

## ***Press Release***

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### **The Andrew Jergens Foundation awards CASA for Clermont Kids \$20,000**

**Batavia-** CASA for Clermont Kids! will be awarded \$20,000 by the Andrew Jergens Foundation for expanding their child advocacy program.

CASA for Clermont Kids! is a non-profit agency that advocates for the best interests of abused, neglected and dependent children who have been introduced into Clermont County Juvenile Court. CASA recruits and trains community involved citizens to volunteer as Guardians Ad Litem who independently work in the court system to serve as the child's advocate and court representative.

The award of the grant is administered through the Greater Cincinnati Foundation (GCF). GCF partners with several local private foundations to administer and carry out the foundation trustees' charitable vision. The Andrew Jergens Foundation was established on August 24, 1962 in Cincinnati, Ohio by Andrew N. Jergens (1881-1967). The foundation is not associated with the former Andrew Jergens Company. The foundation's prime interest is the health, education, cultural experiences, and social welfare of children in the Greater Cincinnati area.

CASA for Clermont Kids! is grateful for this gift and the support that we receive from the community. "Our program's success can only be credited to the generous support that we receive from foundations like Jergen's, GCF, and individuals in our community that allows this program to thrive and achieve our mission," states CASA Executive Director Amanda List.

For community involved citizens who wish to be the voice for a child within the court, you can make application for our year round training. For more information on how to become an advocate contact Jeannie Helsel at [Jeannie@casaforclermontkids.org](mailto:Jeannie@casaforclermontkids.org) or 513-732-7160. For more information about CASA for Clermont Kids! or to learn more about our sponsors check out our website at [www.casaforclermontkids.org](http://www.casaforclermontkids.org).