

# Anonymous Advocate



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## **Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas (CAC)**

CAC of Eastern Arkansas — Anonymous Advocate

I worked with a family who suffered the loss of a loved one because of domestic violence. The child witnessed the death. During the intake process, the mom expressed her concerns about the affect the loss would have of her child. I listened to all her concerns and offered services that would be beneficial for them. I had the opportunity to talk and learn more about the pair when the mom would bring the child in for weekly therapy. Through therapy and advocacy, our staff witnessed positive changes in this family.

Mom expressed her gratitude for the Christmas donations and the support received from the agency. The entire staff has taken this mom and child under our wings, and we look forward to their weekly visits to the center. Our therapy dog has been a great help to the child as well. The kid looks forward to spending time with the dog and helps the handler walk him. This child gives us hope for the future as we watch him thrive and heal and see how resilient he is. And we are so proud of mom for immediately bringing him in for therapy and for continuing the weekly sessions.