



CASA Volunteer Application



4 the Children _____

How did you hear about 4 the Children and the CASA Program?

Word of Mouth ___ Newspaper ___ Radio ___ Website ___ Other ___

Applicants -- Personal Data

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Which is your preferred method of contact? Cell Work Home

Can we leave a message? Yes No

Email: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County of Residence: _____

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

In case of emergency, who would you like us to contact?

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Applicants -- Additional Personal Data

Colorado Statute requires that CASA child advocates be 21 years of age or older, are you over 21?

Yes, Date of Birth: _____ No

Although much of the CASA volunteer time is flexible, court hearings and reviews occur during weekdays. Will you be able to attend daytime court hearings and reviews?

Yes No

Do you have a valid Colorado driver's license?

Yes, License Number: _____ No

Have you ever been convicted of any crimes in this state or jurisdiction, or another state or jurisdiction?

Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have any criminal charges pending?

Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have any pending divorces, custody, or juvenile court cases?

Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Applicant -- Employment History

Please list your two most recent jobs beginning with the most recent job first.

Employer No. 1:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Position Held: _____ From: _____ To: _____

Brief discription of duties: _____

If applicable, reason for leaving: _____

Employer No. 2:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Position Held: _____ From: _____ To: _____

Brief discription of duties: _____

If applicable, reason for leaving: _____

Applicant -- Education

Circle highest completed:

High School: 9 10 11 12

College: 1 2 3 4

Graduate: 1 2 3 4

Major: _____ Minor: _____

Degree: _____

Are you currently attending school? [] Yes [] No

If yes, name of school and course of study: _____

Applicant -- Interests

Hobbies/Special Interests: _____

Current community activities/club or other organization memberships: _____

Languages spoken: _____

Applicant -- Personal References

Please list three personal references.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Email: _____ Phone number: _____

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Please attach a brief statement explaining why you want to volunteer with the Court Appointed Special Advocate Program.

Applicant -- Affirmation and Release

I, _____, hereby affirm that all of the answers provided on my volunteer application are true. I hereby authorize CASA of the Southwest to investigate my background to determine my fitness as a potential volunteer. I understand CASA of the Southwest can reject my application if it is found, during their investigation, that I have been convicted of, or have charges pending, for a felony or misdemeanor involving a sex offense, child abuse or neglect, or related acts that would pose risks to children or the CASA program credibility. I understand that the information requested in this application will be used only for the purpose of determining suitability as a CASA volunteer or agency employee.

I am aware of the sensitive and confidential nature of the official documents, reports, and other material I will examine in my capacity as a CASA volunteer or employee. I will discuss these matters only with those persons directly involved in the case of who will be consulted for their professional knowledge and expertise.

Further, I understand that after the successful completion of my training, I will be expected to serve a minimum of 18 months in the CASA program. If unforeseen circumstances prevent me from fulfilling this sworn obligation, I will submit my written resignation to the program office with as much advance notice as possible.

Signature

Date