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## Hello,

Thank you for allowing comments and holding the webinar for feedback.

When making changes, please keep in mind those individuals who don't get out and don't have easy access to travel or are unable to travel outside their home/living space, for various reasons. While a remote online notarized signature may be beneficial to some, it may make others even more vulnerable to fraud. As you know, individuals who don't drive and who are unable to use public transportation, who stay at home and have help come to their homes, or are in assisted living or nursing homes, but don't have personal attorneys, need to be protected from predators. It can be hard to determine coercion while in person, let alone remotely, in these situations.

Perhaps special protocols set in place for safe social distancing to protect these individuals who also need signatures notarized could be established.

Thanks again, Alisa Greiner