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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

TIMOTHY N. EVANS

PLAINTIFF

V.

NO. 4:15-CV-00072-DMB-JMV

DR. JUAN SANTOS, ET AL.

DEFENDANTS

ORDER DENYING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

Plaintiff Timothy N. Evans has filed a motion for injunctive relief in which he requests the Court order that he continue to receive all of his medication at a KOP, or "keep on person," status. Doc. #19.

A party seeking injunctive relief must prove four elements: (1) a substantial likelihood of success on the merits; (2) a substantial threat of irreparable injury if the injunction is not issued; (3) that the threatened injury to the movant outweighs any harm that the injunction will cause the nonmovant; and (4) that the injunction is in the public interest. Women's Med. Ctr. of Nw. Houston v. Bell, 248 F.3d 411, 419 n.15 (5th Cir. 2001); DSC Communications Corp. v. DGI Technologies, Inc., 81 F.3d 597, 600 (5th Cir. 1996). An injunction is an extraordinary remedy that is "not to be granted routinely, but only when the movant, by a clear showing, carries [the] burden of persuasion." Black Fire Fighters Ass'n v. City of Dallas, 905 F.2d 63, 65 (5th Cir. 1990) (citation omitted); see also Lewis v. S.S. Baune, 534 F.2d 1115, 1121 (5th Cir. 1976) ("injunction is an extraordinary remedy and should not issue except upon a clear showing of possible irreparable injury").

The instant motion is primarily a recitation of the grievances contained in Evans' complaint and its various amendments. By his own admission, Evans is currently receiving his medications and, therefore, the denial of injunctive relief will not cause him irreparable injury. It

appears to the Court that the ordinary judicial process is sufficient to remedy any injuries Evans has suffered or might suffer as a result of the defendants' alleged actions. Accordingly, Evans' motion for injunctive relief [19] is **DENIED**.

SO ORDERED, this 15th day of January, 2016.

/s/ Debra M. Brown UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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