

GEORGIA

## **CASA Volunteers Change Lives**

for Georgia'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 nearly a year in foster care.



change homes an average of five 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

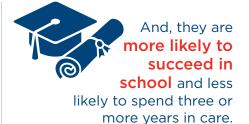


## CASA Programs Change Lives

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.



**Our Vision: Serving Every Child** 



2,500

CASA volunteers help change children's lives every day.



8,600

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



7,200

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