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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

<p>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</p> <p>Plaintiff - Appellee,</p> <p>v.</p> <p>NOEL ADRIAN MEDINA-GASTELUM,</p> <p>Defendant - Appellant.</p>
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No. 12-10475

D.C. No. 2:11-cr-00227-JCM

MEMORANDUM\*

Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the District of Nevada  
James C. Mahan, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted May 14, 2013\*\*

Before: LEAVY, THOMAS, and MURGUIA, Circuit Judges.

Noel Adrian Medina-Gastelum appeals from the district court’s judgment and challenges the 71-month sentence imposed following his guilty-plea conviction for being a deported alien found unlawfully in the United States, in violation of 8 U.S.C. § 1326. We have jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1291, and

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\* This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

\*\* The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

we affirm.

Medina-Gastelum contends that his sentence is substantively unreasonable in light of his drug addiction and attempts at rehabilitation. The district court did not abuse its discretion in imposing Medina-Gastelum's sentence. *See Gall v. United States*, 552 U.S. 38, 51 (2007). The sentence is substantively reasonable in light of the 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a) sentencing factors and the totality of the circumstances, including Medina-Gastelum's history of immigration violations and drug convictions. *See id.*

**AFFIRMED.**