



CASA Volunteers Change Lives

for Idaho's Children in Foster Care

"Being in foster care is living in a constant state of flux. Homes, schools, families... everything is always changing, often suddenly and without warning. The only constant was my CASA volunteer. Without her I would have been lost in the system."

MELISSA, Former Foster Youth

The Problem: Overburdened Systems



will find themselves **in foster care** this year.



On average, a child will spend **14 months** in foster care.



Each child will **change homes** an average of **three times**.

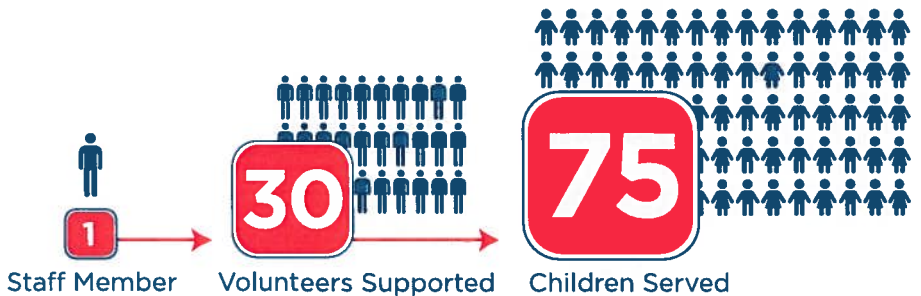
The Solution: Citizen Volunteers

Trained CASA volunteers help abused and neglected children find safe, permanent homes.



A Wise Investment

One year of CASA advocacy costs less than one month of foster care.



The Results: Brighter Futures



CASA Programs Change Lives

A child with a CASA volunteer is more likely to find a safe, permanent home.



A child with a CASA volunteer is **half as likely** to re-enter the foster-care system.



And, they are **more likely to succeed in school** and less likely to spend three or more years in care.

Our Vision: Serving Every Child



33,000 CASA volunteer hours change children's lives every day.



1,744 abused and neglected children had a **CASA volunteer speaking up** for their best interests in the last year.



716 children **are waiting** for a CASA volunteer empowered to find them a safe, loving permanent home.