"Oh my, a CASA is assigned to my case! How do I work effectively with the CASA?"

Beyond the Bench 2019

December 18, 2019 – 9:45am-10:45am

Legal Authority:

California Welfare and Institutions Code §§ 100 et seq.; 827, 16001.9, 16501

California Penal Code § 11165.7 (Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act)

California Rule of Court 5.655, with a focus on sections (a), (e), (f), (h), (i)

Other resources:

The National CASA Association: casaforchildren.org

Highlights: Judge's Page, About Us/Evidence of effectiveness

California CASA Association: californiacasa.org

California Dependency Online Guide (CalDOG): cadependencyonlineguide.info

Publications tab: Click - Court Appointed Special Advocates

Local CASA program websites

Examples:

CASA of Santa Cruz County, casaofsantacruz.org

Voices for Children, Riverside and San Diego Counties, speakupnow.org