

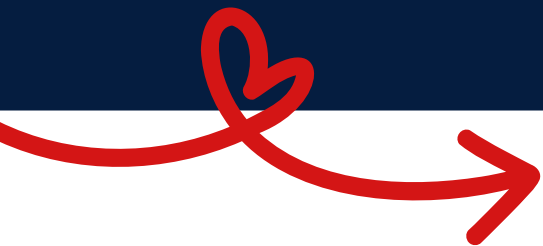
# 2024 Impact Report

## OUR MISSION

The mission of CASA of Sedgwick County is to provide caring, trained volunteers to advocate for the abused and neglected children of our community so that each child can reach their full potential.

## 114 Children Served in 2024

Our volunteers dedicated over 2,000 hours to advocate for these children, ensuring their voices were heard and their needs prioritized. Through these efforts, we have positively impacted the lives of these vulnerable children, fostering hope for a better future.



### Volunteer Snapshot

80

Total Volunteers

35

Newly Certified  
Volunteers

2,342

Volunteer Hours

20,212

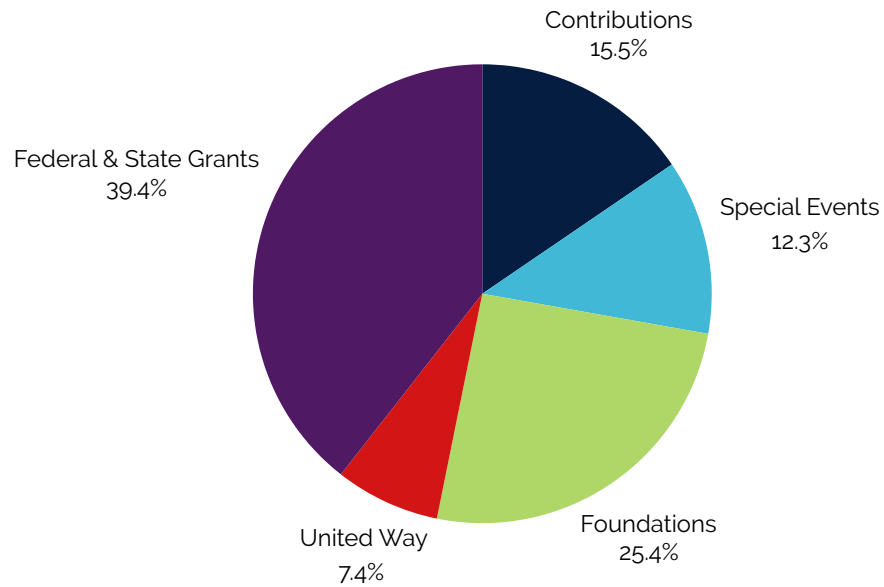
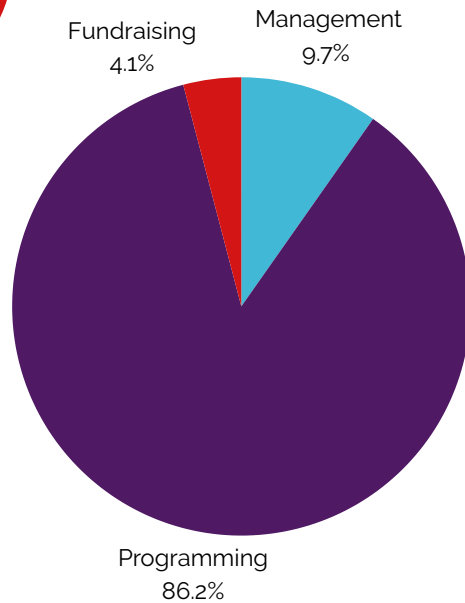
Miles Driven

413

Visits Made



# FY 2024 FINANCIALS



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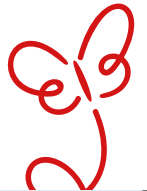
# When community comes together we can change a child's *story*.

Cheryl R. brought her CASA kiddo to the office for his birthday to play games and have birthday treats with CASA staff. The kiddo said “this is the BEST birthday ever!” before leaving!

Mary C. visits her CASA kids 2 times a month each. She saw them 60 times total in 2024. When she visited recently, her CASA kid greeted her at the door with a big smile and said “I knew it was you!”

Sonialetto C’s CASA kiddo was adopted right at the end of 2024!! Even though she was placed in western Kansas, Sonialetto would drive to see her. The kiddo always tells Sonialetto that “she is my person”

Preston M. gave his CASA kid a pep talk in November and talked to him about his self worth. He told the youth, “you are so valuable and so worthy of love from others”. The CASA kid responded by saying that he was going to write on a piece of paper “I MATTER” for him to look at and be reminded each day!



## A NOTE FROM OUR TEAM

We are thrilled to share that this year, thanks to your support and the unwavering dedication of our volunteers, *5 children* reached a milestone we continuously strive towards—permanency.

Achieving this stability is a crucial step in their journeys, and witnessing their progress fills us with immense pride and hope. Each success story reaffirms the impact of our collective efforts and the importance of our mission. Thank you for being a part of this transformative work.



# 2024 CASA VOLUNTEERS

> **1 year:**

Whitney Billups  
Sarah Boman  
Shari Burke  
Mandy Brown  
Tom Brown  
Amanda Cornelius  
Aaron Edwards  
Sara Ellis  
Claudia Fury  
Aaron Garza  
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Hailey Smith  
Roxana Stitt  
Amanda Spies  
Lori Tos  
Eshana Walker-Swanigan  
Heather Wiens  
**1 year:**  
Rebecca Benoit  
Jessica Conway  
Susan Edwards  
Carley Enyart  
Ralissa Flemings

Meredith Herter  
Hannah Holler  
Ashley Huynh  
Brittany McChesney  
Carol Nibert  
Ryan Ortman  
Jordan Sarvela  
Shi Slaughter  
Norris White  
**2 years:**  
Elizabeth Biltz  
Hilary Harkleroad  
Corey Johnson  
Preston Madding  
Jes Murray  
Alice Price  
Christine Scott

Jamie Wagle  
Jillian Wallace  
**3 years:**  
Mary Clarkin  
Cheryl Rainberger  
**4 years:**  
John Anderson  
Kelly Anderson  
Sonialeto Carter-McFadden  
Rachel Shellhammer  
Vanessa Willey  
**5 years:**  
Gayla Schiles  
Patti Sweet  
**6 years:**  
Rebecca Davis  
Bruce Gass

Lindsay Hall  
Phoebe Vigilius  
**7 years:**  
Deborah Smith  
**10 years:**  
Sandi McInteer




- In 2024 CASA of Sedgwick County increased volunteer recruitment by 50% and maintained 80% retention.
- More than 40% of CASA volunteers have been paired with the same child (or siblings) for more than 3 years.

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to our  
cherished  
donors and  
volunteers!



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