



Northwest Rocky Mountain CASA

How We Are Still Making An Impact

Here at Northwest Rocky Mountain CASA we are constantly evolving as we seek to serve the 14th Judicial District (Grand, Routt, and Moffat counties) in Domestic & Neglect cases.

We are working to remain in contact with our children and families during the pandemic via telephone and email during the social distancing period. We are utilizing Google Chat (a video conferencing web app) to visually remain present in our children's lives and their cases. We realize the need for increased reassurance and verbal contact with families while they are unable to have face-to-face contact with each other.

We are participating in our communities via our quarterly e-newsletter, attending community meetings via Zoom links, and reaching out to see how we can serve alongside other non-profits.

- Attending Court Hearings via telephone conference calls and using Web-X video link;
- Checking in on our children/families via telephone, Zoom calls, and emails;
- Staff Meetings with each county's update and COVID-19 information via Google Hangout;
- Attend Community Meetings via Zoom;
- E-newsletter and emails to community members;
- Visitations being facilitated by Google Hangout links and our visitation facilities are soon to open again (in June) with one-on-one with COVID-19 Guidelines (masks and social distancing);
- Connecting with our children using Facebook; and
- Sending our children "care packages".

Realizing our children often live a life of uncertainty, we strive to continue our support and connection with them in many ways so that they know they are never an "after thought", but that they are important to CASA and their individual volunteers. We continue to invest in their lives and be that "Trusted Adult" we know is so important for good child development and becoming happy and productive adults.