

# VCA

## RESOURCES FOR ADVOCACY & SERVICES: Invisible Disabilities

### RESOURCES ON TEXASCASA.ORG

#### **HEALTH ADVOCACY GUIDE**

How CASA Volunteers can support medical & mental healthcare for children in foster care

#### **CASA ON THE GO**

Advocating for youth with disabilities episode

#### **EDUCATIONAL ADVOCACY GUIDEBOOK**

Quick and concise guide including special education services, laws & regulations, and education advocacy tips

#### **SAFE - CAREGIVER ADVOCACY SUPPORT & RESOURCES**

Guide to more resources

### OUTSIDE RESOURCES

#### **MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES BY COUNTY**

Mental health & substance use disorder resources in Texas by county

#### **TEXAS SUICIDE PREVENTION COLLABORATIVE**

Support, resources, and training

#### **ALLKIDSSAFE.ORG**

App and guide to resources and information about interacting with children with a range of disabilities

#### **PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION TRAINING - DFPS**

Explains expectations for safe and effective use of psychotropic medication by children conservatorship

#### **MENTAL HEALTH TX**

Links to resources by county, find a provider, IDD services and resources, signs & symptoms of mental health conditions

#### **COMMUNITY RESOURCE COORDINATION GROUPS (CRCGS)**

County-based groups of partners & community members that help to identify and coordinate services & support

#### **SUPERIOR HEALTHPLAN**

STAR health - foster care coverage information and resources

#### **DISABILITY RIGHTS TEXAS**

Texas protection and advocacy agency