

VOLUNTEER MEDIATOR NEWSLETTER

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January 2025



Important Dates

- Limited Hours- 1/20/25 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- JC Out of Office- 1/20/25
- Save the Dates:
 - Basic Mediation Training in January 30-31, 2025- ECU
 - Volunteer Conference in OKC, OK on May 2, 2025
 - August 2025- Family Training

Ed Staley- Volunteer of the Month- January FY2025

Congratulations to Ed Staley on being selected as the East Central Program volunteer of the month for January 2025.

Ed has been a volunteer mediator for over 8 years. He is certified in Basic Mediation, Family and child Permanency Mediation.

Ed is located in Seminole County. He regularly assists with mediations in Pottawatomie, Hughes, Seminole, and Pontotoc Counties. Ed is retired and wanted to spend his time doing something rewarding. He believes he was fortunate to find this opportunity. We are fortunate to have him be apart of this program!



Volunteer of the Month
Ed Staley
January FY2025

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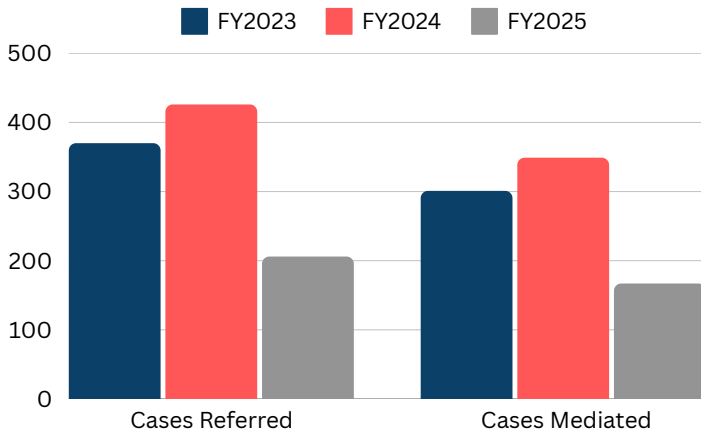
Graduation, Family Training and more!

Mickeal Friend, graduated with his Bachelor's Degree in December 2025. He worked in our office this Fall Semester, and we wish him the best as he moves on to Law School!

Director Cash spoke with a Grants Class on ECU's Campus about ESM via Zoom during the winter weather.

2-Day Basic Mediation Training in Ada, Oklahoma will occur on January 30-31.

Program Statistics



Case No. Breakdown

- 65 Basic Referrals
 - 63 Mediated
- 124 Family/Divorce Referrals
 - 92 Mediated
 - 92 Sessions
- 16 Permanency Referrals
 - 11 Mediated
- 1 Guardianship Referrals
 - 1 Mediated

TOTAL: 206 Referrals
167 Cases Mediated

*All Case Information are numbers that have been reported from July- December 2024

Agreement Information:

- 63 Basic Cases Mediated
 - 32 Agreements
- 92 Family Cases Mediated
 - 66 Agreements
- 11 Permanency Cases Mediated
 - 9 Agreements
- 1 Guardianship Cases Mediated
 - 1 Agreements

TOTAL: 167 Cases Mediated
108 Agreements

*Agreements are cases that ended in full or partial agreement. Numbers are for July-December 2024