the voluntariness of his statement. Therefore, any opinion she has of psychoses he was suffering at the time of the shooting is inadmissible.

MR. MOORE: If it is something upon which she would rely and she's prepared to say that and if it's part of her overall opinion as it relates to the narrow scope that we're offering it, then she should be permitted to offer that. The jury has been instructed on diminished capacity.

MR. BROWN: Experts are not --

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THE COURT: I'm going to sustain the objection, you need to narrow the scope of that question. I took it as her giving that opinion as of that time, didn't take it as her using that to rely on. I don't know if that's what you were getting but I'm going to sustain the objection.

MR. MOORE: Well, I would like to proffer that. Here's what I intend to do, ask her if she relied upon what she heard in the DVD not only of the interrogation but of the shooting and if that is part and parcel of what she lied upon in giving this ultimate opinion about voluntariness then she should be -- you know, that's a predicate.

THE COURT: That's a different question.

Actually, that question is different than what she was about to answer.

MR. MOORE: I'll ask that question.

THE COURT: Okay.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

THE COURT: We can go back to jury trial. I'm sorry, I don't have a screen up, you all need to fix my screen. Thank you. Go ahead.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Doctor, did you in viewing all the information

1 that you considered and reaching your opinion about the voluntariness of the statement and waiver of Miranda, did 2 3 you also consider and rely on what you heard in the DVD of the actual shooting? 4 It helped corroborate and support my findings. 5 6 When I, when I complete an evaluation --7 MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object. BY MR. MOORE: 8 Did you rely --9 0 10 THE COURT: He's asking the next question. 11 BY MR. MOORE: 12 Did you rely on that information? 13 Α Yes. Okay. And so what was it that you heard that 1.4 0 15 you relied on? What did you hear in the DVD that you 16 relied on? 17 Again, I'm going to object, ask to MR. BROWN: 18 approach. Okay. I need a bench conference, 19 THE COURT: 20 please. 21 (Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:) 22 23 MR. BROWN: Judge, he cannot use an expert as a 24 gateway to try to get in based on -- what she relied

upon as to get in something that's inadmissible.

THE COURT: What I heard is what you relied
upon and all she's going to do is repeat a statement
that he said in the DVD and that's already in
evidence. She wasn't going to give her opinion on
that statement.

MR. BROWN: I'm concerned because she takes ever question and runs with it. She's already said what she heard and relied upon. So, I would object to now --

THE COURT: He's allowed to say what statement did you rely on. I mean. So, I'm going to overrule the objection at this point.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

THE COURT: Okay. We can go to jury trial, please. Go ahead.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Okay. Doctor, Focusing on the DVD of the shooting, what did you hear, what statement did you hear in that DVD which you relied on in forming your opinion about the voluntariness of the giving -- of Mr. Bradley giving a statement to the police?

A His statements were consistent with the presence of paranoia.

Q What statement did you hear?

MR. BROWN: Objection.

THE COURT: Okay. Overruled.

THE WITNESS: The statements were questions

asking the police officer --

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Q Okay.

A -- by Mr. Bradley are you going to shoot me, are you going -- why are you going to shoot me.

Q How many times did you hear that?

A Multiple. Multiple times.

Q Did you consider the deposition testimony which you were provided of Andria Kerchner on that issue?

A Yes, it was part of the materials I reviewed in formulating my decisions.

Q Did you rely upon that deposition of Andria Kerchner in reaching your opinion?

A Yes, it was a piece.

Q Was there an aspect of a statement that Miss Kerchner attributed to Mr. Bradley during the time leading up to the shooting?

A She spoke about irrational behaviors.

Q A statement that he made.

A Oh. I'm trying to think. I don't know if I can recall it verbatim but it was related to about being shot for this.

Q And assume for purposes of this question about your opinion that when Andria Kerchner testified she also said Mr. Bradley asked just before the shooting if he was going to be shot, assume that as well.

A Yes.

Q How does that affect your opinion?

A Again, it supports the opinion that this was a man who was suffering from paranoia consistent with a psychotic experience.

MR. BROWN: Objection. May we approach?

THE COURT: Yes, you may. You need to go bench conference, please.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going object as to her giving an opinion at this time of what he was informing at the time of the shooting, it's not admissible, it's diminished capacity and there's no diminished capacity defense in this case and it's not -- and it's clear evidence (unintelligible) and evidence of it is simply not admissible.

THE COURT: I didn't hear that as the question.

I didn't hear that as what he was asking.

MR. BROWN: Well, that's what she's now said twice. I'd ask the Court to instruct the jury to

disregard it.

Thank you.

THE COURT:

THE COURT: I didn't hear that as the answer, I heard it she relied on some things in giving her answers as to whether the statement was knowingly and she's been very -- the response has been very narrow as to what he responded, he didn't connect that up to the shooting.

MR. BROWN: She did, she said it now twice that he was suffering from paranoia at the time of the shooting.

THE COURT: She said he was suffering from -- I didn't hear at the time of the shooting, I heard he was suffering from paranoia.

MR. MOORE: I'll refocus it, you know, that's where I've been trying to keep the focus on the opinion as it relates to the time of the -- of Mr. Bradley's statement to the police.

MR. BROWN: Judge, I would ask the Court to instruct the witness to limit her opinions to the interview and instruct the jury to disregard any opinion about what he was suffering at the time of the shooting.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was

That request is denied.

1 | concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

THE COURT: Okay. If we could go jury trial,

please. Yes, sir.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Did you -- did you also consider Mr. Bradley's drug history?

A Yes.

Q In reaching -- now, we're focusing on Mr. Bradley's ability to give a voluntary, knowingly intelligent statement to the police and waive Miranda, that's what we're focusing on. In connection with that, in reaching an opinion about that, did you rely upon his drug history.

A I relied upon many aspects of his history including his drug history?

Q Okay. As it relates to the drug history as it relates to Mr. Bradley's ability to give a voluntary statement, did you see -- did you collect evidence from -- did he give you a history of drug use and drug abuse?

A Yes.

Q Did it fit any profile of, whether it's drug addiction or use, did it fit any profile?

A It fit the profile of having a substance dependence disorder.

Q In fact, that was one of your conclusions, a

1 poly substance abuse disorder.

A Yes.

Q And was that confirmed by -- in any of the records that you reviewed?

A Yes.

Q Did you see in your review of the Department of Corrections records and also the information that was collected at the Brevard County Jail and the Polk County Correctional Institute, Polk County -- Seminole County Correctional Institute as well as the 2008 records from Wuesthoff Hospital related to the automobile accident which confirmed the history of drug abuse and drug dependence?

A Yes, they were all consistent.

Q Well, what did you see? What did you read? You relied on those, did you not?

A Yes.

Q So, what did you read that you relied on in those records?

A In the accident that occurred in 2008, the motor vehicle accident, he had ingested -- drugs were found in his tests, and he reported a significant history dating back to I believe age twelve beginning with marijuana and then following marijuana Ecstasy, a number of other drugs that he had used consistently, and even

more so following his motor vehicle accident he increased significantly particularly after he was released from DOC up to the time of his arrest he had ingested multiple

Q Are there parts of the brain implicated that perhaps showed up in the MRI or the PET scan which are involved in drug dependency or proneness to drug addiction?

drugs, multiple quantities.

A Yes. In fact, the areas of the brain that were damaged all have been found to be related to addiction issues. It's that pathway between self control in which we can override our instinctive urges, that was disconnected and that has been associated with addiction and addiction problems.

Q What part of the brain are you talking about?

A I'm talking about the pathway, in other words, the freeway system of the brain between the prefrontal lobe and the lymphic lobe which is related to issues of motivation, drive and emotion, that was the area that's

damaged.

Q When say it was damaged, how do you reach that conclusion?

A That was consistent with the results of my neuropsych testing and also consistent with the MRI and the PET scans completed.

Q Do people who have mental health issues self medicate?

A Very frequently.

Q Now, in those same records that we just mentioned, the Department of Corrections records, the Brevard County Jail, Seminole County Jail, Wuesthoff, was there a portion of those records in which information was entered as to whether Mr. Bradley ever had mental health issues?

A He denied it at that time.

Q Okay. And so what would be an explanation for that if somebody has mental health issues in being interviewed at the jail, either jail, or the Department of Corrections or Wuesthoff Hospital when he's in the emergency room being treated for an automobile accident, what would be reasons why that information would be in there if he in fact had some mental health issues?

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object.

THE COURT: Okay. Bench conference. If you could go to bench conference, please.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

MR. BROWN: Judge, this question is calling for hearsay information as to reasons why a person may or may not have mental health history. I mean, she

1 doesn't know --

THE COURT: My concern is that you're getting way off the issue about -- when you're talking about why he denied it in the Department of Corrections.

MR. MOORE: It's the basis of the next witness that Dr. Zapf, you know, she picked all this stuff apart and -- as if somehow this doctor is misstating facts or should have picked up on this and how it's inconsistent with mental -- she's going to bring it up. She's going to get into it. So, if my doctor can't get into it then their doctor can't get into it. I mean, that's the whole thrust of her report is picking and nitpicking every factual finding of this doctor and saying, well, she just go far enough, she didn't look far enough and, you know, all this stuff suggests that he's lying and malingering and so I'm preempting what I expect is going to be Dr. Sapf's testimony.

THE COURT: They've objected so if I sustain it I assume you're not going there with her testimony.

MR. BROWN: Well, I'm objecting because the question calls for hearsay, what are reasons why a person would not report this. That's not -- she doesn't know why he did or did not report it. She can't speculate on what a regular person would or

would not do at the time. That fact that he didn't report it, that's it.

MR. MOORE: She's a mental health expert and she evaluates people, that's what she does forensically and --

THE COURT: Okay. Is the State going to get into that with their expert? Because if they are I'm going to allow it, if there not I'm going to sustain it.

MR. BROWN: Well, overall, I mean, personally I think the objection I made all along is this is penalty phase stuff.

THE COURT: We've addressed that. They've been really careful about couching it with regard to the voluntariness of the statement. I can understand your objection, but I think I've addressed all those issues. So, I'm still back to my question. Is that --

MR. BROWN: Judge, we're intending to getting into it but I don't think she's allowed to -- she ought to be allowed to simply give a laundry list of possible explanations about why a person would deny.

THE COURT: She's a mental health expert, I'm assuming that she has some basis for that and that would be subject to cross examination.

MR. BROWN: But it's not explanations she has from him, it's just a generic explanations of why a generic person would deny.

THE COURT: I think that's fair. Okay. So, overruled.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

THE COURT: If we could go to jury trial, please. Go ahead, Mr. Moore.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Okay. You evaluated Mr. Bradley and you have a profile of Mr. Bradley based upon a number of things, your neuropsych testing, your face-to-face evaluations, everything you considered, in looking at -- and among which you considered would be the records from -- that I just referred to a moment ago from the Brevard County Jail, the Seminole County Jail, the Department of Corrections, Wuesthoff records, Wuesthoff Hospital, why if Mr. Bradley was experiencing mental health issues would they not be reflected in those information sheets as that relates to Mr. Bradley?

A I asked him that question and his response was consistent with what I have hypothesized would be. As an old school teacher I spent sixteen years in the public school system, I was a guidance counselor --

MR. BROWN: I'm going to object, Your Honor,

that the witness isn't answering the question.

THE COURT: I'll sustain the objection.

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Q You asked Mr. Bradley?

A Yes, he said he was ashamed and embarrassed about it and he didn't want people to think that he was crazy.

- Q He has a high school education?
- 10 A Yes.
 - Q What is the ability of a high school graduate to self diagnosis mental health abilities compared to yours let's say?

A In a -- a high school graduate could know that they have problems that they depress per se or sad and not in all cases because sometimes people come from such dysfunction families that they don't know that they've been depressed all their life because that's their only frame of reference. People if they're experiencing auditory hallucination probably have some understanding that this is abnormal but again being able to correctly diagnosis what it is would be limited.

- Q Self diagnosis?
- A Correct.
- 25 Q Would other factors be involved in the way the

questions are asked or who's asking the questions?

A Of course, and it also related to a person's self esteem. If people have no positive self esteem they can -- and they perceive mental illness as a flaw, many people still do these days, acknowledging it would be another means in which their self esteem is lowered. So, somebody with very low self esteem who's depressed would be much less likely to acknowledge another significant defective part of their being compared to somebody with higher self esteem.

Q In the Wuesthoff records, 2008, where Mr. Bradley was there because of an automobile accident.

A Correct.

Q Was there any indication that he was undergoing a psychiatric or psychological evaluation at that time, if that information was collected?

A No, just a cognitive sense.

Q Was there an indication whether he was in pain at the time?

A Yes.

Q Was there an indication of whether he was under the influence of drugs at the time?

A Yes.

Q And when information like that is gathered at a jail or prison and you reviewed those records, any

- indication that Mr. Bradley was undergoing a psychological evaluation at that time?
 - A No, it appeared to be a screening.
- Q Would there be in your opinion in your
 experience in that setting perhaps a concern maybe
 specifically in Mr. Bradley's case of not wanting to
 appear to be weak and vulnerable because of the
 (unintelligible)?
 - A Yes.

- 10 Q As a reason why if there's a mental problem he
 11 might not admit to it?
- 12 A Correct.
- 13 Q Now, Mr. Bradley indicated auditory
 14 hallucination?
- 15 A Correct.
- 16 Q He didn't use those terms, did he?
- 17 A No.
- 18 Q It's not like he said I'm having auditory
 19 hallucinations, that didn't come out of his mouth, did it?
- 20 A No, that was my --
- 21 Q How did he relate that to you?
- 22 A He was hearing voices.
- 23 Q At what points in his life?
- 24 A Dating back to when he was in school.
- MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object at this

 \square points and ask to approach.

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THE COURT: Bench conference, please.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object, this is not relevant towards the issue of Miranda.

MR. MOORE: I'll make it relevant.

MR. BROWN: The voluntariness of his statement.

MR. MOORE: I'll make it relevant.

THE COURT: Okay. I'm going allow them some leeway based on the instructions that I've given the jury and I have to believe that the jury can follow those instructions. So, I'll overrule the objection.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

THE COURT: Okay. If we could go jury trial, please.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Now, we're focusing on the basis of your opinion of the voluntariness of his statement and what informed that decision, what you relied on, and so part of that was Mr. Bradley's history that you collected from him?

A Correct.

Q And part of that was his report of having heard

voices at points in his life?

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Q Would that have included when he was like when, school, when did he report that?

A His ability to explain his past history of having these auditory hallucination going back to his childhood is relevant and would add consistency to his present situation of having them as a child even though he did not report it and even though it wasn't identified.

- Q Well, if it's not in any of his school -- you got records from Cobb County, Georgia.
- 12 A Yes.
- 13 Q The school system of Brevard County?
- 14 A Yes.
- 15 Q And you didn't see any indication of that in 16 either of those, right?
 - A No, and I wouldn't expect to.
- Q Why's that?
 - A Again, sixteen years in the school system, a guidance counselor, school psychologist, if a child is sent to me and I make notes about it --
- MR. BROWN: I'm going object again at this point.
- 24 THE COURT: Overruled.
- 25 THE WITNESS: I would have a cumulative file

but those don't go in the permanent records. In fact, when you have a psychiatric disorder, as a school employee that's not my role, we're not trained as psychologists or psychiatrists, we would refer that information to the parent and expect them to get the appropriate help.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Would you expect those type of records to be kept in either the Cobb County school system or Brevard County school system from the standpoint of an expert, a neuropsychologist, and somebody with sixteen years as a counselor in school systems?

A Teacher and school psychologist. No, because what they keep is they keep transcript information. If the child is in special education they would have their IEPs and if there is any evaluations conducted you would be very lucky to get those. Mainly nowadays when I request school records I either get a series of IEP meetings and something like a high school transcript. We don't get those records.

Q Okay. Now, part of your determination of the voluntariness, the act of the statement and the waiver of Miranda and you made a determination of the suseptibility to be -- to acquiescing, that is to submit to an authority figure?

A Correct.

Q And was your -- was your opinion on that which is part of the voluntariness issue that you're asked to testify about the, did that include any aspects of Mr. Bradley's history that helped you inform that decision on the voluntariness, the willingness to acquiesce?

A Yes, that -- the evaluation for Miranda rights is a retrospective study so yes.

Q Well, in particular, child abuse, is that something that informed your decision, that you relied on in reaching the opinion that his statement was voluntary or not?

A Yes.

Q In what way did that inform your decision?

A It helped me understand the adult person because our early childhood experiences provide the basic framework of our functioning as an adult because that's the way the brain is designed, it's designed to work efficiently so that we don't have to reinvent the wheel each time we experience. So, we have those automatic programs that we run that are formed throughout our childhood.

Q And what particular information did you have that you relied on on the issue of voluntariness?

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going object at this

point.

THE COURT: Overruled. Based on the Court's prior rulings, overruled.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q As it relates to child abuse that you relied on.

A His developmental history of being an abused child would impact his functioning as an adult.

Q Did you -- did he go -- he did give you particulars about that?

A He reported getting whippings and beatings by his stepfather. He reported trying to talk to his mother about it and wasn't able to have success so he turned much more toward his friends and other family members, particularly his grandmother, and that's why her death was so impactful to him to try to find a means to replace the in nurturing that we expect to get from our parents.

Q From a chronological standpoint, you know, the part that you relied on, did that time when he was getting the beatings and whippings, did that correspond with the start of the twelve -- at twelve of drug use that you described earlier?

A Yes, it's the formative ages in which this happened and going into middle school where it would be consistent those experiences of beginning auditory

hallucinations, the beginning of using drugs for self medication commonly occurs in a child who's had that background.

Q Okay. And now what is your opinion based upon all of this information that you've considered as to Mr. Brandon's -- Mr. Bradley's ability to knowingly, intelligently voluntarily give a statement and waive Miranda rights?

A Based upon the data I obtained I found he was significantly impaired at the time he reportedly waived his rights such that his ability to know what he was doing, his ability to voluntarily do it and his intelligence in making that decision were all significantly impaired.

Q And was part of that impairment based upon all you observed and considered and relied upon due to the ingestion of some sort of substance?

A Yes.

Q In your opinion?

A Absolutely.

MR. MOORE: No further questions at this time.

THE COURT: Okay. It would be appropriate for us to take a break for the morning. We're going to take a fifteen minute break. It's 10:30, we're going to be back here at 10:45. During this break as the

1 jury you must continue to abide by your rules governing your service as a juror. All right. Court 2 3 will be in recess for fifteen minutes. 4 (Thereupon, the jury was escorted out of the 5 courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had as follows:) 6 7 THE COURT: Okay. Please be seated. Dr. Olander, you can take a break as well and we'll 8 be in recess for fifteen minutes as well. So, we'll 9 10 be back here at a quarter til. THE WITNESS: Thank you, Your Honor. 11 12 (Thereupon, a short recess was taken in the 13 proceedings.) 14 THE COURT: Okay. We can bring out Mr. 15 Bradley. (Thereupon, the defendant was escorted into the 16 17 courtroom by the court deputy.) 18 THE COURT: Okay. We can bring in the jury. 19 (Thereupon, the jury was escorted into the 20 courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had 21 as follows:) 22 THE COURT: Please be seated. Okay. Cross 23 examination on behalf of the State. 24 MR. BROWN: Yes, Your Honor.

CROSS EXAMINATION

2 BY MR. BROWN:

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- 4 A Good morning.
 - Q Let me cover with you to start with a little bit about the defendant's educational history. These are some of the records that you reviewed both his Georgia school records as well as his Brevard County school records, correct?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q And he did graduate from Eau Gallie High School 12 in 2007, correct?
- 13 A Correct.
- 14 Q He had a GPA, state GPA of 2.6, a district GPA of 2.7?
- 16 A At what time, at graduation?
- 17 0 Yes.
- 18 A Just referring to my notes. Yes.
- 19 Q And in fact, his high school GPA grade by grade
 20 from ninth to tenth to eleventh up to twelfth kept
 21 increasing every year, correct?
- 22 A I don't recall.
- 23 Q Is it in your notes a 2.4 in ninth grade, 2.59
 24 in tenth, 2.63 GPA in eleventh grade?
- 25 A Yes, I'm reviewing my records, in my report I

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Q Okay. So, he was increasing and obviously ended up with a 2.6, he twelfth grade GPA was the highest.

A If it's rounded off it's pretty comparable, his eleventh grade was 2.63.

- Q He was seventeen when he graduated, correct?
- A I believe so.
- Q Which would lead one to believe that he never had to repeat any grade?
 - A Correct, he didn't report repeating a grade.
- 11 Q Okay. And a 2.6 state GPA, 2.7 district GPA, 12 that is a C plus average, correct?
- 13 A It's a C average, it's an average grade.
- 14 Q C is a two?
- 15 A Correct.
- 16 Q A B is a three?
- 17 A Correct.
- 18 Q And an A is a four?
- 19 A Correct.
- 20 A D would be a one.
- 21 A Correct.
- 22 Q And F is a zero?
- 23 A Correct.
- Q And the school records didn't indicate he was ever -- that he ever received any special educational

- 1 | services, correct?
- 2 A Correct.

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- Q He was never flagged for his requiring any additional educational support, correct?
- 5 A Correct.
 - Q And those are things you would expect to see in the records if that were the case, correct?
- 8 A In most cases, yes.
- 9 Q And there is nothing that you reviewed to
 10 indicate that he ever received any special educational
 11 services?
- 12 A Correct.
- Q And you acknowledge you reviewed the Department of Correction records, correct?
- 15 A Correct.
- Q And you talked about earlier he received an IQ of 96 when they did their IQ test, correct?
- 18 A Yes, on the screening instrument.
- 19 Q And that would be consistent with his high 20 school performance, right?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q 96 is THE average range, right?
- 23 A Correct.
- 24 Q And his high school performance average range?
- 25 A Correct.

- 1 Q Did you ever give the defendant what's known as
 2 the SIRS, S-I-R-S, test?
 3 A No, I did not.
 - Q Okay. How about the TOMM, the T-O-M-M test?
 - A No, that's -- I did not administer that malingering test.
 - Q Okay. And you talked about the importance of -- in coming to your conclusion about the accuracy of the information the defendant gives you, correct?
 - A Correct.
- 11 Q And if he gives you bad information, that would 12 lead to a bad opinion, correct?
- 13 A Yes.

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- Q So, the reliability of his information is key and crucial to the reliability of your opinion?
- 16 A Of course.
 - Q And you indicated that he told you he had three instances where he suffered head injuries?
 - A Yes, that -- where his head was hit and a loss of consciousness on at least one.
 - Q One of those he claimed when he was at the age of fifteen?
 - A Let me review my records. Yes.
- Q And that's when he claimed he was fell off the monkey bars, landed on his head and lost consciousness?

1 A Yes.

Q Now, when somebody tells you they had a situation like that, would it be normal to try to look for confirmation of that?

A It would be normal to look for information to support the possibility of a head injury.

Q Okay. You would try to look for corroboration for the fact that he suffered that incident at the age of fifteen, right?

A If he reported that he went to a hospital, yes, but there are many cases in which people fall and lose consciousness that they don't go to the hospital. So, I wait to obtain a totality of information before I provide an opinion.

Q So, he told you he fell off monkey bars, landed on his head, lost consciousness, correct?

A Yes.

Q And there are no corroboration of that through any medical records, school records or any records at all?

A No, I did not get any medical records related to that specific event.

Q And he also indicated to you at the age of nineteen in juvenile camp he was hit on the head with a lock that was slung by another participant?

A Yes.

1 0 And for that instance any corroboration through 2 any medical records? 3 Α No. Through any Department of Correction records? 4 5 Α No. Any corroboration through Department of 6 7 Correction medical records at all? Α No. 8 So, both of those instances you have zero 9 corroboration independently from the defendant? 10 11 Other than his presentation in testing was 12 consistent and his presentation on cognitive imaging were 13 consistent with the presence of a head injury. Let's go to the one instance where there was 14 0 15 actual medical records and that was the car crash he 16 indicate occurring at the age of seventeen? 17 Α Yes. 18 Now, in your interview he told you he was a 0 19 passenger? 20 Α Yes. 21 Q He was not wearing his seatbelt? I have to look at that but he was a passenger, 22 Α 23 yes. 24 That the other car did a u-run, he t-boned the

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car at sixty miles an hour.

- A He didn't, the car was --
- 2 \ Q Well, the car was t-boned.
- 3 A Right.
- 4 Q He indicated to you that he hit his head on the 5 windshield and he lost consciousness?
- 6 A Yes.
- 7 Q You had a chance to review the medical records, 8 correct?
- 9 A Yes.
- 10 Q And those are the records from Wuesthoff
- 11 | Hospital?
- 12 A Yes.
- Q And he appeared for treatment two days after the crash?
- 15 A Correct.
- 16 Q And when he appeared for treatment he indicated 17 he was suffering neck, back and knee pain?
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 Q And that he had a cut over his left eye?
- 20 A Yes.
- Q And didn't he tell them that he said the cut was from hitting the airbag?
- 23 A Yes.
- Q He said he told them he was dazed but never lost any consciousness?

A No, he said there was a possible loss of consciousness.

- Q Did he tell them he was only dazed0?
- A If I can, I can get the actual records out.
- Q Sure. If it would help you, it's on page 2 of your report.

A Right, on my report, but these are the medical records. I was checking on the medical records and it says here on page 1 that possible loss of consciousness per witness at time of accident.

Q Okay. He didn't report that, that was per another witness, correct, he said he was dazed?

A My understanding is he reported that that's what it suggests in the medical records, that was a possible. Based on his description this was recorded by the medical person who was recording these records.

Q He also indicated he was wearing a seatbelt, correct, to the hospital?

A Yes, a restrained passenger with airbag.

Q Which again is contrary, he told you he was not wearing a seatbelt?

A Yes.

Q They diagnosed him with neck sprain, knee sprain?

A Yes.

- 1 Q They released him with a muscle relax -- they 2 give him a muscle relaxer and antiinflammatory?
 - A Yes.
- 4 Q And they released him?
- 5 A Yes.

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- Q Do you recall in his interview when he talked to the police about it as well, about the crash, having a car crash?
- A Yes.
- 10 Q And he told them he spent a week in the 11 hospital.
- 12 A I don't recall, I'd have to go back and look at 13 that part.
- Q Do you recall if he indicated to them he almost went through the windshield?
- 16 A Yes.
- 17 Q Now, he denied to Wuesthoff, to the medical 18 officials there that he's appearing for treatment, any 19 psychiatric history or history of mental problems, 20 correct?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 | Q He told you his head hit the windshield, right?
- 23 A Yes.
- Q Yet he told at the time appearing for treatment two days after that it was simply the airbag?

1 A Yes.

- Q He told you he wasn't seat-belted?
- 3 A Yes.
 - Q And he told the hospital officials that he was seat-belted?
 - A Yes.
 - Q Did your testing pick up this discrepancy or differences, your testing for malingering pick up that he was telling you an exaggeration or greater differences than when he reported for medical treatment?
 - A That is -- malingering is one possible interpretation of the event, an alternative hypothesis would be his inconsistency was related to not having adequate memories stored. That's why I requested neuro cognitive imaging to provide information about the presence of a head injury, that inconsistency, because when people do not -- are unable to form memories, they can tend to confabulate, that means provide details which aren't accurate, but it's not based upon malingering, it's not based upon trying to manipulate the outcome, it's based upon not having that information stored and that an unconscious level the brain provides information to complete that.
 - Q So, he's not malingering he's just to you giving you greater examples of his injury, not being

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restrained and increasing the effect on him, but you don't find that he's not malingering or exaggerating to you?

A I examined both possible hypotheses and the data was more consistent with my opinion. You mentioned the SIRS, I did not administer that because in my training it has two many false positives. So, they no longer recommend it according to the Forensic Board of Psychology. The other test, the TOMM, a fine instrument but I administered other instruments which are equally. So, I have confidence that he was not malingering or providing false information, he was providing information based upon his perception.

Q You would agree that the information he gave you is certainly if not a lie an exaggeration of what he reported to the hospital two days after the crash?

A I would interpret it inconsistent.

Q And inconsistently in that it increased his symptoms and the damage that he suffered, correct?

A It was -- my -- he reported to me was more impactful than what he reported to the hospital.

Q Hospital he said I hit the airbag, you he said I hit the windshield?

A Correct.

Q Do you see that as he's increasing what happened to him in the crash?

1 A Yes.

- Q Hospital he said I'm wearing my seatbelt, you he said I'm not wearing the seatbelt, you see that again he's increasing it?
 - A Yes, that's a possibility, yes.
 - Q It's not a possibility, isn't he increasing?
- A It is an increase in the severity of the injury.
- Q It's not backed up by the medical records what he's telling you?
- 11 A No.
 - Q Yet you don't see that a malingering?
 - A No, he reported that when those events happened he was involved -- he had drugs in his system and it was more consistent with having an impaired ability to store information and confabulation versus cognitive malicious attempt to malinger.
 - Q This is a crash he didn't see the need to seek medical treatment until two days after the crash?
 - A When he described that when he was coming off his drugs he started feeling the pain, they wanted to take him at the scene but he refused, he did not have insurance and he refused to go.
 - Q Let's go to the psychological history. You talked a little bit about the defendant claimed starting

at the age of twelve or thirteen, that's when he indicated at that age is when he first heard voices?

- A Correct.
- Q But he didn't report that, that was never reported to anybody, the first document patient had reported it is in September of 2012 in the jail facility, correct?
- A Correct.
 - Q And you reviewed the school records?
- 10 A Yes.

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- 11 Q There's no note of referral in there?
- 12 A No, I wouldn't expect see it but no, there were 13 not.
 - Q You wouldn't expect to see even any comments?
- A Absolutely no, they don't keep that documentation.
- 2 So, how many school records have you reviewed?
- 18 A Hundreds.
 - Q And you've never seen a school record where -I accept that they're not going to have the psychological
 examination in there, but no note of referral, no comments
 that this was observed?
 - A Never in the standardized means that that they complete the recordkeeping for school systems, no.
 - Q So you've never seen it in any records you've

ever received from a school system any comment from a teacher that she observed this unusual behavior?

A Not in a standardized means that they collect and maintain school records today, no, they did not have it. Now, if I went to an individual school, a guidance counselor might have some notations of that but again that's not part of the responsibility of a school system. In fact, those diagnoses are medical diagnoses, we are not allowed as school employees to provide medical diagnoses.

Q I'm not talking about the psychological exam but comments and that would be contained within school records, correct?

A I've -- I've never seen any, I would suspect that maybe a guidance counselor might have in her own personal notes some mention of that if that happened within the school but I've never seen them in a standardized way that's maintained on a standardized transcript.

Q In your years of practice and your evaluations that have been done and all the school records that have been provided to you, you have never seen in those records anything such as a comment from a teacher or anybody else concerning unusual behavior?

A In the school psychological records, for example, if a child is being diagnosed --

So, you have seen that in school records? 1 Q 2 MR. MOORE: Your Honor, I object unless this 3 witness is allowed to finish answer the question. MR. BROWN: It was a yes or no, has she ever seen it. 5 Okay. For purposes of that 6 THE COURT: question, if you can answer yes or no. 7 THE WITNESS: Okay. In a standardized 8 9 transcript, no. 10 BY MR. BROWN: 11 Have you seen it? I have seen comments in special education 12 records regarding concerns about emotional behavior 13 functioning, if you're talking about emotional problems in 14 special education records, yes, but not in a standardized 15 transcript from a school setting. 16 You indicated when the defendant went to 17 Wuesthoff that was February 3rd, 2008? 18 19 Yes. 20 He denied with them having any psychiatric Q 21 history or any mental health concerns? 22 Α Yes. 23 And you would expect that is something when somebody comes one of the issues the hospital is going to 24

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look at, right?

- 1 A Screen, yes.
- Q And there's no indication from the records that they observed any concern?
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- 5 Q And he denied any history?
- 6 A Correct.
 - Q And when he went to the Department of Corrections, their screening was also done, correct?
 - A Correct.
 - Q And the screening did not produce any indication or concern of any mental health issue?
- 12 A Correct.
- Q And he denied having any history of any psychiatric problem or mental health concerns, correct?
- 15 A Correct.
 - Q And when he was arrested on this case he was -the jail records from March 7th, 2012, they did a
 screening of him coming into the jail, correct?
 - A Correct.
 - Q And he denied to the jail having any history of mental health problems?
- 22 A Correct.
- Q He denied any history of mental health treatment.
- 25 A Correct.

- Q Denied any family psychiatric history?
- 2 A Correct.

- 3 Q Denied any head injury history?
- A It was in the DOC reports and there was some inconsistency, at times -- initially he did not report it but later on in the records it was documented.
- 7 Q Did he -- the jail records when they brought 8 him in on March 7th indicate he was lucid?
- 9 A I believe so, yes.
- 10 Q Coherent?
- 11 A Yes.
- 12 Q Did not display any systems of mental health problems?
- 14 A No, not then.
- 15 Q They did not? That's correct, that's what they
 16 indicated, he did not display any symptoms of mental
 17 health problems?
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 Q And then he was transferred to the John B. Polk 20 Correctional Facility?
- 21 A Yes.
- Q And they did the admission of him in March of 23 2012 as well, correct?
- 24 A Correct.
- 25 Q And he denied with them any history of

- psychiatric problem or mental health concern?
- 2 A Correct.

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- Q And they also did a mental status exam on him?
- 4 A Correct.
- 5 | O March 13th?
- 6 A Correct.
- 7 Q 2012, right?
- 8 A Correct.
 - Q And that was found to be unremarkable?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q The first time -- concerning his report of 12 hearing voices, the first time there is ever any 13 documented history of him claiming about this was not 14 until September 11th, 2012, correct?
- A Yes, that's consistent with my notes.
- 16 Q Now, concerning the Miranda tests that you
 17 gave, you used the term knowingly, voluntarily and freely,
 18 correct?
 - A I'm sorry, I didn't hear that.
- Q Freely? What terms do you use concerning -21 what are you looking at for a person's waiver of Miranda?
 - A Intelligently, knowingly and voluntarily.
- Q Let's look at knowingly. How do you define knowingly?
- 25 A Does he have a sense of awareness of what he is

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- Q Which would incorporate then a sense of awareness of to what those rights are?
- 4 A Yes.
- 5 Q And that he might incriminate himself or 6 possibly incriminate others, correct?
- 7 A Yes.
 - Q And that's one of the factors you look at is his awareness of incriminating himself or incriminating others?
- 11 A Yes.
- 12 | Q How about voluntary, how do you define that?
- 13 A Freely without any coercion.
- 15 A Correct.
- Officers threatening him, physical threats, verbal threats, right?
- 18 A All of the above.
- 19 Q Actual physical abuse from the officers?
- 20 A Correct.
- 21 Q And intelligent, how would you define that?
- 22 A Logical -- with logic and reasoning.
- Q And when you say with logic and reasoning, what do you mean by that?
- 25 A Intelligence is a -- represents a person's

- ability to apply thinking skills in the decision making process logically.
 - Q Do you use a different test than somebody just saying it wouldn't be logical to confess to the police, that's not what you mean, correct?
 - A No.
 - Q So, it's simply evaluating his situation and making a fair decision on whether he wants to speak to the police, right?
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- Q Now, you talked about in this -- these tests that you give, the Grisso test and there also was the SAMA test concerning Miranda, correct?
 - A Correct.
- Q And the SAMA, S-A-M-A, it's the Rogers Standardized Assessment Mirandized I think?
- A Abilities, yes.
 - Q Abilities. SAMA for short?
- 19 A Yes.
 - Q So, if I use the term SAMA just so we understand which test we're talking about.
- 22 A Correct.
 - Q And when you testified on direct concerning the percentile where he scored, you indicated one portion of the test he scored in the one percentile and the

ninety-ninth percentile?

A It depends upon how the question is asked. In other words, his performance on the measure of acquiescence, in other words, how much did he demonstrate, how much did he show on this test, his performance was at the ninety-ninth percentile. So, he demonstrated lots of acquiescence which is -- and so that means that this characteristic tendency of his was extremely high?

- Q But the standard that you're using percentile, it's compared to other adult offenders, correct?
 - A Yes, other adult, right.
 - Q So, it's not the general population.
- A Correct, it's the population of people who are likely to experience having to give up or asked to give up the Miranda rights.
- Q Adult offenders, people that have already been in the system?
 - A Yes.
- Q So, you're measuring his willingness to give a statement versus other criminals?
- A That's the -- right, you compare it to the norming population in which the test was normed on.
 - Q Comparing the population is other criminals.
- 24 A Yes.
- 25 Q Not the typical average law abiding person in

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- 2 A Correct.
 - Q And this is acquiescence to law enforcement, is that what you're measuring?
 - A Somebody in authority.
 - Q Which obviously for Miranda is only going to be law enforcement, correct?
 - A Correct.
 - Q There's going to be nobody else in authority who's going to give Miranda warnings and then an interrogation and police interview unless there's police officers, correct?
- 13 A Correct.
- Q So, you're comparing his measure of acquiescence to authority versus other criminals?
- 16 A Correct.
 - Q Now, on the SAMA test, we'll talk about that first, you indicated that there was a large -- there was a portion of it that he simply claimed no memory.
 - A One of the subtests, yes.
- 21 Q And that's what he was scoring in the impaired 22 range?
- A I didn't score it because he doesn't have any memory of it so I couldn't measure it.
- Q Okay. And then on the Grisso test, that's when

- 1 | you scored the acquiescence to authority, correct?
 - A No that was on the SAMA.
 - Q The SAMA test. Okay.
- The Grisso test has four sections, correct?
- 5 A Correct.

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- Q Comprehension of Miranda rights, comprehension of Miranda rights, recognition of those rights, correct?
- A Correct.
 - Q Third section would be comprehension of Miranda vocabulary?
- 11 A Correct.
- 12 Q The fourth section would be function or rights
 13 in interrogation?
- 14 A Correct.
 - Q Okay. And function or rights in interrogation, what is meant by that.
 - A It means -- in this -- this is measured by having a (unintelligible) kind of a brief story in which Mr. Bradley was asked about how the person might be feeling when they're being questioned by police. So, it relates to a hypothetical setting in which officers are asking questions to an individual.
 - Q And in that particular section of the function of rights interrogation he was normal, right?
- 25 A Right.

- Q In the normal range?
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- Q Comprehension of Miranda vocabulary, normal range?
- 5 A Correct.
- 6 Q The comprehension of Miranda rights 7 recognition?
 - A Let me see. He had difficulties on that test.
 - Q Okay. But he did have you indicated an ability to repeat various statements?
- 11 A Yes.
- 12 Q What do you mean by that?
 - A It means that what does this word mean and he could define it, the ability to recognize that right, in an example provided he had difficulties doing that. So, in other words, he could define the word but when he had to apply it he had difficulties in a hypothetical situation.
 - O He knew what the words meant?
- 20 A Yes.
- 21 Q And his function of rights in interrogation was 22 normal. So, he knows what the words means and his 23 function is normal?
- 24 A Yes.
- 25 | Q Now, you indicated where he scored the worst

which you brought up on direction examination was his acquiescence to authority?

- A Yes.
- Q In other words, if somebody in authority -- sorry.
- 6 A Um-hmm.
 - Q Okay?

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- 8 A I'm fine.
 - Q Somebody in authority tells him to do something, compared to other criminals east in the portion that is most likely going to obey that request, right?
- 12 A In a standardized setting in which he is in touch with reality the answer's yes.
 - Q You reviewed the video of the shooting, the murder of Deputy Pill, correct?
- 16 A Yes.
 - Q You would agree that Deputy Pill is telling him to step out of the car?
- 19 A Correct.
- 20 And she told him that numerous times?
- 21 A Correct.
- 22 Q And he did not acquiesce to that person, Deputy 23 Pill, in her requests, did he?
 - A He asked her if she was going to shoot him.
- 25 Q She made numerous requests for him to get out

1 of that correct, right?

- A Correct.
- Q Did he ever get out of the vehicle?

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MR. BROWN: Your Honor, may I have a moment?

THE COURT: Yes, you may.

(Thereupon, a pause was taken in the

8 proceedings.)

MR. BROWN: Judge, I have no further questions.

THE COURT: Okay. Redirect on behalf of the

11 Defense.

REDIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. MOORE:

Q In reviewing the Wuesthoff records of the automobile accident in 2008 and comparing that with the version that reflected in the Wuesthoff records of how the accident occurred with what Mr. Bradley told the police, with what he told you, is it clear in the Wuesthoff records who the reporter actually is? Did you get that —do you see in the records which would be page 1 where as you just indicated the car t-boned another car, patient relates hit face on airbag, cut eyebrow, possible loss of consciousness per witnesses at the time of the accident. So, is it clear here that that actually — that information is actually coming from Mr. Bradley?

- 1 A No, it's not completely clear.
 - Q Okay. And at that time he -- according to the records there, he was reporting to the hospital this accident when he had cocaine and Xanax and marijuana in his system and was in pain and was there for treatment of the pain?
 - A Correct.

Q Right?

And so would the inconsistency be explained by those kinds of factors which -- I mean, as far as what's in the records it's really not clear who the information is being gathered from?

- A That's correct.
- Q And in the version that -- the recitation to the police in the DVD where he said -- when he was questioned by the police, I believe he said he went through the windshield and was almost killed and spent a week in the hospital, but he didn't tell you that part, did he?
 - A No.
- Q That he went through the windshield and was almost killed and spent a week in the hospital?
 - A No.
 - Q So, that would be a less severe version than what he actually told the police?

- What he told me was less severe, absolutely. Α

Did you get an impression at any time when he's

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- related his history of his head injuries that he was confabulating or trying to fake bad or trying to increase the severity of what happened to him? No, I did not get any indication of that.
- And your face-to-face interview, is it or is it 0 not helpful in that fashion, essential actually in your determination of whether what he's seeing at least his best effort to give you a truthful answer?
- Absolutely. I mean, we communicate both with Α words which are verbal and body language which is nonverbal and there was no indication that he was attempting to embellish, exaggerate his experiences.
- We talked about reasons why in what you would call a screening setting at a jail or a prison or hospital for that matter where medical treatment is being sought about reasons why an individual in communicating with whoever the screener is would not acknowledge mental health issues, talking about that, and do you know -- are you aware of the qualifications of the individuals in these settings to gather that type of information and to obtain an accurate picture of the person's mental health history?
 - I've reviewed many jail records, medical jail Α

records and it's not uncommon to find people report normal
mental status exam, for people to deny having mental
illness and, you know, a few months later they're sent off
to the state hospital.

Q Do you know how -- in what depth and for what length of time the interviewer in a jail setting or prison setting gathering that information actually spends gathering that information?

A I don't have any specific.

Q Do you know what terms are used, in other words, how the question is put to the interviewee,
Mr. Bradley in this case, as to the mental health history?

A The form that they use that the records documented is just a simple statement have you ever received treatment, that's what I commonly find, it's just yes, no, yes, no, yes, no answers.

Q And there's a whole lot of questions on those formats, are there not?

A Correct.

Q Is just -- I mean, is there a full section with in-depth questioning about mental health history?

A Very -- I don't see much of that at all.

Q Did you see the specific documents that were that were generated by the jail and by the Department of Corrections as to the questions that were asked Mr.

1 Bradley?

A Yes, and they were just basic forms that's commonly used.

Q What kind of questions were asked?

A Have you ever been treated for or have a history of psychiatric hospitalizations, have you ever received treatment for mental health issues.

- Q The fact that a person's never been treated or hospitalize, does that mean mental health issues don't exist?
 - A No, it doesn't mean they don't exist.
- Q Is it also a cultural, is there a cultural component to answering questions in the negative about mental health problems?
- A Yes, and I also find that people who tend to come from low socio economic settings more often deny because of the sense of stigma attached to it.
- Q Is there an education component as well in the way a person would answer questions about mental health h history?
- A Absolutely, because they're more likely to have insurance so they can seek services.
- Q And what would be the level of sophistication of somebody with let's say a high school education which Mr. Bradley had about mental health issues?

A It varies depending upon the family, if the family has insurance, if the family is educated, if the high school diploma is just a stepping stone on to higher education, they're more likely -- you're more likely to be able to find supportive documentation.

Q When you're talking -- now we're moving to Miranda. When we're talking about the knowing, intelligent, voluntariness aspect and focusing on voluntariness, how would you relate what you learned of Mr. Bradley's history of abuse with the voluntariness component of the giving of the statement, the waiving of Miranda?

A Mr. Bradley is a passive dependent individual who came from a dysfunctional family, abusive, and he's somebody who --

Q By his stepfather at least?

A Yes, and reject -- mother nonsupportive. This is a person who turns to others by support because of his organically based personality, the way his personality exists. People are born with a dependent or independent personality, both types can be healthy, both types can be unhealthy. The basic difference is a dependent person prefers to have other people meet their needs. An independent person prefers to meet the needs themselves. Dependent people who are healthy tend to be the popular

kids in school because they develop social skills, they develop the ability to connect with others. So, that's a healthy one. However, a dependent person who's raised in a dysfunctional home, and I saw that all the time when I was in the school system, is much more vulnerable to have negative outcomes because their primary source to go to does not provide it.

- Q During the interview, the portion where the police are agents are talking to Mr. Bradley there is a moment when the police walk in to the interview room and they, quote, help him off the floor and into the chair, do you recall that and observing this?
 - A I watched that component on multiple occasions.
 - Q Why did you do that?

- A Because I wanted to make sure that I had the opportunity to carefully evaluate his presentation at the time he waived his Miranda rights.
- Q The component where he's put in the chair and the way he's put in the chair and how he reacts and how that relates to the voluntariness?
- A He is literally picked up and placed on the chair and as he was slowly aroused there was a real -- his facial -- his nonverbal sign was one of fear.
- Q And would you -- would you describe him actually sitting in the chair or was -- did it appear

force was used as it relates to the issue of voluntariness?

A He did not voluntarily get on the chair by himself, he was literally picked up off the floor and placed in the chair.

Now, when asked about the corroboration of head injuries, when you ask for corroboration, did you -- what was more important to you or what was important to you in determining the validity of the history of head injuries, there's a couple of components, one is the internal consistency would you say of the versions that you had?

A Yes.

Q And how about the corroboration through the neuro-imaging?

A Yes.

Q What would be of greater importance to you?

A When I formulate an opinion I take into account the person who's in front of me who I observed over a period of time, I take into account my test results including validity and reliability and in this situation I had the opportunity to have the neuro-imaging. So, based upon the consistency, which is really important of the objective data, as well as his reported statement, it was very clean in the sense that they all were very consistent.

- Q Is there a term for that?
- A It all --

Q Goodness of fit.

A Okay. What I was going to say was when you do these evaluations when you utilize the scientific methods you come up various alternative hypotheses as possible findings and you use what is called the goodness of fit model. In other words, by putting all the data together does it support this hypothesis or this hypothesis or this. Okay. So, it's kind of a goodness of fit, what fits the data best and in Mr. Bradley's case the data best fit the presence of a head injury associated with a lack of -- a disruption in the controlled processes, a disruption in his processing speed, a disruption in his self awareness all related to that executive prefrontal lobe.

- Q And a disruption in his ability to process information, what he observes?
 - A Absolutely.
- Q Would you say -- what was more important -- let me ask this. Was it important for you to determine whether the automobile accident in 2008 was the source of the head injury?
- A The most important thing was the presence of a head injury.

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And you determined that through your neuropsych, neuropsychological testing as confirmed by the MRI and the PET scan?

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As it relates to the date you've been asked to testify about which is March the 6th of 2012?

Correct. Α

And so for your purposes in coming to a conclusion that there was a head injury, that the automobile accident was -- or others of the incidents were the source of that head injury and that at the time when Miranda was waived and the statement given it had an effect on Mr. Bradley, were you satisfied in your review of all the information that that was the case?

Yes, and particularly the results of the neuro cognitive imaging found abnormality that is consistently found with people who have a traumatic brain injury and people who suffer from schizophrenia.

What is the age of the onset of schizophrenia?

You can have childhood schizophrenia, you can also have schizophrenia at any point in life if you've had a head injury. There's actual cases where a baby is born and it experiences a hypoxic event or a lack of oxygen and then twenty years later they develop paranoid schizophrenia and no family history of it. So, brain

- injury can exacerbate or cause the development of a psychotic disorder.
 - Q If in taking the -- you told Mr. Bradley that you were there to evaluate the Miranda issue or how did you put that to Mr. Bradley?
 - A Well, the second one I explained to look at his competency as it pertains to the Miranda rights.
 - Q And would you, would you expect if there were malingering -- well, first, that would show up on the Paul House test, would it not?
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- Q And wouldn't you expect his zeros, goose eggs
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 you gave if he was truly trying to fail it?
 - A Yes, I wouldn't expect him to come up in the normal range on a lot of these tests.
 - Q And he did come up with --
 - A Yes, absolutely.
 - Q -- some but not all?
 - A And again it was consistent with my test to determine whether or not he was providing information based upon his perceptions.
 - Q Now, you indicated acquiescence most likely -person's most likely to acquiesce in a standard setting if
 in touch with reality?

A Yes.

Q At the time eight hours earlier at the shooting, did you have any indication that Mr. Bradley was not in touch with reality as it relates to your finding of voluntariness?

A He was suffering from --

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object at this point.

THE COURT: Okay. Let's have a bench conference.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

THE COURT: Go ahead and put your objection on the record, Mr. Brown.

MR. BROWN: Object because this is going for inadmissible evidence.

MR. MOORE: Mr. Brown on cross asked specifically if the defendant was not acquiescing at the time he was told by Deputy Pill to get out of car, I'm revisiting that. They specifically went into it and I'm now asking, you know, what the circumstances were and why she has reason to believe at that time that he may not have been -- he may have been out of touch with reality which is what she said is a component of acquiescence. She said in order to

acquiesce you've got to be in touch with reality and I'm about to point out the reasons for it why at the time that Mr. Brown eluded to at the time he was confronted by Deputy Pill he was not in touch with reality.

THE COURT: Mr. Brown, your response.

MR. BROWN: Judge, they're trying to go into diminished capacity. They brought up the -- on direct they brought up that she reviewed the video, they brought up that she --

THE COURT: I couldn't hear you.

MR. BROWN: They brought up the shooting video that she relied upon that she even went to far as to say that he was paranoid and then she says he was in a situation where he acquiesced to authority. So, my simple question was she reviewed the video, she saw that he didn't get out of the truck and he did not acquiesce to authority and the request from Deputy Pill to get out of the truck. It's not calling for her opinion of the diminished capacity, that's clearly where the Defenses is trying to go with this and I objected to them going into the video at all and Court overruled my objection. So, I think I'm allowed to at least put on a few questions in an area they they've covered.

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MR. MOORE: I'm foreclosing --

THE COURT: You can't -- you asked about her -you asked that question in reference to acquiescing
about authority with regard to the statement, now
you're going into a collateral matter with regard
to -- because he said isn't it true he didn't
acquiesce in that situation and then you're going to
go into a collateral matter why he didn't acquiesce
in that situation, I mean in the shooting situation.
So, I'm going to grant the objection.

MR. MOORE: Your Honor, he went into, he specifically asked the question he didn't acquiesce at that time and she said on cross examination as well that in order to acquiesce you have to be in touch with reality, but she said -- she needs to be able to say that at that time he wasn't in touch with reality because they opened the door on that.

THE COURT: You can go back into the voluntariness of the statement but you can't go into the acquiescence -- that he acquiesced at the time of the shooting to the demands of Deputy Pill.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

BY MR. MOORE:

The point in time where we're focusing here is

- eight hours, seven, eight hours after the shooting, correct?
 - A At the Miranda, yes.
 - Q At Miranda. And that's after Bradley you observed was either sleeping or passed out?
 - A Correct.

O That entire time?

And you indicated that he did not acquiesce because he -- for a number of reasons, your opinion, and you indicated that a person in order to acquiesce has to be in touch with reality?

A Yes, and in regards to being in a cage like setting where the only possibility would be to -- sort of like in the Stockholm Syndrome when somebody is kidnapped it's a coping mechanism for survival is to go along, to follow the commands.

Q Is there a drug influence in the voluntariness component?

A Oh, absolutely, because a common symptom with the ingestion of drugs is sluggishness, a lack of awareness, drowsiness.

Q So, the greater the impairment, the less likely a person is to voluntarily give a statement?

A And knowingly. I mean, he was asked a question and he responded in an accurate manner.

Q So, for that eight hour period of time given what you know about his history the drugs in his system then, would his ability to acquiesce be greater or less eight hours earlier?

MR. BROWN: Judge, I'm going to object.

MR. MOORE: Revisiting what the State went into on cross examination.

THE COURT: Based on the ruling I just gave, I'll sustain the objection.

BY MR. MOORE:

Q Did it pier over that eight hour period of time preceding the interrogation that Mr. Bradley was -- the drugs in his system were wearing off? Did you get that impression from when you observed eight hours earlier while he was sleeping and falling out of the chair as you put it until the police officers walked into the room that the drug effects were decreasing?

A So, seven or eight hours earlier.

Q When you first started watching the DVD until the time the police walked into the interrogation room, did you get an impression of the drug component as it relates to voluntariness whether he was coming down, going up in terms of being high?

A He appeared impaired in both situations. I would defer to the drug expert to answer that particular

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And we're talking about this acquiescence standard is people who are adult offenders who are more likely to know their rights, would that be correct? Is that a correct assessment from your point of view as somebody with experience dealing with SAMA and the Grisso tests?

A Yes.

Q You compared -- since that the basis of comparison is other adult offenders, would you say categorically that adult offenders are more likely to -- or less likely to acquiesce because they know their rights and they've been through the system?

- A That would be a logical assumption.
- Q I mean, is that --
 - A Yes, that's my opinion.
- Q Is that what you know through your experience and training?
- A Yes.
 - Q About the background --
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q -- and the validity of these tests?
- 23 A Yes.
 - Q You indicated that on the SAMA that Mr. -- the Miranda test Mr. Bradley was able to recognize his rights

but he had difficulty applying them?

A Correct.

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Q And how does that, how does that apply to the voluntariness of the statement and the waiver?

A It means that again when he's not -- it's somewhat like apples and oranges because when I evaluated him he was coherent logical, but what I observed on the tape was not a coherent individual. So --

Q At what point?

A Well, throughout the whole period that I watched and viewed on that whole interrogation tape, this was a man who was confused, he had problems with his coordination, he could not call his motions, this man was impaired throughout that whole tape.

Q How about his ability to speak?

A He mumbled, I had a very difficult time speaking to him, he required frequent repetitions and it was often as if he would say a few words and then the officer would say okay, this is what you mean and he would mumble yes. It was almost like they were kind of helping him complete his statements by reformulating is this what you meant or is this what you were saying. So, he basically directed and guided his response. And again when they asked him questions like how long have you been in a relationship, I'm paraphrasing, how long have you

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And what was his demeanor like on that occasion 0 compared to the interview with the police and your first

been in a relationship with this woman, he mumbled something about age twelve. Well, he actually met her, he hasn't been a relationship with her since the age of twelve.

What was Mr. Bradley's demeanor like, his ability to communicate on the first meeting, your first meeting with him at the Polk County Correctional Institute?

His presentation overall was consistent with somebody who is experiencing psychotic events, psychotic experiences, he was fearful, he was paranoid.

How did that compare to what you observed in the DVD and his demeanor and his ability to communicate?

Α He was better than what was -- he was -- when I saw him first he was better able to communicate, he wasn't as impaired compared to his presentation on those DVDs, he was very impaired.

And then final time that you met with 0 Mr. Bradley at the Polk County Correctional Institute, was that -- did I understand you correctly, that was at a point in time when he had begun to take the psychotropic medication?

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A It was significantly different, I didn't see the elements or characteristics or symptoms of paranoia, he was -- his mental status was much more stable.

Q Did you see signs of responding to internal stimulus, stimuli?

A Not the second time, the first time, yes.

Q What does that mean responding to internal stimuli?

A You could tell he was distracted, he was, he was responding to information not from me and nothing that I observed in that setting.

MR. MOORE: No further questions.

THE COURT: Okay. Recross by the State.

MR. BROWN: No, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Ma'am, thank you for your testimony, you're free to step down.

THE WITNESS: Thank you, Your Honor.

(Thereupon, the witness exited the witness stand.)

THE COURT: Okay. We're going to go ahead and take the lunch break. If you could get back here at 1:15. We'll be at lunch until 1:15. Report to the jury assembly room at 1:15. During this lunch you must continue to abide by your rules governing your

service as a juror. Specifically do not discuss this 1 2 case among yourselves or with anyone else or allow anyone to discuss it in your presence. Do not speak 3 to the lawyers or the parties or the witnesses about 4 5 anything. You must avoid reading newspaper headlines and/or articles relating to this trial or its 6 participants. Avoid seeing or hearing television, 7 radio or Internet comments about this trial and do 8 not conduct any research yourself regarding any 9 matters concerning this case. Okay. Court will be 10 in recess until 1:15. Thank you. 11 12 13

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(Thereupon, the jury was escorted out of the courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had as follows:)

Okay. Please be seated. THE COURT: matters that we need to address before we recess for lunch as well?

MR. MOORE: No.

MR. BROWN: No.

THE COURT: Okay. Court will be in recess until 1:15. Thank you.

(Thereupon, a lunch recess was taken in the proceedings.)

THE COURT: Please be seated. Okay. We can bring out Mr. Bradley.

(Thereupon, the defendant was escorted into the courtroom by the court deputy.)

THE COURT: Okay. I do have the standard jury instruction for 3.9(b), defendant's statement, and they have added the word on the new one knowingly.

Just so you know, it says knowingly voluntarily and freely made. So, we need to make sure that when we get the jury instructions, which I assume we're going to do later today, that we have this one current.

This is current through March 1st, 2013. I mean 2014. I don't know when it was amended but apparently it was amended to add the word knowingly.

Okay. I can give you all a copy if you want.

MR. MOORE: Well, unless I put it in my scrapbook.

THE COURT: Doesn't happen.

MR. MOORE: Memories of all of this.

THE COURT: Well, I made -- there's two copies, we made two copies, a copy for each side. I was going to say give it to Mr. Pirolo.

I mean, I'm assuming we're going to work on jury instructions at the end of today?

MR. BROWN: That would be the plan.

THE COURT: Okay. That was my plan. Okay.

Anything we need discuss before we bring the jury

into the courtroom? Okay. We're ready. 1 (Thereupon, the jury was escorted into the 2 courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had 3 as follows:) 4 THE COURT: Please be seated. Good afternoon, 5 6 ladies and gentlemen of the jury. THE JURY PANEL: Good afternoon. 7 THE COURT: Has anyone read or been exposed to 8 reading newspaper headlines and/or articles relating 9 to this trial or its participants? 10 THE JURY PANEL: No. 11 12 THE COURT: Has anyone seen or heard 13 television, radio or Internet comments about this trial? 14 15 THE JURY PANEL: No. THE COURT: Have you read news -- any news 16 headlines or articles relating to this trial or its 17 18 participants? THE JURY PANEL: No. 19 20 THE COURT: Has anyone conducted or been 21 exposed to any research regarding any matters 22 concerning this case? 23 THE JURY PANEL: 2.4 THE COURT: And have you discussed this case

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anyone to discuss it in your presence? 1 THE JURY PANEL: No. 2 THE COURT: Okay. Other witnesses on behalf of 3 the Defense? 4 The Defense would rest. 5 MR. MOORE: Okay. Thank you. 6 THE COURT: MR. MOORE: Your Honor, can we approach? 7 THE COURT: Yes, you may. 8 (Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out 9 of the hearing of the jury as follows:) 10 MR. MOORE: It may be more appropriate at the 11 end of rebuttal but I'll make it now, the motion --12 13 renewed motion for judgment of acquittal directed verdict on the grounds previously stated. 14 THE COURT: Okay. Based on the Court's -- I'll 15 deny the State's -- I mean the Defense's motion for 16 judgment of acquittal and then you can readdress it 17 18 after the rebuttal if you wish to do so. Okay. 19 Thank you. (Thereupon, the benchside conference was 20 concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:) 21 THE COURT: Okay. Rebuttal witnesses on behalf 22 23 of the State. 24 MR. MCMASTER: State calls Dr. Bruce

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Goldberger.

THE COURT: Sir, if you'll come forward, step 1 2 up before the clerk to be sworn. 3 THEREUPON, DR. BRUCE GOLDBERGER, having been first duly sworn, was examined and testified 5 6 upon his oath as follows: THE COURT: Okay. Sir, if you'll please be 7 seated in the witness chair. Once seated if you'll 8 scoot chair forward. Do adjust that microphone to 9 fit you. Do talk into that microphone, it helps 10 everyone hear your testimony, it also aids in 11 12 recording your testimony. 13 THE WITNESS: Okay. THE COURT: Okay. Mr. McMaster. 14 15 MR. MCMASTER: Thank you, Judge. DIRECT EXAMINATION 16 17 BY MR. MCMASTER: Good afternoon, sir. 18 19 Good afternoon. If you would, please state your name for the 20 record and spell your last name? 21 My name is Bruce A. Goldberger, 22 Α 23 G-O-L-D-B-E-R-G-E-R. 24 Dr. Goldberger, I'm going to ask you a series 0 of questions, if you would direct your responses to the 25

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ladies and gentlemen of the jury and let's start by telling them your occupation.

A I'm a forensic toxicologist at the University of Florida, I'm in the position of chief of forensic medicine and director of forensic toxicology.

Q Dr. Goldberger, were you retained by the State of Florida, the State Attorney's Office here in Brevard County for the purpose of reviewing the toxicology records regarding a laboratory testing done by Wuesthoff Reference Lab regarding the defendant, Brandon Bradley?

A Yes.

Q And also were you requested to review the evaluations done by Dr. Susan Skolly-Danziger regarding how drugs that had been reflected in the Wuesthoff Reference Lab may have affected the defendant's ability to knowingly, voluntarily and intelligently waive his Miranda rights?

A Yes.

Q What's the difference between a forensic toxicologist and an applied or clinical toxicologist?

A It's relatively clear, forensic toxicologist is a toxicologist who obviously is practicing toxicology but for the purpose of its application to law, like for litigation like today whereas a clinical toxicologist or an applied toxicologist doesn't necessarily have the

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credential or the experience or even education to understand why it is so important to speak and to opine in certain ways.

Q I take it the terminology between the medical use of wording in the applied and clinical toxicology forum is different than perhaps in the forensic toxicology forum where you're involved in legal concepts?

A Absolutely. My degree is in forensic toxicology and I've been practicing forensic toxicology for more than thirty years and there's specific training, there's a specific understanding of the law as well that's necessary to work in the field of forensic toxicology particularly at the level where one is expressing opinions with a certain degree of certainty. The typical clinical toxicologist or applied toxicologist doesn't have that background.

Q Let's discuss, if we can, your qualifications to give an expert opinion as to forensic toxicology as a forensic toxicologist and let's start with your education.

A I have a BA degree in zoology from Drew University, it's a small school in New Jersey, but more importantly I have a Masters degree and a doctoral degree in forensic toxicology from the University Maryland School of Medicine in Baltimore.

Q Let's talk about when you got your first your

1 BA degree in zoology.

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A That was in -- I have to refer to my curriculum vitae. That was in May of 1982. It was a while ago.

- Q And how about your Masters degree in forensic toxicology?
- A I entered the field in forensic -- entered the field of forensic toxicology in 1982, I got my Masters degree in August of 1985, a few years later.
- Q And you got doctorate in forensic toxicology also?
 - A Yes, in January of 1993.
- Q And you've been practicing as a forensic toxicologist since 1982 then when you first got into the field.
- A Yes, sir, of course at different levels because I started in 1982 as a chemist, for example, on the bench learning all the methodologies and the techniques necessary to conduct a forensic toxicology analysis and then moved to interpretation of those findings which takes many years to learn and gain that necessary skill.
- Q Let's talk about your work history and experience. I believe you started out you said in forensic toxicology in 1982, where was that at?
- A Well, that's when I started as a student in training so I was at the University of Maryland training

from 1982 to 1992 and during that timeframe I had several positions. One was working in a clinical toxicology lab as well as working in a forensic toxicology lab. And then later on after I got my Masters degree I became the assistant toxicologist for the State of Maryland Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

Q And that really get you into the field of forensic toxicology where you were starting to combine your research with the legal concepts?

A Yes, sir.

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Q Did you become -- or how long did you stay at the Chief Medical Examiner's Office in Baltimore?

A I think I resigned a year or two before I got my doctoral degree. I was working full time for the State of Maryland and there was just no way I could do that and also do my research and complete my studies on time. So, I withdrew from my position with the State of Maryland for a year and a half or two while I finished my doctoral degree.

Q Once you finished your doctoral, where did you go?

A I came to Florida within the year. So, I started Florida in October of 1994.

Q And where was that?

A Well, I use the term Florida, University of

1 Florida.

Q When you say Florida I know what you mean but some of us live in the overall state, not just at the university.

A So, I came to University of Florida in Gainesville in October of '94 and I've been there ever since.

Q And what positions have you held and what experience have you gained at the University of Florida?

A So, initially I started off as an assistant professor and then over the years I was promoted to an associate professor and then to a professor and then more recently I've been promoted to division chief of the forensic medicine division and the department of pathology and I'm director of UF health forensic medicine but I still supervise the work done in the forensic toxicology lab. So, I'm still tied to the laboratory that conducts analyses.

Q So, when it comes to forensic toxicology at the University of Florida, you're the top guy?

A I am.

Q Can you tell us a little bit about what certifications you hold in the field of forensic toxicology?

A I've been Board certified for about twenty

years. I'm currently certified by the American Board of Toxicology, that is the only certification body in this country that certifies forensic toxicologists.

Q And how about the -- are you familiar with the American Board of Applied Toxicology?

A No, I'm not familiar with that Board, they don't -- they may be a certification program but they're not a certification program for forensics toxicologists. There use to be two, now there's only one and that would be the American Board of Forensic Toxicology.

Q Any other certifications? What does it mean to be Board certified in forensic toxicology and how do you go getting it?

A Well, Board certification in forensic toxicology is just like being Board certified in dentistry or pediatrics or radiology, it's an additional credential to ensure to your clientele that you have the necessary education, necessary training and experience to be a good practitioner in that field. So, in forensics or forensic science there's a movement currently that will require that all scientists who work in this arena be certified by a certification body. We don't have that quite yet but in forensic toxicology there's about four hundred individuals certified around the country.

Q And you are one of those?

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A Yes, I'm actually president of the certification body.

Q So, you would be the head guy of the committee that would make the determination as to whether someone' qualified to become a Board certified member?

A I don't make -- necessarily make those final decisions, the American Board of Forensic Toxicology has a Board of Directors and it has committees that work on behalf of the Board. I do sit on the credentials committee as president of the Board but it's -- it runs like our government runs, we have votes and we have all business process that needs to be taken care of.

Q You're not Zaro the Universe or emporor, you just are part of that process.

A These right, majority rules.

Q Do you have any other certifications that you hold, doctor?

A I'm also licensed by the State of Florida as a clinical laboratory director, I've had that license for about twenty years. So, that gives me the ability to work in a clinical laboratory like a clinical toxicology laboratory and supervisor or conduct analyses and consult on these cases involving living individuals. The majority of my work is directing a post mortem toxicology lab. So, that's working on decedents or dead people.

Q Any other certifications?

A I use to have one other but I discontinued that because there was no reason to continue to pay the Board for that certification.

Q Fair enough.

How about honors and awards?

A I've received multiple honors or awards over my career. I won't go through them for the sake of time, but early on I was honored by the American Academy of Forensic Sciences Toxicology section for my early work as a scientist conducting research in forensic toxicology.

Later on I received a similar award from the American Association of Clinical Chemistry and then later on I've received a number of awards for my more senior work in the field of forensic toxicology. And then even more recently I was given an award of recognition by the Florida Association of Medical Examiners for some of my work not related to toxicology but related to medical legal investigations.

Q And what are your professional memberships?

A I have a bunch. Again, I'm not going to go through them all, but I'm a member or actually fellow of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences and I'm a past president of that group. I was president about six years ago. That's a largest forensic science professional

1 organization in the world currently with over seven 2 thousand members. Of course, you know, I'm president of the American Board of Forensic Toxicology currently. I'm 3 secretary of the Society of Forensic Toxicologists, a group that represents over a thousand forensic 5 toxicologist, and recently selected as treasure of an 6 organization that certifies certification bodies. 7 it's kind of a higher level group called the Forensic 8 Specialties Accreditation Board, I'm the treasure of that 10 group right now.

Q Looking quickly at your resume, your CV, it appears that you are member or former member of approximately seventeen different memberships?

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Q And all pretty much related to forensic toxicology?

A Yes, directly or indirectly.

Q Have you lectured or published articles on the -- in the area of forensic toxicology?

A Yes. In terms of my lectures, I lecture at the University of Florida as well as lecture around the country as well as internationally. I'm going to Scotland next week to give a lecture at the University of Scotland in Glasgow and -- so, I'm probably lecturing half a dozen to a dozen times per year in different forums, public

forums.

In terms of writing, I'm co-editor of two books. I'm working on two additional books currently. One will be submitted to the publisher in a few months and the other is delayed but will be done eventually. And then papers in the peer review literature, primarily in the forensic science literature about seventy to eighty papers. So, these are peer reviewed papers involving various aspects of forensic toxicology or forensic pathology or medical legal death investigation and actually some other areas too that don't directly link me to forensic toxicology.

Q Have you testified in courts of law regarding -- as an expert in forensic toxicology?

A Yes, as a state employee and as a state toxicologist I'm called often to court sometimes once or twice a month so I've testified a lot, over two hundred and fifty times.

Q How about in depositions?

A In depositions I think it's about five hundred and seventy times. And then grand jury I believe four or five times.

Q All right. I take it you have been accepted by all of those courts that you have testified in as an expert in the field of forensic toxicology?

1 A Yes, every time.

- Q And have you given your opinions within a reasonable degree of medical certainty with respect to either the findings or conclusions that you made.
 - A Typically I would say toxicological certainty.
 - Q Toxicological certainty?
 - A Yes.
- Q Let's talk a little bit first about the Wuesthoff Reference Lab testing that was done of blood and urine drawn from Mr. Bradley on March 7th of 2012, did you receive the Wuesthoff lab report?
- A Yes, I have a copy of the lab report as well as all the supporting documentation.
 - Q That was my question. Did you also get the supporting documentation for the report itself?
 - A Yes, I did.
 - Q And are you qualified to review the supporting documentation in order to make a determination as to whether or not the lab results were correct?
 - A Yes.
- Q And what is your opinion with respect to the Wuesthoff Reference Lab results?
 - A That these results are accurate and reliable.
 - Q Are they as detailed as you would find in your own laboratory at the University of Florida?

A Our analytical approaches or methodologies are different but the conclusions would be similar.

Q Essentially the same getting? To the same point, different route?

A Yes.

Q And with respect to the findings that the Wuesthoff lab made, they did find two drugs in Mr. Bradley's blood, is that correct?

A There were actually four substances but technically two drugs, marijuana or THC and then its metabolites and then Alprazolam or Xanax.

Q So, essentially pot and Xanax was found in his blood samples?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now, there was also a urine sample that was submitted and tested and the results on that were a little bit different, is that correct?

A That's right, it did confirm the presence of marijuana in the defendant's system as well as the Xanax or benzodiazepine in his system but there was one additional drug which was hydrocodone. Actually, I think there's two additional drugs, there's the cocaine metabolite as well as the hydrocodone in his urine.

Q Can you explain the difference between finding only two drugs in the blood sample and finding evidence of

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So, when one conducts a toxicological analysis, the best scenario would be to have blood and urine from an individual collected at the same time. What's in the blood is applicable to impairment or intoxication. So, what's in the blood is affecting the brain and could potentially affect the individual in terms of their normal faculties like could they walk or could they speak, is their cognition affected or not and this is in contrast to a urine sample. A urine sample is simply a byproduct, it's as you know a waste product from our body that we all produce and we have no control over the production of it, of course. So, what he do find often is what's in the blood may be different than what's in the urine but you do like to see correlation. What's even more important though is what's in the urine doesn't mean that it's going to be found in the blood and the person would be affected by it. So, although there were metabolites of drugs found in the urine by no means could that be used to extrapolate back and say this person was impaired by X and Y for example because a lot of drugs persist in the urine for a long time. Marijuana, for example, traces could be found in someone's urine for up to a month if they're a chronic user.

Q How long would they stay in the blood after

ingestion of the marijuana?

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A Typically if someone is let's just say an infrequent user using once or twice a week maybe, the THC which is the psychoactive substance and its metabolites persist for a short period of time, but if someone's a chronic repeated user, it could persist in the blood for days potentially even at levels that look to be at concentrations that one would assume would impair someone.

Q Let's turn then to the conclusions or opinions reached by Dr. Skolly-Danziger. Have you had an opportunity to review the report that she prepared from I think it was December 4th of 2013?

A Yes.

Q You also had the opportunity to review the addendum to that report that she prepared on March 25th, 2014?

A Yes, I've reviewed both reports.

Q Now, you've told the jury that you sit on the Board -- you said you're the president of the Board for the issuance of Board certification?

A Yes, sir, I'm the president of the Board.

Q And did you at my request review the curriculum vitae, the resume of Dr. Susan Skolly-Danziger to review her educational and work history?

A Yes.

MR. MOORE: Your Honor, can we approach, please?

THE COURT: Yes, you may.

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(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

MR. MOORE: Your Honor, I only have one copy of this case but let me cite it and then state the relevant language and then give it to the Court. It's Cavan, C-A-V-A-N, versus State 9 So.3d 50, it's a Florida Fifth District Court of Appeal case from 2009 and it seems like they're going to -- State's going to have this witness testify -- comment on the qualifications of Dr. Skolly which according to Cavan the State cannot do and that would be cited on the language that's on page 4 of 5 of this printed opinion, but it's only about three or four pages long but this concerns pediatric experts in a shaken baby death case and the court says -- and they doctors are very critical of -- the state doctors were very critical to the defense expert and the court condemned that and said that an expert may not comment on the credibility of other witnesses. improper to impeach an expert witness by eliciting from another expert what he thinks of that expert but what can -- and there's more but just hit the

highlights. Questions can seek to elicit opinions of the witness critical of the validity of the opinions of the opposing expert, those are improper. An expert may properly explain his opinion on an issue in controversy outlining the claimed deficiencies in the opponent's methodologies so long as the expert does not attack the opposing expert's ability, credibility, reputation or competence. It's not improper for — to pose a question in a way that causes one expert to delineate the factors used in forming the opposing expert's opinion and then did the same as his own opinion and compare them.

So, if we're going after -- which is what it seems like, and here's the case like, Your Honor, going after the qualifications of Dr. Skolly through this witness, then Cavan says that's improper.

THE COURT: Response from the State.

MR. MCMASTER: I haven't seen the case but I think it's proper for this witness to testify that Miss Skolly-Danziger would not qualify for Board certification as a forensic toxicologist.

MR. MOORE: That goes to her qualifications which no matter how you package it that's the same thrust of, you know, it's the same argument, it's the same as they're going after the qualifications or

credibility of the witness and Cavan says you cannot do that. He can disagree with her opinion but he cannot attack her qualifications and especially by saying she's not Board certified because --

MR. MCMASTER: She testified she wasn't Board certified.

MR. MOORE: Okay. Well, then you don't need to go into that if that's what they're going after but I think to go beyond that and I'd ask that they -- State comply with the Cavan case.

THE COURT: It's my general understanding, I mean, that's that you can't attack the credibility of another witness. So, I'm going to sustain the objection. Do you want to keep this case?

MR. MOORE: Court can have it.

THE COURT: Okay. Thank you.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

BY MR. MCMASTER:

Q Let's discuss Miss Danziger's findings and conclusions in the reports that she did submit to you, doctor. First of all, in the December 4th, 2013, report, did she make several opinions wherein she concluded that the defendant, Brandon Bradley, was under the influence of certain drugs as of the, as of the time that he was read

his Miranda rights and purportedly waived those and gave a voluntary statement?

A Yes.

Q She concluded in the report that the defendant was under the influence of first cannabis, secondly Alprazolam or Xanax, three codeine and four promethazine, is that correct?

A Yes.

Q Based on your review of her findings and the Wuesthoff lab reports, did you find any evidence to support her findings with respect to those four?

A There's only evidence to support the ingestion or use of marijuana and Alprazolam. The toxicological findings were negative for the presence of codeine and promethazine. So, really there was no basis for that opinion involving those four drugs in total.

Q Let's discuss the two that the lab reports did support, the one regarding the cannabis, there was a positive lab result for the THC in the system in the blood, is that correct?

A Yes.

Q And confirmed in the urine so we know that for some period of time Mr. Bradley had been using pot?

A Yes.

Q Now, what information did Miss Danziger report

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about the defendant's long term use of this substance?

A She reported that the defendant had been using the cannabis since age twelve and his use was chronic and continuous as well as the use of the cannabis was repeated every day.

Q And does an individual who -- assuming that those facts are correct, does an individual who has this long term chronic use of marijuana build up a tolerance to it?

A Yes, THC is not unlike any other drug that the repeated use an exposure to it would result in pharmacologic tolerance. So, that means the actual psychotropic effects on the brain would diminish over time while the drug is used repeatedly.

Q And given the levels that were disclosed by the Wuesthoff lab, is there any way to sort of back extrapolate from the time when the blood sample was taken on the afternoon hours of March 7th of 2012 back to the evening hours of approximately 7:30 p.m. of March 6th at the time that the Miranda was administered to Mr. Bradley?

A No, it's impossible to extrapolate or estimate back to -- say to the time of the waiving of Miranda rights based on a single blood test for so many different reasons. One main reason is the half-life of the drug and that's a measure of how fast it's metabolized over time.

The half-life is the time it takes to metabolize a drug from one concentration to half of its concentration. We don't know the defendant's metabolic rate for either one of those drugs.

There was some attempt to extrapolate the Alprazolam. The half-life for Alprazolam is somewhere between six hours and twenty-six hours with an average of about eleven. So, you can't extrapolate. You can extrapolate drugs with simple kinetics like alcohol but you can't extrapolate drugs that have complicated kinetics like Alprazolam or even more difficult the marijuana because of the chronic nature of the defendant's use and the long term nature of the defendant's use of that drug.

Now, given the fact that we know that there was marijuana in Mr. Bradley's system as of March 7th at 3:30 in the afternoon when the blood sample was taken, is there any way to determine at this point whether he was -- or how much he was under the influence of any marijuana at the time that the Miranda warnings were given?

A No, it's not possible, it's too distant. To do it one would need to have a blood sample that's collected at the time which is --

Q At the time the Miranda warns were given?

A Yeah, but in addition there needs to be sophisticated measures of ones impairment like what the

police officers conduct on the roadside or in a station which would be a measure of both physical impairment, physiological impairment and mental impairment. So, just taking a blood sample, getting it tested and going backwards in time, there's really no easy way or definitive way or accurate way to project or opine that he's impaired based on the blood concentration, it can't be done.

Q And with respect to the Xanax or the Alprazolam, I think you indicated also that you could not do the back extrapolation with that?

A You cannot in large part because we don't know what his half-life was at that time.

Now, there's many different reasons, the only way you can do an extrapolation so you know is if you do repeated blood measures of the drug and then you can actually calculate the time that it goes from one concentration to half of the concentration, but it's also important to know when the blood concentration peaks in the blood and then is on the way down. There's so many factors that we can't quantify here to make it possible to extrapolate backwards.

Q So, the attempt by Dr. Danziger to back extrapolate wherein she comes up with Alprazolam or Xanax level of two hundred and fifteen or two hundred and

sixteen nanograms per milliliter I believe it was, is that an accepted or valid methodology for trying to go back and find what a person's level would have been twenty hours earlier?

A No, in my opinion you cannot do that for the reasons I spoke to already.

Q Now, you've indicated that there's a half-life for Alprazolam but it can vary from six hours all the way up to twenty-six hours, is that correct?

A Yes, sir.

Q And that's varies by the individual, not by the drug?

A That's right. So, there's some individuals that are metabolizing really slow and some really fast and then there's people in the middle of course.

Q So, without testing the particular individual involved, you can't make any kind of generalization about what the half-life might have been?

A That's correct.

Q The eleven hour figure that she used for doing the extrapolation is clearly just an average of all of the people together?

A It's not quite that but that's what's reported as the most common or accepted half-life but there's a huge range.

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Q Now, you did have an opportunity to view the actual interview of the defendant, did you not?

A I did.

Q Now, in Dr. Danziger's report she indicated that Mr. Bradley gave her a history of taking I think up to twenty-four tablets in the hours preceding the interview with the Miranda warnings, is that correct?

A That's right, there were two taken earlier in the day and then two allegedly I think after the incident but before the arrest.

Q Based on your experience and training, do you have an opinion about what effect that would have had on a defendant assuming that he does not have a long term exposure or tolerance to the drug Xanax but had only been using it in any substantial amount for say two weeks prior to the time when he's in the administration of Miranda warnings?

A That's a massive quantity of Alprazolam. Most people for the treatment of anxiety may take one or two milligrams maybe once or twice a day. These Xanax were two milligrams apiece I believe, so two times twelve is twenty-four milligrams and there's allegedly two times where he took these twelve milligrams or twelve doses rather, that's just a massive or unbelievable amount of Xanax allegedly ingested by the defendant. And if it's

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the case, I would expect him to be flat out in a coma state. Maybe not dead but in a coma state. Xanax alone won't kill, if you mix Xanax with alcohol or some other sedative, it will kill but it's still an unbelievable quantity of drug.

Q And did that match up with the observations you were able to make of the defendant's interview that took place from 7:30 on for about a little over an hour on the evening of March 6th, 2012?

A No. I mean, he was sleepy which I think we could explain. He wasn't lethargic, he wasn't in a coma state, he could converse. I don't think he was slurring his speech, he was more mumbling rather than slurring, and there were times where he was clear on in terms — actually most of the time I believe he was clear on in terms of the answer to the question. So, there was — to me I didn't see any confusion or difficulty in answering some simple questions and some more difficult questions.

Q Now, the history that the defendant gave to Dr. Danziger over the course of the two different interviews varied from the actual lab results, did they not?

A Yes.

Q Did he give a history of having taken MDMA or Ecstasy shortly before the Miranda rights were

administered?

A Yes, there was some reference to I believe it was beanies or beans, it wasn't really clear on that, but there was no Ecstasy in the defendant's blood and urine and there were no other stimulants that are related to Ecstasy that were available at that time. So, there's no methamphetamine, there's no metholone, there's nothing -- actually there was no cocaine even in the blood. So, there's no confirmation of that statement given by the defendant to Dr. Danziger.

Q In fact, the chemical testing disputed the defendant's account?

A That's right.

Q How about the magic mushrooms, the psychedelic mushrooms the he claimed to have ingested shortly before all of this took place and he was given his Miranda rights, any evidence of that in the lab report?

A There's no evidence but typically laboratories don't screen for the hallucinogenic chemical that's found in a mushroom, it's called psilocybin. So, the negative result is negative because presumably it wasn't tested for.

Q So, we don't know one way or another with that one?

A Not with the mushroom, no.

1 Q How about Codeine?

- A There was no evidence of Codeine and if he had ingested Codeine within two, three, four days of this incident, his urine would be positive for sure.
- Q And how about the Promethazine, that's the active ingredient in cough syrup I think that they talked about?
- A That's right, or Phenergan, you may have heard it as Phenergan. No, there's no evidence of Phenergan or Promethazine in the blood and/or the urine.
- Q Now, there was a finding in the urine I believe it was about Codeine, is that correct?
 - A No.
 - Q Not Codeine, Cocaine, Cocaine metabolite?
- A Yes, sir.
 - Q Would you explain that to the jury?
- Mhen an individual consumes Cocaine it's metabolized, the common term would be Cocaine metabolite, the more technical term would be Benzoylecgonine, that's a chemical, it's a chemical term you're not comfortable with so it's okay to call it Cocaine metabolite and that's what was found in the urine, but there's no evidence of recent cocaine use in the blood.
- I wouldn't expect to find parent cocaine in the blood because time has gone too long since the incident,

but if he was using cocaine on a repeated or chronic basis you would still likely find the metabolite. There was no metabolite. So, we do have evidence in the end of recent cocaine use but not enough evidence to support that he was impaired by it.

Q How about the hydrocodone?

A Hydrocodone was in the urine. You probably know hydrocodone as a drug called Lortab or Lorcet, it's an opioid drug, it's used to treat pain. In the urine, not in the blood. So, again there's no evidence -- sufficient evidence to say that the gentleman was impaired by the hydrocodone at the time of the incident.

Q Did the defendant even give a history of ingesting any hydrocodone that you're aware of?

A No.

Q So, he's got some drugs in his system that he didn't mention, he's got at least one drug in his system that he didn't mention and several drugs that he said he took that do not show up?

A That's correct.

Q Now, given the history of taking the drugs at the last time at approximately 4:00 a.m. on the morning of March 6th of 2012 and conducting -- and the agents conducting the interview at 7:30 p.m. on March 6th of 2012, do you have any opinion about whether the effect of

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any drugs in his system would have been decreasing or diminishing in effect at that time?

A If there was any effect it would be decreasing at the time of the, at the time of the interview and then of course at the time of the blood draw which was hours later.

Q Now, can you -- based on the information that was available to you and the Wuesthoff lab reports and available to Dr. Danziger as well as the information that she related that she obtained from the defendant directly in the history from him during the interviews, can you or anyone else say with any kind of toxicological -- a degree of toxicological certainty whether at 7:30 p.m., approximately 7:30 p.m. on March 6th of 2012 the defendant was under the influence of drugs such that he could not knowingly, voluntarily and intelligently waive his Miranda rights?

A No, and you can use this blood test done hours later to establish that, it's not possible.

Q You did view the interview that the defendant gave to the agents, did you not?

A I did.

Q And you've seen people under the influence of drugs including the drugs we were talking about today here, pot, Xanax and Hydrocodone?

A Yes.

Q And was the defendant in the interview able to answer the questions relevantly?

MR. MOORE: Objection.

BY MR. MCMASTER:

Q In your opinion.

THE COURT: Okay. Bench conference.

(Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:)

MR. MOORE: It calls for a legal conclusion.

The relevance is not within the parameters of his expertise, he's a toxicologist, he's not a mental health expert, he's not a psychologist and even a psychologist couldn't answer a question phrased that way. Relevance is a legal determination.

THE COURT: Response from the State.

MR. MCMASTER: (Unintelligible), I guess I'll use a different word.

THE COURT: It could be a legal conclusion. So, I'll sustain the objection.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)
BY MR. MOORE:

Q Let's not use a term that we use in the legal courts all the time, let's talk about was the defendant

1 able to answer questions logically and cogently? 2 MR. MOORE: Same objection, Your Honor, it's 3 beyond the --THE COURT: Let's have a bench conference. 4 5 (Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out of the hearing of the jury as follows:) 6 7 What was the -- logically and what THE COURT: 8 was the second word? 9 MR. MCMASTER: Cogently. 10 MR. MOORE: You know, this is -- this is not 11 something that toxicologist can answer. It's not 12 even something a -- maybe a psychologist could but 13 not -- you know, we're talking about pure speculation 14 in the field outside far afield from this 15 gentleman's -- who is highly qualified as a toxicologist but to answer that's beyond his training 16 17 and expertise. 18 Okay. I'll sustain the objection. THE COURT: 19 (Thereupon, the benchside conference was 20 concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:) 21 BY MR. MCMASTER: 22 Dr. Goldberger, when Mr. Bradley was asked a 23 question about topic A, did he respond to topic A?

MR. MCMASTER: Objection. Same objection as

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I've stated before.

THE COURT: Did he respond to topic? 1 2 Topic A. MR. MCMASTER: 3 THE COURT: I'm going to overrule that, it's a yes or no. 4 MR. MOORE: 5 I object to the form of the 6 question, it's ambiguous. 7 MR. LANNING: Judge, may we approach? THE COURT: Yes, you may. 8 (Thereupon, a benchside conference was had out 9 10 of the hearing of the jury as follows:) 11 MR. LANNING: It's for the jury to --12 MR. MOORE: What does that mean? 13 THE COURT: He just said did he respond. 14 MR. MOORE: If he was asked A did he respond to 15 Α. 16 (Unintelligible) to the next THE COURT: 17 question. It's ambiguous for one thing, it's 18 MR. MOORE: irrelevant for another, it's strictly an opinion, 19 20 it's no more within his, you know, ability to answer 21 than did the defendant seem to be speaking relevantly 22 or -- I mean logically. So, I mean, this is all 23 going at the same -- trying to get the same opinion 2.4 testimony from this witness who with all due respect

he's not qualified to give opinions on this

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particular subject matter, and besides what does that -- I mean, the question's meaningless so I object to the form of the question as well.

THE COURT: Response from the State.

MR. MCMASTER: I thought it was a fairly factual question, in the interview asked to testify whether or not the detectives asked him a question about topic A, did he respond to topic A.

MR. MOORE: Does that mean topic A? What is topic A? When was topic A ever discussed?

THE COURT: You know, he's already testified that he responded -- with all due respect, he's already testified that he responded appropriately to the questions in his testimony but -- I mean, I think technically this objection is sustained.

(Thereupon, the benchside conference was concluded and the proceedings were had as follows:)

BY MR. MCMASTER:

Q During your viewing the interview of Mr. Bradley, did you find any signs of serious impairment by Mr. Bradley?

MR. MOORE: Objection, form of the question, what serious impairment means.

THE COURT: All right. I'll sustain as to serious impairment.

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- A No, but I know he was sleeping on the floor.
 - Q Sleeping. Was he sleeping or passed out or can you tell from what you saw?

A Even though I saw it, I don't think you can tell the difference between sleeping and passed out.

Q So -- All right. But before that if
Mr. Bradley, as has been testified, seen falling out of
his chair a number of times, would that be an indication
of impairment, would you think, given the toxicology
indication of drugs in the system?

A It could be but not necessarily definitive proof.

- Q You can't say one way or the other?
- A That's my point.

- And at the time you did actually begin viewing Mr. Bradley when the police got him up off the floor and put him in the chair and began questioning him, at that point in time he would have been coming down with respect to the drugs in his system, whatever effect they may have been having on him would have been diminishing at that point from the point previous to that when the drugs were ingested?
- A If he was even impaired at that point but yes --
- 25 Q The effect?

- A Yes, but if you make the assumption that he was impaired prior to that time then yes, as time passes the effects of the drugs would diminish.
 - Q Now, Promethazine with Codeine, that's found in cough syrup, isn't it?
 - A Yes.

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- Q That's ingested for whatever effect people get from that by drinking it?
 - A You can get high by drinking cough syrup.
- Q Some people do. You know, you're a toxicologist and you know what people use, what drugs people use?
 - A People have used that before, yes, to get high.
- Q And so Hydrocodone is also an active ingredient in cough syrup?
- 16 A It can be.
 - Q And if one were to say pick up some cough syrup that can make you high, has codeine in it, some has hydrocodone it in, some has promethazine in it?
 - A Promethazine.
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- A Maybe, maybe not. Hydrocodone is widely available.
 - Q Okay. Do you think somebody who drinks cough syrup for a high is going to be likely to be able to

distinguish the active ingredient in it from promethazine
to hydrocodone? You think that's something that an
average person who drinks cough syrup would necessarily
know?

A Well, the promethazine is what we refer to as aphenathiazine, it's not a narcotic, it has an antihistamine like effect as well as sedating. I think more appropriately is can they distinguish between codeine and the hydrocodone and probably not although hydrocodone is stronger than codeine.

Q So, if an individual as a toxicologist who has seen people impaired, has seen people ingest all kinds of things, if somebody is ingesting, drinking cough syrup for a high, it wouldn't make a difference whether the active ingredient is promethazine or hydrocodone?

A It might not.

Q Or that person would even know what the difference is?

A Well, sophisticated users of drugs do know the difference and I don't know how sophisticated the defendant was at that time so.

Q If they read the label I guess it would be on the label, wouldn't it?

A If it comes with a label. It might not even come with a label.

Q Good point.

MDMA, Ecstasy from beans which you indicated there was no indication of that in the blood or urine?

A That's right.

Q Okay. In your experience as a toxicologist, do people who use regularly as Mr. Bradley has been established to do street level drugs, do you think they always get it right, that is, the drugs that they get they know exactly what they're taking?

A Maybe not, but Dr. Danziger's report seemed pretty definitive regarding his use of this stimulant.

Q Well -- so, are you presuming then that she absolutely got it right or that perhaps Mr. Bradley was -- had it misrepresented to him as to what he was consuming? I mean, can you rule out that possibility?

A I can't rule that out but he may have mowed her down as well. So, I'm not really sure if that's the other possibility.

Q Now, you indicated that if Mr. Bradley had consumed the amount of Xanax, alprazolam that was claimed that he'd be flat out, what, sleeping, passed out, what would he be?

A He clearly would be lethargic and fast asleep because essentially what's reported is ingestion of twenty-four two milligram tablets of Xanax, that's an

unbelievable amount. It wouldn't kill him because Xanax doesn't kill alone, only in combination.

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Q Is there a level -- I'm sorry?

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A But that as I said is an amazing figure.

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Q Is there a level of tolerance, a person's tolerance who ingests Xanax regularly, is it affected?

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A Yes, someone would become tolerant to it but I don't believe the defendant was tolerant and this is one of the opinions that Dr. Danziger switched on before her final report because someone who's tolerant to a benzodiazepine like Xanax, when you withdraw the drug from

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So, I don't think there's evidence that he was using the drug chronically, that he had tolerance to it and the jail

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definitively impaired by Xanax, we can't say that.

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Q We don't know one way or the other? That's what you said, we don't know?

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A That's my point, but I have no evidence that I can pinpoint that says he was impaired by Xanax or impaired by marijuana.

Q Okay. Dr. Goldberger, if Mr. Bradley was

observed flat out between noon and when the police woke

him up to interrogate him at 7:30 and was -- at least one

point a police officer was unable to wake him up, to

arouse him, would that be consistent with consuming a

A It might be or it might not.

large quantity of Xanax?

Q That was the part you didn't see? You didn't see that part in the DVD, correct?

A No, but I knew that happened.

Q Now, when you're talking about back extrapolation you're talking about on the basis of the medical -- basis of the toxicological report alone, correct?

A That's right, just taking that number and going backwards.

Q But a competent toxicologist in making that retroactive determination is not going to rely just upon the toxicological report, would that be correct?

A Yes.

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Q Right. And so there are other items that a -if a toxicologist like yourself, if you're asked to give a
retroactive extrapolation of the influence that a person
might have been under in the past, you would want to
consider as you pointed out field tests, you know, the

type of tests given by a police officer to determine the level of an individual's impairment?

A Rights.

- Q Among other things?
- A That's right.
- Q That's one thing. Okay.

And also if there were eyewitnesses to the behavior of an individual at any point in time, you would want to have -- you would at least consider that information, would you not, for whatever it's worth?

A Eyewitnesses are useful, in this case we have the video, that's even better.

Q Right. Sure. And so you -- did you -- how much of that DVD did you view?

- A I viewed the --
- Q From the point in time that the police woke up him?

A To the time that he exited the room, it was an hour and twenty minutes or thirty minutes, whatever that was.

Q Okay. And you indicated that if a blood draw to be from the definitive with respect to the person's — the amount of drugs they have in their system at any point in time, the ideal time is to take the blood at let's say the time Miranda was read, that's the point in time at

1 issue?

A That's right but in addition to the blood draw you would want to document the signs and symptoms of impairment.

Q Right. Would it also not help to do a face-to-face interview with the individual to get that person's drug history so you can at least determine tolerance and make those sorts of determinations as well?

A Those are important but that's something that you do at the jail because if the person has an issue with drug use and tolerance the jail personnel need to know so they can on watch for a withdrawal.

Q Okay. So, you have reviewed Dr. Danziger's report or evaluation and all the list of things that she had in which she viewed, what she considered and her opinion?

A Yes, I think we in the end had the same material to review except I had her report to review obviously.

- Q You didn't talk to Mr. Bradley?
- A Of course not.
- Q Right. So, you didn't have that?
- 23 A No.
 - Q And you didn't have a deposition of the co-defendant who was in the car and claims that she heard

Mr. Bradley say certain things at a certain point in time?
You didn't have that either?

A No.

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Q Now, as far as what can be -- what opinions can be derived from a toxicological report, isn't it true that with respect to THC -- well, at least in your opinion, your opinion is that there can be no inference of impairment of mental faculties merely from the toxicological report let's say of THC?

A That's correct, and that includes this type of case, it would also include a DUI.

Q Right. So, as, you know, you're familiar with the laws in Florida as it relates to that, that a person can be found guilty of DUI both for the way they act outwardly but also there's a presumption of impairment just from the level of blood -- the level of blood alcohol?

A Blood alcohol only so regarding -- right, blood alcohol only, we do have what's referred to as per se presumption of impairment at .08 or higher but regarding drugs in blood we have no presumption.

Q But as you have acknowledged, at least what you've acknowledge in your deposition, you are aware that the two states that have legalized recreational use of marijuana, Colorado and Washington, they've presumed

levels of impairment from a level of THC of 5.5 nanograms
per milliliter, is that correct?

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- Q And actually Mr. Bradley's was higher than that, was it not?
 - A Slightly higher.
- Q So, had the law enforcement chosen to do so they could have collected a blood sample from Mr. Bradley at the time that he was taken into custody or at the time that he was read his Miranda rights, he was in their custody?
- A I don't know all the legal requirements but I believe he would still have to consent to that or there had to be a court order from a judge.
- Q He could have been asked? You know, he could have been asked if he wanted a blood sample, the police officers could have done that?
- A Sure.
- Q And they could have performed what you call DREs, field tests?
 - A Drug recognition expert.
- No, that's the wrong terminology, the --
- 23 A Field sobriety exercise.
- 24 Q Thank you. Those.
- 25 A They could. A situation like this it would be

unusual that those types of exercises would be, would be conducted on a defendant.

Q Okay. Based upon the level of THC in the blood at the time of the blood draw which was actually 4:00 clock p.m. on March the 7th, 3:55 p.m., would it be -- isn't it correct to say that you cannot, you cannot draw any inference back retroactively to the time of Miranda, correct? You've already said that.

A We can't especially with the alleged history of the marijuana use dating back to when he was twelve years old and using many blunts per day, no one can extrapolate back, who knows what his number was at that time.

Q Right, but it doesn't refute the contention that he was under the influence of THC or any of the other drugs in his system?

A That's right, I never said it would refute it.

Q No, it's not inconsistent with that conclusion either, is it?

A If you want to draw that conclusion, sure, but the number alone doesn't support impairment, there has to be other facts considered.

Q Would brain damage be a factor that a toxicologist would take into consideration, or one would consider in making a determination of the effects of blood -- effects of THC or alprazolam on that brain?

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be appropriate to go that way. So, you wouldn't -- even if you had that you wouldn't consider it, that is an MRI or PET scan result? Α I would not, no.

scope of a forensic toxicologist. As you know I have some

medical background as well but no, I don't think it would

Not unusually, that's generally outside the

You would describe yourself as -- when it comes to opinions about the effects of controlled substances on behavior, on mental faculties, you would describe yourself as conservative, very conservative?

Yes, because I'm asked many times, consulted by attorneys and highway patrol and officers from around the state regarding the effects of drugs on normal faculties and I would never support the prosecution of an innocent So, you have to have the competent toxicology as well as backup information which would include signs and symptoms of impairment, maybe pre-imposed incident observations, there's a lot to put together and without that and I don't think it can be done.

Especially in a death penalty case, wouldn't 0 you say?

Α Of course.

> MR. MOORE: No further questions.

Redirect by the State. THE COURT: Okay.

REDIRECT EXAMINATION

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Q Dr. Goldberger, when you have testified in courts over the number of years that you've been testifying, is that all for the state, some for the defense, split, how's that go?

A Well, most of time it's for the state but not a hundred percent for the state. So, I'm called from time to time to consult with or to testify for the defense.

Q And you were asked by Mr. Moore that you are on conservative side in your testimony, is that correct?

A Yes, and I think all forensic scientists and toxicologists should act conservatively, not aggressively and that's how I behave.

Q Records don't show it you're not going to testify to it?

A That is exactly true.

MR. MCMASTER: No further questions.

MR. MOORE: No questions.

THE COURT: Okay. Sir, thank you for your testimony, you're free to step down.

(Thereupon, the witness exited the witness stand.)

THE COURT: Okay. Other witnesses on behalf of the State.

We would call Dr. Patricia Zapf. 1 MR. BROWN: THE COURT: Ma'am, if you'll step up before the 2 3 clerk to be sworn. 4 THEREUPON, DR. PATRICIA ZAPF, 5 having been first duly sworn, was examined and testified 6 upon her oath as follows: 7 THE COURT: Please be seated in the witness 8 chair. And once seated if you'll scoot that chair 9 forward. Do adjust that microphone and do talk into 10 that microphone. Okay. Mr. Brown. 11 12 MR. BROWN: Thank you. 13 DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. BROWN: 14 Doctor, would you please state your name and 15 spell your last name for the jury? 16 It's Patricia Zapf, Z as in Zebra A P as in 17 Peter F as in Frank. 18 And doctor, how are you employed? 19 I'm a professor of forensic psychology at John 20 J. College of Criminal Justice in New York City. 21 Can you give the jury your educational 22 0 23 background? 24 Α Yes. I received my Ph.D in clinical forensic

psychology in 1999. I am a clinical psychologist who did

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a specialization in forensic psychology and I have worked only in forensic psychology since 1999.

Q And can you give the jury a background of your work history?

A Yes. So, I a professor at John J. College of Criminal Justice which is part of the City University of New York, I've been there for twelve years, twelve years. Prior to that I was an assistant professor at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa, and prior to that I was a graduate student.

Throughout my graduate training I worked for numerous agencies. I'm from Canada originally so I worked for the Correctional Service of Canada in a number of jails and prisons doing intake evaluations and forensic assessments of various offenders. And I have a private practice here in the United States. I've been here since 1998 and I've had a private practice since 1999 flying around the country testifying on issues, mainly on competency, criminal competencies.

Q And can you tell the jury what organizations or certifications that you hold?

A Yes. I belong to a number of organizations.

Probably the most prominent organization is the American

Psychology Law Society, it's a division of the American

Psychological Association. I currently serve as president

elect of that society, I become president in August.

also belong to a number of other international

organizations, International Association of Forensic

Mental Health Services and the American Psychological

Association as well.

Q And doctor, have you previously testified as an expert in the field of forensic psychology?

A I have.

Q Can you tell the jury how many times and what locations?

A Not too many times, probably about twenty-five times in total, primarily in Alabama but then also in New York, California, Florida. I'm licensed in Alabama, New York and Florida so that's primary three states of practice but I serve as a consultant across the United States so. Can get temporary licenses if necessary to testify in other jurisdictions.

MR. MOORE: We're having trouble hearing over here.

THE COURT: If you could try to talk -- make sure you talk to the microphone because it really does, especially in that corner they have a microphone and it will help them hear better.

THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.

BY MR. BROWN:

Q Can you tell the jury have you lectured, have you published in this area?

A Yes, I have published extensively, I have -- I don't -- I keep count for my university but I've published I think it's right now about six books and manuals, eighty-five articles and chapters in various peer reviewed publications, and a couple other books in production right now to be published in the next couple of years. And I give lectures all the time, I train both legal professionals and mental health professionals across the country and internationally on conducting best practices forensic evaluations.

Q Doctor, have you been retained in this case at this point by the State of Florida to evaluate and go through the report of Dr. Olander in this case?

A Yes.

Q And has that been for the purpose of whether or not the defendant's statement was freely, voluntarily and intelligently given?

A Yes.

Q And in order to do that, what have you reviewed prior to court today?

A So, I reviewed all of the information that Dr. Olander reviewed, all of the medical history that was

1 available which is the Wuesthoff Hospital records from 2 February 3rd, 2008, the Department of Corrections records, the intake records at the county the jail as well as 3 school records and Dr. Olander's records as well as her 4 raw materials, her testing materials and her raw scores 5 for the various tests. I watched the video of the post 6 arrest interview or the interrogation of Mr. Bradley and I 7 think that kind of captures all the information. 8

- Q Have you also reviewed Dr. Olander's written reports --
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- 12 | Q -- her main report and addendum report?
 - A And Dr. Olander's written report and two -- one addendum and one e-mail about the diagnosis.
- MR. MOORE: About what?
- 16 THE WITNESS: About the diagnosis.
- 17 BY MR. BROWN:
 - Q Now, doctor, in this case at this point you have not interviewed the defendant himself, correct?
 - A Correct.
 - Q And depending upon the jury's verdict in this case, are you set to do that on Wednesday?
 - A Correct.
 - Q Now, going through the records you were able to review the educational history of the defendant?

- 1 Α Yes, I was.
- 2 That he had a high school diploma? Q
- 3 Α Yes.
- With a 2.6 state GPA, 2.7 district GPA? 4 Q
- 5 Α Correct.
- The IQ test from the Department of Corrections? 6 Q
- 7 Yes. Α
- The medical history both reported by him and 8 0 what's been documented? 9
- 10 Α Correct.
- And the psychological history of the defendant? 11 0
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- 14 Dr. Olander, correct?
- 15 I did, yes.
- And did I go through that history, complete 16 17 history with her?
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- Now, let me jump ahead rather than going through it with you as well, you indicated you had the opportunity to examine Dr. Olander's, not only her reports but her raw data, can you kind of explain to the jury what 23 is the raw data, what did you have to review?
- 24 So, the raw data, any of these tests that we Α talk about or instruments, psychological tests, basically 25

they're pencil and paper tests and so when I talk about raw data, typically the tests will have, you know, two to ten pages, it depends on how long the test is and what types of things are being tested, but the record form it's called. So, where questions would be asked of the evaluee and the responses would be written verbatim on the record form. And then also typically most tests also have the scoring right there on the record form. So, you would ask the question, you would write down the defendant's or the evaluee's responses verbatim and then also score those responses depending on the scale of the instrument.

Typically zero, one or two is how most instruments are scored. And so the raw data simply means all of those record forms for the various tests that she administered.

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Q In addition to that, does her data which she provides include her notes or summary of the interview with the defendant, things that he told her?

A Yes, her notes as well as typically we're instructed to write down our observations of the evaluee in the margins or on the papers at various times when we're -- because you're asking questions but you're also observing their behavior. So, you're wanting to get a sense of, you know, the content that's coming out of their mouth in terms of the responses, but then also the process or the manner by which they are answering your questions,

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whether they're, you know, attentive, whether they're engaged, whether they're wandering off, whatever the case might be of your observations. So, both observations as well as verbatim responses, scores as well.

Q And did the material that you reviewed from Dr. Olander include those types of comments and things of her interaction with the defendant, what she observed of him?

A Yes, correct. I believe that Dr. Spicer may have done some of the testing as well so it's unclear who did what on the various protocols but all the raw data is there and I examined that all.

Q And in your field, is it common to go back for -- an expert to go back and evaluate a prior doctor's examination, their comments, their input and examine their raw data?

A Yes, yes, it's very common, anything that another expert does becomes in essence part of the record and so that would also be something that you would want to review to evaluate as part of your evaluation.

Q And is knowing that it's likely to be reviewed by another expert, is that why you're trained to put your observations down of an individual, his reactions, what you observe, things of that as you go through the process when you're doing the testing?

A Yeah, in the forensic arena definitely you

always are cognizant of the fact that you would have two sides to every case and so you always want to make sure that you're documenting everything so that anyone else coming in to look at it can look at the same information and make, you know, their evaluation based on what you had observed in your notes and your comments, but generally just in psychological practice even if it's not in a forensic realm you still want to be able to make sure that you're writing down your observations. As you know, it's difficult to remember things over time and so writing down your observations is just simply the way we're trained to make sure that we're being accurate and recalling details later on when necessary.

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Q Doctor, in reviewing the work of Dr. Olander in this case, did you notice anything concerning the issue of malingering, what is malingering and the testing that she did in that regard?

A So, in any forensic evaluation you can only take the defendant's words, the information that they offer at face value in terms of, you know, getting input from that individual, everything else needs to be corroborated. So, that's sort of the general rule of thumb for forensic. In any forensic evaluation there are — there is one issue that always needs to be considered and that's issue of whether someone is

malingering. Kind of a fancy term for lying or exaggerating or can be maybe faking mental illness. So, in any evaluation that I conduct because I'm a forensic psychologist I'm always looking for issues of malingering. I'm always evaluating that in every evaluation and then sometimes I'll go on to do further formal testing for malingering.

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And so in Dr. Olander's evaluation she evaluated for response style which is another way of saying malingering but what response style really looks at is the manner in which someone presents, do they seem like they are presenting in an open and honest manner, are they providing information that appears to be accurate and valid and so the test that we have for looking at someone's response style typically asks questions that would be very common for most members of the population to acknowledge and you're basically trying to get a sense of whether this particular individual is either denying or minimizing or exaggerating on the basis of these responses that are fairly typical. So, are they going to deny doing something that most people in the population would admit to even though it might be something that is, you know, we might be a little bit embarrassed to admit to it. that's typically what they look for in terms of response style.

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Doctor, before you go on, was that the Paul House Deception?

Yeah, the Paul House Deception scales is one of Α those measures that can be used to evaluate an evaluee's response style.

Is that the one that Dr. Olander used?

She did, she used that one. And then there's also some instruments have validity scales built in as part of them in essence looking at consistency of responding. You want to make sure when it's like a four hundred and twenty item true, false questionnaire that somebody isn't sitting there going true, true, true, true, false, false, false, false, you know, kind of variable responding, you want to actually try and make sure that they're reading the items, and even if you're not in the room with them there's some scales that are typically built in look at that consistency of responding, are they answering the same question worded slightly differently in the same way throughout the test. So, the validity scales and the Paul House Deception scales are the instruments that Dr. Olander used to help her make a determination about the presentation style of Mr. Bradley in this case.

Are there any additional tests that you feel there's some areas that were not covered by that type of testing and any additional tests that --

A Yeah. So, in forensic evaluation as I said the rule of thumb is to corroborate everything. So, you're always looking for third party information that's going to corroborate what is told to you by the evaluee. So, in the situation where and evaluee is claiming to have symptoms of mental disorder or memory impairments or cognitive deficits of some sort, then there are tests that are -- have been developed to specifically assess the degree to which those symptoms are valid. So, it's called symptom validity testing, basically trying to get a sense of whether the symptoms that someone is claiming are valid symptoms.

Probably the most common test that's used for the psychiatric symptoms is called the SIRS, that's structured interview of reported symptoms. There are other tests that look at someone's validity of their memory deficits or cognitive impairments, one of those would be the test of memory malingering, the T-O-M-M, the TOMM. So, that's a typical test to use when somebody's claiming to have memory deficits to try and get a sense of whether that's valid. And then the SIRS is a test that's very commonly used to look at symptom validity of psychiatric symptoms.

Q And in this particular case given the defendant's claim of lack of memory for certain instances,

do you think the TOMM test is something that should have been given?

A The TOMM, yes, definitely, there may be others that I would perhaps use instead of the TOMM that just get added in a little more sophisticated way, a little less obvious, a little less face transparent, and then certainly the SIRS for the psychiatric symptomatology, absolutely.

Q And what did you see that you feel prompt the need to give the SIRS type of test?

A Well, I'm always -- you know, in general in any forensic evaluation I'm looking to corroborate information and so when somebody is saying that they're having psychotic symptoms which, you know, is not very common in the population, two to five percent of individuals in the population maybe have psychotic diagnoses, when somebody is claiming to have a psychotic symptom then that's an area where I will delve more deeply to try and look at what's the history of this, what other symptoms do you have, how does this hang together.

Typically it's -- you know, what I would do is -- when I work a case I literally get a bankers box or two of all of their mental health records. So, usually somebody who has psychotic symptoms has a fair -- it's a pretty acute disorder, it's something that occurs over

time and there's usually a lot of contacts with mental health. So, I will review all of those records, I'm looking for consistency, I'm looking for the history, when the symptoms started, what -- how they play out, whether they get worse, how they react to medication, all of those types of things.

In this case it was -- there's not a lot -there's really no mental health history records. So, we
can't look at records for that. So, you've got the self
reported of the defendant and so then I would be looking
for testing to confirm the validity of what I'm being told
by the defendant.

Q Now, specifically going to what you were asked in this case to opine towards is whether the defendant waived his Miranda rights in a knowing, intelligent and/or voluntarily manner, did you look at the Miranda type testing and the raw data we spoke of and the testing that Dr. Olander did?

A Yes, definitely.

Q And the two types of tests, the Grisso test and the SAMA test, are those legitimate type testing?

A Yes, there are basically only two I'm going to say instruments which then are comprised of subtests. So, each of these instruments, there's the SAMA, the standardized assessment of Miranda abilities published in

1 2012, relatively recent but done very well. And then 2 there's the Grisso instruments which were published in 1998, kind of the gold standard in the field to this point 3 4 because they've been the only ones that have been, you 5 know, developed by Tom Grisso who is like, you know, sort of the grandfather of forensic psychology, they're very 6 7 well validated instruments. They've recently been revised but Dr. Olander used the older version of those 8 instruments, which is quite fine, and then the SAMA. 9 10 I've had opportunity -- I'm familiar with all of those instruments and have had opportunity to review her 11 12 administration and as far as I can see from her 13 observations and information on the profiles, the raw data 14 and then I can see, you know, verbatim what the responses 15 were from the defendant when she was asking questions in 16 her evaluation.

Q And in your career have you given and reviewed those tests many, many times?

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A Yes, actually I was a Beta tester for the SAMA which means one of a few people in the country who was called upon before it was published to test it out, give feedback. My background is in test administration and construction, so.

Q And did you see any issues or any problems with the presentation of the test to the defendant in that

regard?

A No, I don't think so, everything looks quite, you know, fine, the only issue was the fact that the defendant indicated that he didn't have memory for the time that he waived his Miranda rights so the time of the interrogation. So, there's a lot of spaces where, you know, questions would be asked but then it's like no memory, no memory, no memory, a big kind of zero with a line through it throughout the raw data. So, it just means there's nothing there for her to score because he has no memory of that time.

Q Okay. And how about the defendant's performance on the Grisso test, how did you -- can you tell the jury how did he perform on that test and what is your take from his performance?

A Yeah, there's four sections of that test, one looks at the vocabulary, one looks at his understanding of those words and basically he's given two statements and he needs to make -- say whether they're same or different. And then there's the function of rights of an interrogation where he's asked questions about those rights and what it means and he scores within normal limits, he's not impaired on any of them. Dr. Olander in her report notes that he has some inconsistencies on the -- where you give two statements and they have to say

whether they're same or different, but that instrument is,
you know, it's zero through twelve is the possible scoring
and he scored a nine. So, he, you know, had a couple of
errors there but still within normal limits.

- Q And twelve would be a perfect score?
- A Yes.

- Q And in the other areas on that type of testing, the function or rights of interrogation, comprehension of Miranda vocabulary, the others areas he scored --
 - A Within normal limits, yes.
- Q So, what was your overall interpretation of his performance the Grisso test?
- A So, he was unimpaired on the Grisso test and that -- my overall interpretation was that he wasn't showing any deficits in terms of his understanding, reasoning, appreciate abilities that kind of come into play when you're talking about like what it means to waive your rights.
- Q So, now going to the interview itself, you used terms knowing, voluntarily and waiving Miranda?
 - A Yeah.
- Q Can you kind of give the jury a definition or what you're looking for in each of those three types of categories?
- A Sure. So, voluntarily is pretty

straightforward, it means without coercion. Coercion can be because of some threat that's made or it can be like the promise of some big inducement, we can be coerced by like getting promised something that would make us do something against our will because it would be so great to get whatever that inducement is.

You know, when I look at in terms of the voluntariness, there was nothing in the interrogation situation that led me to think that Mr. Bradley was being coerced in any manner. He wasn't -- certainly wasn't being promised any inducements and he wasn't being threatened or, you know, the officers were extremely cordial and just very appropriate with him. So, in my mind there was no concern at all for the voluntariness, it was -- it appeared to be quite voluntary.

In terms of the knowingly, when we talk about competence, which is my area of expertise, we kind of talk about different abilities and so the ability that goes with the knowing prong of the Miranda waiver is understanding and that simply means does a person have an accurate understanding of the situation and there was really nothing that I could see from the interrogation that would show any misperceptions or misunderstanding.

So, I'm paying close attention to the words that he's using, I'm also looking at his body, you know, his

gestures, his nonverbals, all of that, and there's nothing to indicate that he doesn't know what's going on or that he has some misunderstanding of some crucial piece of information.

And then the intelligently component I sometimes refer to as fact or as rational understanding. So, taking those facts and then being able to apply them in a rational manner which means being able to weigh information and select information that would be more appropriate to give in certain circumstances versus less appropriate to give. And then also appreciation. So, that's just taking that factual understanding and applying it to your own situation and being able to make a decision about, you know, me here in this situation, am I able to, you know, know what's going to happen to me, do I understand what happens when I waive my rights, do I understand what it means to give the police information in this situation.

And then, of course, along with the knowingly, willingly and intelligently comes the totality of the circumstances. So, always have to take into consideration the totality of the circumstance which means characteristics about the defendant, how old the defendant is, what his level of education is, whether he was under the influence of any substances, if so, whether those

substances were taken voluntarily, willingly or whether they were like slipped into someone's drink and they were taken without them knowing, whether they've had contact with the criminal justice system, what their history is with that, their interactions with the police officers as well as the situation, you know, was the interrogation room, you know, were there unusual circumstances about that interrogation room or about the interrogation in some way. So, really kind of taking into consideration this whole totality of the circumstances and trying to make a determination about whether this person in this situation was willingly, knowingly and intelligently waiving his rights.

Q Okay. And in this particular case you talked about the situation in the interrogation room, did the officer let the defendant get up and move about?

A Well, the defendant -- I believe the defendant probably had leg irons on, it looked to me like that, I didn't actually see them, I'm making that assumption, he was handcuffed as well, and also, you know, had been sleeping on the floor just prior.

So, there was some testimony earlier about, you know, him being put in a chair by the officers which is accurate, one of the officers like picked him up and put him in the chair because he was, you know, shackled and

handcuffed and kind of sleeping or had, you know, been -is in the process of being aroused and so put in the
chair.

And then they had him do a few demonstrations at various times and they got up and they moved around and so yes, he's free to move in essence. I mean, he's not getting up and doing any big gestures but they have him play out certain, certain situations and where he was in location to other people and in relation to, excuse me, other people and so yes.

Q And during that time where the defendant is up moving about, did you either see or hear anything from the officers that in any way at that point threatened the defendant or anything of that nature when he's up and now --

A No, no, not at all my, my impressions were that the officers were very cordial, very appropriate with him.

Q How about the early part of the interview itself when the Miranda rights were read to the defendant, did you -- did anything occur during that would have any signature in your opinion as to whether or not he voluntarily, freely and knowingly waived his rights?

A So, that first part where he waives his rights, it happens right at the beginning of this interrogation and so they put him in the chair and he's, you know, kind

of waking up and they kind of say to him like are you okay to talk with us, you know, we have to go through some things and then one of the officers pulls up next to him and takes him through each of his rights and after each of his rights he mumbles, he says um-hmm like indicating an understanding of that right, the officer moves on to the next one to the next one and after each one he kind of gives this um-hmm. It's mostly an um-hmm like a mumble but um-hmm and then the officer asks him if he understands his -- that he's waiving his rights and he says oh, I understand and then they just they carry on. So, I took that to mean that he was, you know, he's had, he's had experience with the criminal justice system before, he's been in an interrogation situation before, I just took all of that to mean that he understood his rights and, you know, was waiving them willingly and moving forward with answering questions.

Q Okay. And would that be consistent with his performance on the Grisso test?

A Yes. Yeah, absolutely.

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Q Okay. Then there was a spot at about 7:44, again at 7:57, 8:21 and 8:24 and I'll focus first on the 7:44 one where he -- a clarification of his position to the officers in relation to the where the gun, do you recall --

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Q -- that portion of the interview?

Yeah, yeah. So, 7:44 is the time stamp Α Yeah. on the video and the video I think starts around 7:36 so like 7:30 at night, 7:36 at night and it's about eight minutes into the interrogation. So, the waiving of the Miranda rights at the beginning takes about two minutes and so it's about eight minutes into his interrogation. So, he's just kind of waived his rights and he's going through and answering questions where he is very clear to clarify for the officers -- the officer's trying to get a sense of how Mr. Bradley came into possession of the gun, like literally to hold the gun in his hand and so the officer's kind of I guess making some assumptions about where, you know, the gun is and how he reached over, how Mr. Bradley reached over for it and Mr. Bradley's very clear to clarify that, I said the gun was over there, I didn't say anything about reaching for it, and he does this a number of times throughout the interview and I'm paying close attention to that because those type of statements give me some indication as to whether he understand what's going on in the circumstance, in the situation and so my impression of those statements are that he has a clear understanding of what's going on and is making attempts to clarify even more for the officers

what his position is, what he's -- the information that he's giving.

Q And did the defendant throughout the interview on multiple times do that additional clarification with the officers as far as what he was saying?

A Yes, yes, number -- numerous times throughout the interview and in fact at one point says no, don't put words in my mouth, sir, like clearly knows -- my impression is that he clearly understand that words make a difference in this situation. So, he's being very careful about the words he's using and he's clarifying and correcting the officers when they're using words that he, you know, he didn't use or when he feels they're putting words in his mouth.

Q And do you also look to see if there are any instances where a person would indicate his appreciation of the rights that he has waived?

A Yes. So --

Q What is meant by that?

A Right. So, what I'm looking for when I'm watching those interrogation interviews is I'm basically looking for deficits in understanding, so some situation where they're giving incorrect responses or responses that don't really make sense. I'm also looking for, you know, whether they have an appreciation of what it means to, you

know, be talking to the police, to be telling them this information perhaps incriminating yourself. So, I'm paying close attention and so several times throughout the interview he gives indication of his appreciation of the importance of, you know, speaking with the police.

At one point he's giving information about the gun and he's very, you know, he's concerned about his baby mama in the interview interrogation but the mother of his child, his co -- the individual who was with him in the vehicle at the time. So, he's giving indication to the police officers that he doesn't want to incriminate her by giving information so he's kind of saying I don't want to get her in trouble. At one point he's talking about well, you know, twenty years, thirty years like, you know, what -- in essence what difference is going to make if I give this one piece of information, we're talking twenty years, thirty years.

So, there's a number of instances throughout his statements that he -- that says to me that he has an appreciation of the severity of the situation and of the -- of what it means to be waiving his rights, to be speaking with the, to be speaking wit the officers in this situation. He understands that giving pieces of information could add more time on. He certainly has an understanding of the severity of the situation that he's

- in with looking at twenty or thirty years, you know, in that post arrest interview.
 - Q So, for instance, when he says about the 8:05 mark he doesn't want to get his girlfriend in trouble, what does that show to you -- say to you?
 - A Yeah, that says to me that giving information to the police can be used against him or against her so doesn't --
 - Q Same thing again at 8:06 and 8:08, he indicates he's worried about saying anything against his baby mama?
 - A Yeah, yeah, a number of times throughout the interview he is concerned about incriminating the mother of his child.
 - Q Now, at the eight minute mark is there a discussion where he talks about regarding when, how and where he got the gun and whether that could incriminate himself, do you recall that portion of the interview?
 - A Yes, I do.

- Q Can you tell the jury what that signifies to you?
- A So -- yeah. So, there's this discussion that goes on about how he has obtained -- they're trying to get a sense of like how long he's had the gun, where did he obtain the gun and it is my impression that it wasn't actually his gun, that his girlfriend had gotten the gun

and so -- or had obtained the gun or it was her gun. So, he's very concerned that in giving information he might be incriminating his baby mama, his words, and so that shows me that he is able to complete those mental gymnastics that are required to know that I'm giving this information but not only could it incriminate me, it could incriminate someone else. So, it shows to me sort of a level of processing that indicates that he's aware of the severity of the situation and understands the risks in giving information.

Q Now, there's a spot at approximately 8:18 where he gives the officers an approximate amount of time that's elapsed from the hotel to the shooting of the deputy, approximately twenty minutes?

A Right.

Q So, he's fairly accurate, what does that say to you? What do you interpret from that.

A So, that's another thing that I highlighted in my report because what I'm, as I keep saying, what I'm doing is paying attention to everything he says as well as how he says it and so -- and everything has to be corroborated, right. So, I'm looking for third party information that corroborates everything he's saying.

So, at one point they're trying to get a sense of like how much time has passed before this incident at

1 the EconoLodge and when he comes into contact with the 2 officer and so they are asking him this in the 3 interrogation and so he says it's about twenty minutes. So, he's calculated and that is accurate, that is accurate 4 5 information as confirmed by the police report. So, it 6 says to me that in that moment he has a reasonable 7 perception of time, he understands -- like he has memory 8 for the events that took place and memory for the amount of time that has lapsed between various pieces of the 9 10 event.

Q Doctor, putting everything together, were you able to form an opinion about whether the defendant and his waiving of Miranda was knowing, intelligent and voluntarily.

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A Yes, I did not see anything that would, that would indicate that it was anything other than voluntarily, knowing and intelligent. I didn't see any indication of impairment of any sort with respect to waiving his Miranda rights.

MR. BROWN: Your Honor, may I have one moment?

THE COURT: Yes, you may.

(Thereupon, a pause was taken if the proceedings.)

MR. BROWN: No further questions at this time.

THE COURT: What I'm going to do is go ahead

1 and take an afternoon break. It's five minutes after 3:00, we'll take a break for ten minutes. Ask you to 2 3 be back here at 3:15. So, during this break you must continue to abide by your rules governing your 4 5 service as a juror. We'll be in recess for ten 6 minutes. Ma'am, I'm going to allow you to recess too 7 but recess after the jury leaves. 8 THE WITNESS: Thank you. 9 (Thereupon, the jury was escorted out of the 10 courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had 11 as follows:) 12 THE COURT: Okay. Please be seated. 13 Dr. Zapf, you can go ahead and be back here at 3:15 14 and we'll put you on the stand and bring the jury in. 15 THE WITNESS: Okay. Thank you. 16 THE COURT: Okay. Court will be in recess 17 until 3:15. 18 (Thereupon, a short recess was taken in the 19 proceedings.) 20 THE COURT: Okay. If we could bring in the 21 jury. 22 (Thereupon, the jury was escorted into the 23 courtroom by the court deputy and the proceedings were had

THE COURT: Okay. Please be seated.

as follows:)

1 Mr. Moore, cross examination. 2 CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. MOORE: 3 Dr. Zapf, the twenty-five times or so that 4 5 you've estimated that you have testified as a witness, has 6 that been as a psychologist? 7 Α Yes. And what would be the breakdown of how many times of those you testified for the government, the 10 state, the federal government? 11 I don't testify often, I'm not called often by 12 the state. I don't testify -- I do -- I mean, I don't 13 testify a lot because I write clear reports and typically 14 aren't called. I guess maybe fifteen percent of the time. 15 0 For what? 16 For the -- for the prosecution. 17 Fifteen percent for the prosecution. Q 18 federal and state? 19 Yes. А 20 And of the items that you reviewed, you 21 mentioned what you did look at and your report didn't 22 indicate that you had actually seen the DVD of the 23 interrogation or had you?

24 Yes. A

25 0 Okay.

- A I believe on both accounts.
 - Q So, the part that you saw of the interrogation of Mr. Bradley, that began when the police went into the room and woke him up?
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- Q Could you tell at that point whether he was sleeping or passed out or don't know one way or the other?
- A Don't know.
 - Q And when you indicated that they picked him up off the floor, he was literally picked up off the floor, wasn't he?
- 12 A Yes.
- 13 Q And would you say thrown in the chair?
 - A No, definitely not, gently placed in the chair.
- Q Was that when he sort of curled up in a fetal position, is that the part?
 - A Yeah, I saw that Dr. Olander had characterized it that way, I didn't see it that way, I saw them as like picking him up and so his legs are I assume in leg irons and so like they pick him up and put him on the chair, I didn't see any --
 - Q The video pretty much, you know, got it right, it speaks for itself, you can put your -- one can put one's own spin on it I suppose?
 - A Yeah, absolutely.

1 Q All right. So, did you -- you correct me if 2 I'm wrong but you did not consider the deposition testimony of Andria Kerchner? 3 Correct. А And the DVD of the actual shooting incident 5 with comments of the defendant which can be heard in the 6 7 back? Right, I was to evaluate his waiver of Miranda. 9 I understand. The neuro-imaging testing, the 0 10 MRI and PET scan, you didn't consider those reports as 11 well? 12 No, I did not. Is that something -- in determining an ability 13 to understand and knowingly and intelligently waive 14 15 Miranda rights we're talking about cognitive functioning? 16 Α Yes. 17 And would you not want to have that information 18 in making such a determination if there is a positive indication of some sort of brain anomaly? 19 20 I'm not going to go into all the problems with

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take into consideration, I'm a forensic psychologist.

Q So, a neuropsychologist or psychologist, are you saying that they should not rely on that if it's a

the scanning techniques, it's not my area of expertise.

No, not typically, that is not information that I would

1 | qualified test if it's done properly?

A Well, even neuropsychologists don't do scanning. So, if somebody else --

Q No, no, I'm sorry.

A Sorry, I'm misunderstanding.

Q If you have that data, if you have a report done by a qualified physician who has done an MRI and interpreted it, and also a PET scan and interpreted that, somebody who's qualified to do it and read it, would you want to consider that data in doing a mental evaluation of an individual?

A Not typically.

Q Would you refuse to consider it?

A No.

Q If you had it, what would you do with it?

A If I have it I would probably seek outside consultation to help me interpret that report and then use that as one piece of data along with all of the rest of data that would be collected as part of that evaluation.

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