

GALs & CACs:

Working Together to
Protect Children

CACs In Colorado

Statutory Basis:

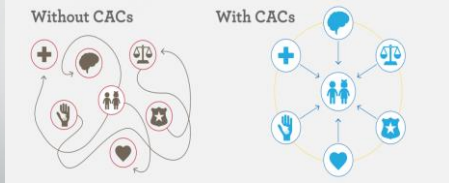
- C.R.S. § 19-1-103 (19.5) defines "Child advocacy center":
- comprehensive multi-disciplinary team response
- includes, but is not limited to, technical assistance for forensic interviews, forensic medical examinations
- mental health and related support services, consultation, training, and education.

Statutory Language

Mirrors language for
accreditation standards from
National Children's Alliance



What is a CAC?



Benefits of the CAC Model

- Consistent and fast follow-up to abuse reports
- Dramatic reduction in the number of interviews
- Effective medical and mental health services or referrals
- Increased successful prosecutions
- Effective advocacy and follow through: cases do not get lost in the system

Services Offered:

- Forensic Interviews
 - Human Trafficking Cases
- Victim Advocacy
- Medical Exams
- Mental Health Services
- Resource Referrals

CACs throughout the State:



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Thank you for joining us!

We appreciate your time!