



## What is a CASA Volunteer?

CASA stands for: Court Appointed Special Advocate. CASA volunteers, are regular citizens like you, appointed by the courts, who have been trained to advocate for neglected and abused children in the foster care court system- trained to assure that the rights and needs of these children are at the forefront of decisions that are being made by judges and lawyers and family members. For many neglected and abused children their CASA volunteer is the only reliable adult presence in their lives. And that single volunteer can often be enough to break the cycle of violence and neglect—not just for one child, but for generations to come.

Join us until every child in need has a  
CASA volunteer to look out for their needs.

The children are waiting for us. They are waiting for you!



# Accepting Volunteer Applications Now!

## Do You Have What It Takes?

Are you comfortable with children and teens?

Are you age 21 or older?

Do you have your own car?

Do you have a minimum of 10-15 hours a month to volunteer?

Are you an objective listener?

Can you handle a tough job?

Are you available for up to 40 hours of training?

Can you commit to providing consistent, age-appropriate, support for a child?

## A CASA Volunteer Is:

A trained citizen

A mediator

An advocate

A court appointee

A representative

A communicator

An investigator

An investigative reporter

A child's voice!

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