



MISSION

Our mission is to support and unite local CASA programs to promote volunteer advocacy on behalf of children and youth who have experienced abuse or neglect.

VISION

Our vision is a world where all children have a safe place to call home and the opportunity to thrive.



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Independent programs
covering every county in
Oregon

1,800+

Active CASA Volunteers
throughout the state



CASA VALUES



Justice: We value *interrupting oppressive systems and structures*, so that *every child is valued and heard*, their *needs are respected*, and they have the *opportunity to grow and thrive* with dignity.

Integrity: We value *honest, ethical, and accountable conduct* that honors our partnerships and our mutual goal to advocate for *the best interest of every child*.

Community: We value the integral role *communities* play for children and families and prioritize the *transformative impact and strength of collective partnerships* to support every child's health, safety, and belonging.

Inclusion: We value *diverse* wisdom and knowledge gained through both *lived and learned* experience to more effectively *address the inequities that impede the safety and well-being* of children and families.



Legislative Mandate

ORS 419B.112

(2) Subject to the direction of the court, the duties of the court appointed special advocate are to:

- (a) Investigate all relevant information about the case;
- (b) Advocate for the child or ward, ensuring that all relevant facts are brought before the court;
- (c) Facilitate and negotiate to ensure that the court, the Department of Human Services, if applicable, and the child or ward's attorney, if any, fulfill their obligations to the child or ward in a timely fashion; and
- (d) Monitor all court orders to ensure compliance and to bring to the court's attention any change in circumstances that may require a modification of an order of the court.



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Citizens will shape public policy and actively promote conditions which ensure every child lives in a safe, secure, healthy and permanent home, preserving families whenever possible.

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We provide a citizen voice on the safety, stability and supervision of children in foster care through impartial case review and advocacy.



CRB VALUES

- A fair, impartial and inclusive review process.
- Citizen input and advocacy.
- Treating others with dignity and respect.
- State accountability for the safety of children.
- Appropriate and timely services for children and families.
- A safe and nurturing family for every child.

**The CRB has a
dual legislative
mandate:**

CRB reviews the case plans of children in care and ensures that placements and services are appropriate and timely.

ORS 419A.106

CRB makes recommendations to the Court and ODHS about child welfare services, policies, procedures and laws.

ORS 419A.124