

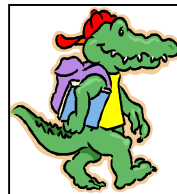
We thrive and survive on community support

The generosity of our community sustains Austin's House. Although we are funded through fee for service programs, we rely on donations for more than 50% of our operating costs. We have a variety of ways in which members of the community can provide support. Some examples include:

- Make a cash contribution
- Supply an item from our Wish List at austinshouse.org.
- Attend an Austin's House fundraiser, or an event sponsored by one of our supporters. Please visit our website for a current listing of events.
- Remember Austin's House in your will, donate securities, or participate in our planned giving program.

For further information on how you can help support Austin's House, contact the Executive Director at 267-6711.

Nurturing Today's Child for a Better Tomorrow



Carson Valley Children's Center

Austin's House

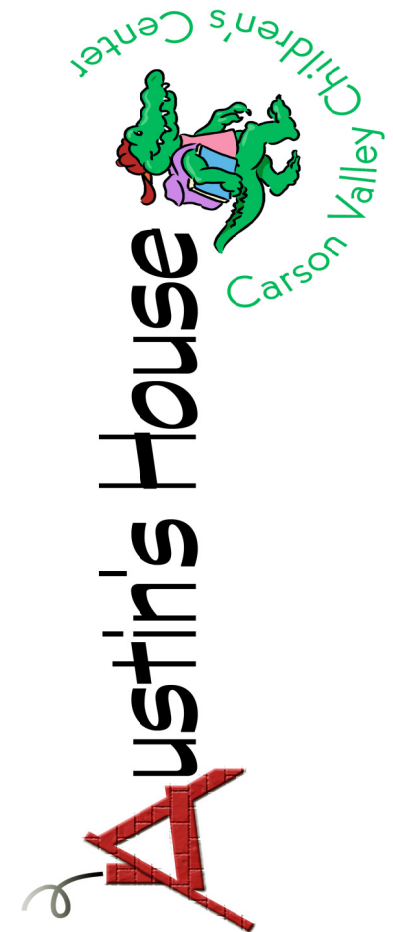
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Every Child Deserves a Childhood

Our Mission

The mission of Austin's House is to provide a safe haven for any child in need; to provide a nurturing living and learning environment; to promote the health and well-being of children and their families through assessment and appropriate intervention; to help prevent child abuse and neglect by providing education and community awareness.

Did You Know?

Austin's House is a private non-profit 501 (c)3 corporation.

Austin's House was built entirely with donated cash, materials and labor.

Children are placed at Austin's House from all over rural Northern Nevada.

Austin's House is the ONLY emergency children's shelter for abused and neglected children in rural northern Nevada.

Austin's House provides emergency shelter and compassionate care for up to ten children between the ages of birth to 18. The children who are placed at Austin's House have been removed from their homes due to abuse or neglect.

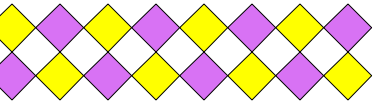
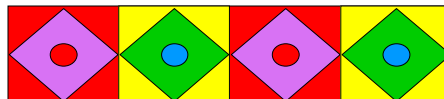
Austin's House provides care to both boys and girls who are unable to be maintained in their own homes, until they are either reunited with their family or an appropriate long term placement is made.

Under the guidance of the placement agency, Austin's House supports each child's educational, health, and emotional needs.

Whenever possible, children stay in the school they attended before being placed at Austin's House. The Austin's House staff makes every effort to encourage and support participation in extracurricular activities.

Austin's House collaborates with other agencies to help provide support to children and families in need in our local communities.

When children come to Austin's House, they quite literally have no place else to go.....



What Do Kids Do at Austin's House?

*Laugh, cry, play, argue, eat, create, talk on the phone, listen to music, watch movies, worry, go to the lake, homework, play on the playground, clean their rooms, play air hockey, make their beds, help cook, whine, style their hair, read, go to the doctor, clean the bathrooms, grow vegetables, do laundry, play dress-up, rehearse with the band, go swimming, go to the dentist, play video games, eat pizza, go shopping, sleep...
.....and dream of a better tomorrow*

For further information on any of our programs, please call

267-6711

**or visit our website
www.austinhouse.org**

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