



Facing Foster Care in Alaska

Our Mission is to improve the foster care system through sharing our experiences, supporting and educating youth and social services and implementing positive change in society as a whole.

Who are we?

FFCA is a dedicated group of youth and alumni of the foster care system advocating to improve the child welfare system in Alaska. We have youth and alumni throughout the state sharing their stories and providing their input to social workers, GAL's, CASA's, Legislators, Judges, and other professionals willing to listen.

Goals for 2008

- Develop a Bill of rights for youth in foster care
- Continue collaboration with various child welfare organizations
- Develop curriculum to train social workers and other child welfare professionals
- Continue to impact foster care policy and law



Recent Accomplishments

- ✓ -Completed "Better Together," training
- ✓ -Completed "Strategic Sharing," Training
- ✓ -Supported the passage of the ASPIRE Bill
- ✓ -Fought for the freedom of speech for youth in foster care
- ✓ -Traveled to the "It's My Life Conference," in Atlanta, GA
- ✓ -Traveled throughout the state with Casey Family Programs to speak at education and foster care convening's

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Also check us out at myspace.com/FFCA

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Up Comming Events

Statewide 2008 Retreats

- February 15th-17th
- May 16th-18th
- August 8th-10th
- November 7th-9th

Keep an Eye out for...

- FFCA Website
- FFCA T-Shirts
- FFCA Brochures

If you are a youth or alumni of foster care and are interested in becoming a member please fill out the portion below and mail to Theresa Tanoury Casey Family Programs Alaska Office P.O. Box 21395 Juneau, AK 99802 or send an email to facing_fostercare@yahoo.com

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