

Volunteer Application

Please Print

Date _____

SS# _____

Name _____

Age _____ Birthdate _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____ Email: _____

How long in the County? _____ in Texas? _____

Birthplace _____ Race _____ Religion _____

Bilingual? Yes No Languages _____

Employer _____ How Long? _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Position _____ Supervisor's Name _____

If student, where? _____

Date of Completion & Degree _____

Do you have transportation? Yes No

Valid TX Driver's license? Yes No # _____

Marital Status _____ Spouse's Name _____

Spouse's Employer & work address

Children's names & ages

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

If you have any experience working with children, give activity & ages of children.
Professional or Volunteer?

What are your strengths and weaknesses?

Have you ever applied to this or any other CASA program in the past? Explain where and when.

Memberships in Clubs or Organizations and any responsibility

Volunteer experience

Reason for interest in CASA

Do you have personal experience with any of the following?

Child abuse

Foster care

Child welfare

Criminal, juvenile or family court

Other child service agencies

Do you give permission for Brush Country CASA to obtain information regarding your previous volunteer experience from that agency? Yes No

References

Please list three. List two people who have known you for more than one year and who can vouch for your character. The third reference must be your current employer or supervisor (or professor) who has known you at least six months.

Name, address, phone (home & work), and email

personal:

personal:

employer:

Please answer all questions and explain.

1. Have you ever received counseling?
2. Have you ever been hospitalized for an emotional problem?
3. Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a misdemeanor?
4. Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a felony?
5. Have you ever been convicted of a traffic violation? Number and type.

6. Do you now or have you ever had a substance abuse problem?

7. Are you now or have you ever had treatment for a substance abuse problem?

8. Do you give permission to Brush Country CASA to obtain additional information from other sources for screening purposes?

9. Do you have any kind of health impairment?

10. Do you expect any change in marital status, employment, or place of residence within the next year?

Are you away for the summer months? Yes No
 What time period?

11. Do you carry liability insurance on your car? Yes No

Insurance Company	Policy #

12. Do you agree to maintain minimum liability insurance throughout your participation in the CASA program? Yes No

- Please attach proof of insurance.
- Please attach a recent photo of yourself.

13. Have you ever or do you now engage in sexual misconduct which could cause harm to a child, you or Brush Country CASA?

14. As a CASA volunteer will you be willing to:

- Yes No Commit to a minimum of one year of service?
- Yes No Attend hearings, meetings and planning sessions for your case?
- Yes No Participate in CASA's initial training program?
- Yes No Participate in continuing training during the year?
- Yes No Visit with the family and child/children?
- Yes No Participate in fact-finding and monitoring, and report to the court?

15. Do you agree that the first six months of participation are probationary? Yes No

Volunteer Interests

Hobbies and interests

Your type of personality

Do you have a preference of ages of the children?

I am interested in becoming a CASA volunteer and know of no reason I should not be assigned a case in the program. I am aware that the children in the program have been abused, neglected, and/or abandoned by adults and I do not want to be another disappointment to them. Therefore, I will commit to a minimum of one year of service to my case.

The undersigned acknowledges and agrees that:

- He/she is not obligated to accept a case.
- CASA is not obligated to assign or actively seek to assign a case to him/her.
- As a part of CASA's policy, additional personal information will be gathered during the pre-training interview process.
- He/she is a volunteer and can resign from the program at any time without prior notice.
- CASA can terminate a volunteer's service at any time without prior notice.

I give my permission to Brush Country CASA to release information about my experience as a CASA to any other CASA program to which I apply in the future.

I have responded truthfully to all of the questions on this application.

Signature

It is the policy of Brush Country CASA to implement affirmatively equal service to all clients without regard to race, religion, sexual orientation, group, age gender, national origin or disability. Brush Country CASA selects volunteers without regard to race, religion, sexual orientation, group age, gender, national origin or disability.