

# ROBERT SMITH

## Court Appointed Special Advocate III

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To make a difference, one life, one person at a time. Worked with children and adolescents in the Foster Care and San Diego County Court systems.

## EXPERIENCE

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#### 8th Judicial District CASA - JANUARY 2011 - 2020

- Ensured the children and their family receive appropriate services and advocate for those not immediately available.
- Attended court hearings, social worker meetings, visitations with the foster as well as the biological families, maintained constant communication .
- Ensured youth had up to date medical and dental appointments.
- Ensured youth had proper housing arrangements and employment when applicable.
- Assisted youth with financial budgeting and planning; notified youth of district of columbia, local, and community resources.
- Attended and reported on youth in court hearings; ensured youth had proper transportation to and from court hearings.
- Assisted parents of the youth in setting plans for gaining custody of their child/children.


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#### Delta Corporation - 2010 - 2011

- Advocated for children removed from their homes due to abuse, neglect or dependency attended and reported on 2005 National CASA Conference in Atlanta,.
- TN, Keisha Walker 901-522-0200 Used interviewing and case management skills to investigate cases for the Juvenile Court/CASA Interact and communicate .
- As a CASA, I represent and advise the court concerning the lives of neglected and abused foster children.
- Advocate for a CINA (child in need of assistance), a child who is in the social service system, by providing information regarding all aspects of a .
- Review all relevant court records and interview all parties and professionals close to the child such as relatives, social workers, attorneys, mental .
- Develop rapport with the CINA in order to understand their needs and wishes in order to make recommendations to the court.
- This is Dummy Description data, Replace with job description relevant to your current role.



## EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Science in Social Sciences and Life Sciences - August 1979(Kansas State University - Manhattan, KS)
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## SKILLS

Microsoft, Excel.