



*Cherish
the Children*

LUNCHEON BENEFITING DALLAS CASA

April 3, 2020, Omni Dallas Hotel
HONORING BEVERLY LEVY
 2020 Caroline Rose Hunt Cherish the Children Award

Leigh Danley
 Leslie Wayne
 Event Co-Chairs

2020 UNDERWRITING BENEFITS

\$20,000	CASA ANGEL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two premier tables for 10 guests each • Twenty invitations to the Patron Party and a pre-luncheon meet and greet with guest speaker Liz Murray • Premier recognition on all print, promotional and day-of-event materials • Recognition by event speakers at podium • Twenty VIP valet parking vouchers
\$15,000	CASA PROTECTOR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One premium table for 10 guests • Ten invitations to the Patron Party and a pre-luncheon meet and greet with guest speaker Liz Murray • Premium recognition on all print, promotional and day-of-event materials • Recognition by event speakers at podium • Ten VIP valet parking vouchers
\$10,000	CASA KEEPER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One prominent table for 10 guests • Ten invitations to the Patron Party and a pre-luncheon meet and greet with guest speaker Liz Murray • Prominent recognition on all print, promotional and day-of-event materials • Recognition by event speakers at podium • Ten VIP valet parking vouchers
\$5,000	CASA PATRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One preferred table for 10 guests • Four invitations to the Patron Party and a pre-luncheon meet and greet with guest speaker Liz Murray • Preferred recognition on print, promotional and day-of-event materials • Five VIP valet parking vouchers
\$2,500	CASA FRIEND	<p>LIMITED AVAILABILITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One table for 10 guests • Two invitations to the Patron Party on and a pre-luncheon meet and greet with guest speaker Liz Murray • Recognition on print, promotional and day-of-event materials
\$250	CASA SUPPORTER	<p>LIMITED AVAILABILITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One preferred seat at luncheon
\$175	CASA COMPANION	<p>LIMITED AVAILABILITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One seat at luncheon

*Print and promotional materials include: press releases, Dallas CASA communications, website and social media

**Day-of-event materials include: event multi-media presentation, printed program and table signage.



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2020 UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT

PLEASE RETURN BY MARCH 13, 2020 FOR INCLUSION IN PRINT MATERIALS

Sponsor Name (As it should appear in recognition materials. Please include capitals and punctuation.)

Benefits Receiver (Person to receive invitations and benefits if sponsor is a corporation or organization)

Contact Name (If different from sponsor name or benefits receiver)

Phone

Email

Address

City, State

Zip

Fax

I/We wish to remain anonymous

TABLE SPONSORS

CASA Angel (\$20,000)

CASA Keeper (\$10,000)

CASA Friend (\$2,500)

CASA Protector (\$15,000)

CASA Patron (\$5,000)

Limited Availability

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS *Limited Availability*

_____ CASA Supporter (\$250 each)

_____ CASA Companion (\$175 each)

ADDITIONAL UNDERWRITING OPPORTUNITIES

I/We would like to organize a no-host table at the _____ underwriting level

I/We cannot attend, but wish to make a donation. Please accept a contribution of \$ _____

* It costs \$2,158 per year to provide a CASA volunteer for an abused child.

ADDITIONAL GIFT INFORMATION

Additional notes regarding this gift: _____

This gift is in Honor Memory of: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Enclosed is payment in the amount of \$ _____ (Please make checks payable to "Dallas CASA" with memo or attention "Cherish the Children")

Please send an invoice (payment due upon receipt)

Please charge my VISA MasterCard AmEx Discover

Card Number

Name on Card (type or print)

Exp. Date

Sec Code (3-4 digits)

RETURN BY MAIL Dallas CASA, 2757 Swiss Avenue Dallas, Texas 75204 BY FAX 214.827.8973

SAVE AND EMAIL THIS FORM TO mmai@dallascasa.org OR AVAILABLE ONLINE dallascasa.org/events/cherish

Questions? Please contact Michelle Mai at 469.547.9456 or mmai@dallascasa.org

Dallas CASA is a 501(c)3 Nonprofit Organization



What is CASA?

- CASA stands for Court Appointed Special Advocates.
- Dallas CASA, a section 501 (c) (3) nonprofit, trains and supervises volunteers who are court-appointed to advocate for the best interests of child victims of abuse and neglect. The children served have been removed from unsafe homes and are in the legal custody of the state.

Others are involved in the case, but ...

- CASA volunteers typically are assigned to one case at a time in contrast to CPS caseworkers and attorneys who carry heavy caseloads.
- Caseworker turnover can be high and changes in foster care placements, schools and therapists are common.
- For many child victims of abuse and neglect, a CASA volunteer is the one constant, reliable adult maintaining a caring connection during a frightening, uncertain time.

What is the role of the volunteer?

- CASA volunteers provide information to help judges understand each child's individual circumstances.
- Volunteers make recommendations to help judges decide where children can live safely and permanently.
- Volunteers make sure the children are safe and their educational, medical and therapeutic needs are being met while living in foster care.

IN DALLAS COUNTY IN 2018:

2,072

children were removed from unsafe homes

4,735

children lived in the state's protective care

3x

While the child population increased less than 1%, nearly three times as many children died from child abuse or neglect.

DALLAS CASA 2018 KEY FACTS:

1,420

volunteers served

3,332

child victims of abuse and neglect

At the end of the year, Dallas CASA was serving 4 out of 5 children living in protective care



Our goal is for EVERY abused and neglected child to have a CASA volunteer to advocate for his or her best interests and help them grow up in safe and loving homes where they can thrive.

767,010

days of service were devoted to children by Dallas CASA volunteers

\$2,158

cost per year to serve one child

Donor dollars are optimally leveraged because funds are used to train and support volunteers who provide services for the children through donated time.