



CASA of Monterey County

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A Child is Waiting For You

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) for Children of Monterey County, a 501(c) (3) organization, is a member of both National and California CASA Associations, and is part of a national network of close over 950 CASA/GAL programs.

With our in-depth training, and the continuous support of our Advocate Supervisors and staff, our volunteers demonstrate time and time again that one person can truly make a difference. Our volunteers currently serve over 130 foster children and youth between the ages of 5-21. We have more than 21 foster children who are waiting for a CASA of their own- our County's foster children need you!



Making an Impact One Child at a Time

CASA volunteers are more than mentors- they are sworn officers of the court. As a CASA, you will have the opportunity to:

- Have access to case information and to everyone who is in the child's life including: teachers, social workers, caregivers, and attorneys.
- Provide reports to the court regarding the child's best interests.
- Be one of the few stable adults in that child's life while in foster care.

Ready?

Step 1: Attend an Informational Session. Please call for more details at (831) 455-6800 ext 31, or email: info@casaofmonterey.org.

Step 2: Apply! Applications will be provided at info session, or can be found in the Volunteer section of our website: www.casaofmonterey.org

Step 3: Attend a pre-training interview. Our staff will schedule this with you after application received.

Step 4: Attend training! Training is done over a period of five weeks, with classes held twice a week.

Step 5: Select a child to work with and start advocating!

Other Ways You Can Help!

Donate. With your generous support, we can provide an advocate for more children in foster care.

Talk CASA. Talk about CASA to friends, co-workers, and family. Word-of-mouth is the most frequent way that people hear about us.

Invite CASA. Invite us to speak at your club, place of worship, workplace, or family!

Social Media. Find, like, and share us! Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter...