

CASA DAY

AT THE CAPITOL

2026 CASA Day at the Capitol

Capitol Day Overview

Louisiana CASA is excited to welcome advocates, volunteers, staff, board members, and supporters from across the state to CASA Day at the Capitol on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, at the Louisiana State Capitol. This annual advocacy event brings the CASA network together to raise awareness for children and families involved in the foster care system while highlighting the critical role CASA programs and advocates play across Louisiana. Throughout the day, attendees will have opportunities to connect with legislators, engage with fellow advocates, and showcase the impact of CASA's statewide work.

The day will begin with local CASA programs gathering in the Rotunda to share resources, connect with lawmakers, and highlight their programs within their communities. Major highlights throughout the day include an official proclamation reading from the Governor's Office, a special pinning ceremony honoring the CASA network with commemorative pins, the annual statewide group photo, and a legislative resolution presentation sponsored by Kathy Edmonston recognizing CASA's statewide impact and honoring this year's Advocate of the Year and Heart of Advocacy award recipients. Attendees are encouraged to wear CASA colors, red and blue, to show unified support for CASA and the children and families we serve.

Capitol Day Schedule

- 9:00AM - 10:00AM Local CASA program table set-up, *please sign in at Louisiana CASA table for pinning acknowledgement, all tables should be set up by 10:00AM, State Capitol Rotunda*
- 10:00AM - 10:30AM Governor's Office proclamation presentation, *State Capitol Rotunda*
- 11:00AM - 11:30AM Pinning Ceremony, *State Capitol Rotunda*
- 11:30AM - 1:00PM Break for lunch, *Lunch will not be provided*
- 1:00PM - 1:15PM CASA Network group photo, *State Capitol Rotunda*
- 2:00PM - 3:00PM Reading of the Resolution, *time may vary depending on session, House Chambers*