**Family/Child Resources**

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**Temporary Assistance for Families** (through SRS) [www.srs.ks.gov/services/Pages/CashAssistance.aspx](http://www.srs.ks.gov/services/Pages/CashAssistance.aspx%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) This page has eligibility information and also provides a link to an online application. Children, Families

**National Association for the Education of Young Children** (NAEYC) [www.naeyc.org](http://www.naeyc.org" \t "_blank) The governing body of Early Childhood Education. Resources for parents to work with their children as they are taught through early childhood. Our Academy for Children is fully accredited by NAEYC. Families, Education, Children

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**Zero to Three** [www.zerotothree.org](http://www.zerotothree.org" \t "_blank) A national organization dealing with issues surrounding children from birth to age 3. Articles in Health & Nutrition, Early Development, Early Language, Mental Health, Challenging Behavior, Play, Sleep, Temperament and Behavior, and Social Emotional Development are but some of the sections under the “Behavior & Development tab. Some articles available in Espanol. Families, Education, Children

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**Kansas Children’s Service League** – Healthy Families [www.kcsl.org](http://www.kcsl.org" \t "_blank) 913.371.2200 24-hour parent helpline 1.800.244.5373 Case Management for parents and youth at risk, community resource library a wide variety of child and family-related materials (including videos) for the prevention of child abuse. Free. Flex funds for families for emergency assistance. Healthy Families provides intensive in-home support for parents of 0-3 year olds. Parental helpline, (1.800.244.5373) is an anonymous, statewide information, referral and phone counseling service. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

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**American Lung Association** [www.lungusa.org](http://www.lungusa.org" \t "_blank) Offers information on ways to get and keep your lungs healthy. Information on smoking, asthma, other lung issues and what you can do to make your lungs healthier. Click on “Recursos en Espanol” for information in Spanish. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**American Diabetes Association** [www.diabetes.org](http://www.diabetes.org" \t "_blank) Offers information on diabetes, including symptoms, causes, treatments, and ways to cope. Information for families and caregivers is also available. Click on “Informacion en Espanol” at page top for information in Spanish. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**WebMD** [www.webMD.com](http://www.webMD.com" \t "_blank) Information about all kinds of health issues, interactive questionnaires, and pictures/video to help you learn more about health. To translate some of the articles into Spanish, click on “Home & News” on the home page, then click on “WebMD News Home” from the drop-down menu, then click on “Noticias en Espanol”. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

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**KC Metro Domestic Violence Hotline** 816.462.5463 Help is available to callers 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Domestic Violence, Children, Families, Seniors

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**Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline** 1.800.922.5330 If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected, please call. Phones are staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**Sunflower House** [www.sunflowerhouse.org](http://www.sunflowerhouse.org" \t "_blank) an organization that helps children who have been physically or sexually abused through counseling, medical evaluations (if needed), advocacy, and education. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**The Children’s Place** [http://www.childrensplacekc.org/](http://www.childrensplacekc.org/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) a place for the very youngest survivors of abuse, neglect and other childhood traumas. Services such as a day program, outpatient program, parenting support, training, and advocacy are a part of what they do. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**Homeless Hotline** 816.474.4599 Homeless resources Children, Families, Seniors

**Baby Needs Closet** 3801 Strong Avenue, KCK 913.362.4397 Resource for families with babies. Has clothing, diapers, etc. Call for an appointment first. Children, Families

**Cross-Lines Community Services** [www.cross-lines.org](http://www.cross-lines.org" \t "_blank) 736 Shawnee Avenue, KCK 913.281.3388 Emergency Assistance (food, clothing, shower facilities, laundry services, rent and utility assistance, medicine cabinet), Hunger Relief (hot breakfast at the Community Annex M-Sa, hot lunches through churches and individuals M-F in the Cross-Lines Community Annex, monthly commodity distribution, food pantry, brown bag lunches), Thrift Store. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**Metropolitan Lutheran Ministry** [www.mlmkc.org](http://www.mlmkc.org" \t "_blank) 913.342.8333 722 Reynolds, KCK Gives emergency assistance for families in crisis through the Community Care Program, outreach to elders, Project CARE (located at 3031 Holmes, KCMO) a strengths-based case management program assisting people into getting permanent housing, increasing their income, and achieve greater determination, The Christmas Store for families, and healthcare with prescription diabetic test strips. Also, forms for birth certificates. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**Salvation Army** [www.salvationarmyusa.org](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org" \t "_blank) 913.232.5400 6723 State Avenue, KCK Provides emergency assistance through food pantry, military personnel assistance, rent and utility assistance, casework, transitional housing, emergency shelter, disaster relief, day care, prescription assistance for those 60 years and older, and older adult services at various locations throughout KCK. Call before you go. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing, Health

**Mount Carmel Redevelopment Corp.** 913.621.4111 1240 Troup Avenue, KCK Gives emergency assistance for families in crisis, outreach to elders, a strengths-based case management program assisting people into getting permanent housing, increasing their income, and achieve greater determination, Offers assistance with food, utilities and rent. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**Shawnee Community Center** 913.268.7746 11110 West 67th Street (67th and Nebraska), KCK Offers assistance with food and clothing M-F 8-6 and Saturday 8-5. Children, Families, Seniors

**Wyandotte Southern Baptist Outreach** 913.299.5200 5900 State Avenue, KCK Offers food assistance on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Children, Families, Seniors

**Willa Gill Center** 913.621.4690 645 Nebraska, KCK provides Strengths-Based Case management, a telephone voice mail center for homeless and/or phoneless persons of Wyandotte County, Mail slot service for homeless clients, Other services include Gap Food Pantry, personal hygiene kits, clothing, information and referrals, and job leads. In addition, onsite free lunch is provided 7 days a week. There are also onsite learning opportunities and community education. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**United States Department of Education** [http://www2.ed.gov/parents/academic/help/hyc.html](http://www2.ed.gov/parents/academic/help/hyc.html%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) This page has resources for parents to work with their children on schoolwork, including math, history, reading, preschool, homework, and becoming a responsible citizen. All are also available in Spanish. Families, Children, Education

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**Reading is Fundamental** [www.rif.org/us/index](http://www.rif.org/us/index%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) The site has resources and activities to get children to be better readers and love reading. Contains a rich, parent-focused section that includes tips on how to encourage reading and choose good books as well as literacy activities. Special program, Leading to Reading, is designed especially for children ages birth through five. (Resources available in Spanish) Click on “Literacy Resources”, then on “Activities” or “Multicultural” for activities and handbooks to get you started. The “Activities” section has a customizable, searchable database of activities to bring reading into everyday activities. Families, Children, Education

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**Housing**

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**Kansas City, KS Housing Authority** 913.281.3300 1124 North 9th, KCK Helps families and individuals with low and moderate incomes in Wyandotte County find safe, affordable, quality housing and promoting economic opportunity. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**Johnson County Housing Authority** [http://hsa.jocogov.org/housing/auth\_tenant.shtml](http://hsa.jocogov.org/housing/auth_tenant.shtml%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) 12425 W. 87th Street Parkway, Lenexa, KS Helps families and individuals with low and moderate incomes in Johnson County, KS find safe, affordable, quality housing and promoting economic opportunity. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**The Housing Information Center** for housing assistance [www.hickc.org](http://www.hickc.org" \t "_blank) Their mission is to ensure all people in the Kansas City metro area have safe, decent, and affordable housing on an equal opportunity basis. Foreclosure prevention assistance and classes in first-time home buying are offered. Offices are located in Kansas City, Missouri and Olathe, Kansas. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**Landlord/Tenant Rights – Human Relations Division – Unified Government** 913.573.5460 701 N. 7th Street, Suite 346, KCK Mediation services between landlords and tenants. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

**Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)** [www.hud.gov](http://www.hud.gov" \t "_blank) This site will give you resources to help you find shelter or stay in your home. Information is available on how to avoid foreclosure, find rental assistance, file a fair housing discrimination complaint, and other issues dealing with housing. Tools such as a mortgage calculator or a buy versus rent calculator or a calculator for loan estimates are also available. Children, Families, Seniors, Housing

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**Connections Project Eagle Community Programs** 913.321.9999 Connects families to community resources such as parenting skills, parent health, child health, housing support, housing necessities, job advice, and child developmental screening for children birth – 5 years. Children, Families, Seniors, Health, Housing, Education

**Cross-Lines Community Services** [www.cross-lines.org](http://www.cross-lines.org" \t "_blank) 736 Shawnee Avenue, KCK 913.281.3388 Emergency Assistance (food, clothing, shower facilities, laundry services, rent and utility assistance, medicine cabinet), Hunger Relief (hot breakfast at the Community Annex M-Sa, hot lunches through churches and individuals M-F in the Cross-Lines Community Annex, monthly commodity distribution, food pantry, brown bag lunches), Thrift Store. Children, Families, Seniors, Health, Housing

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**Kansas Department of Social & Rehabilitation Services (SRS)** [www.srskansas.org](http://www.srskansas.org" \t "_blank) 913.755.2162 Childcare assistance, child support enforcement, food assistance, Successful Families Program. Children, Families, Seniors, Health, Education

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**Catholic Charities** [www.catholiccharitiesks.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesks.org" \t "_blank) 913.371.1504 2220 Central Avenue, KCK (913.621.1504, call for availability of services) Crisis Counseling, Emergency assistance, Foster Grandparents, Marriage for Keeps, Refugee and Migrant Services, Shalom House – Homeless for Men, Teen Parent Support, Rent and Utility Assistance Children, Families, Seniors, Health

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**Shawnee Community Center** 913.268.7746 11110 West 67th Street (67th and Nebraska), KCK Offers assistance with food and clothing M-F 8-6 and Saturday 8-5. Children, Families, Seniors

**Wyandotte Southern Baptist Outreach** 913.299.5200 5900 State Avenue, KCK Offers food assistance on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday Children, Families, Seniors

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**Early Childhood Learning and Knowledge Center – US Department of Health and Human Services** [http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc](http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) resources for people interested in Early Childhood Education. Parent resources include Expectant Mothers, Safe and Healthy Parenting, Inside Head Start, Growing Up, Everyday Parenting, and Learning Games and Activities. Articles on Health and Oral Health, Nutrition for Children and Families, and sections for Grandparents. Some articles available in Spanish. There is also a link to finding physician and dental providers through the S-CHIP program. Education, Health, Seniors, Families, Children

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**The University of Kansas Hospital** [www.kumed.com](http://www.kumed.com" \t "_blank) 913.588.1227 Family physicians, Pediatricians, classes and other events, Healthy Hawks program for children who are overweight. Click on the “Health & Wellness” tab for more information about classes. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**Providence Medical Center** [www.providence-health.org](http://www.providence-health.org" \t "_blank) 913.596.4000 Family physicians, Pediatricians, Classes and other events. Click on the “Your Health” tab for class information. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**Olathe Health System Education and Wellness**www.olathehealth.org 913.791.4200 Family physicians, Pediatricians, Classes and other events. Click on the “Your Health” tab for class information. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

**Counseling Mental Health Substance Abuse Services** 913.342.1110 913.573.1110 (Espanol) Individual, Family & group therapy, support groups, parenting groups. Children, Families, Seniors, Health

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**Workforce through KansasWorks** [www.kansasworks.com/ada](http://www.kansasworks.com/ada%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) 913.279.2600 552 State Avenue, KCK Offers help with resumes, job training, job search, and job matching. Employment

**Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations** [http://www.labor.mo.gov/](http://www.labor.mo.gov/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) a site for applying and filing unemployment claims, learning more about worker’s compensation, workplace safety and workplace laws. There are also links to classes, further resources, including Energy Assistance, WIC, homeless shelters, and others, along with other employment services through the regional offices and Career Centers throughout Missouri. Links to Missouri CareerSource, a job bank of employment in the state of Missouri. Employment

**OSHA** [http://www.osha.gov/](http://www.osha.gov/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) through the US Department of Labor. A site to learn more about health and safety on the job, along with links on filing complaints. Employment

**The Kansas City Workers’ Justice Project** [www.kcwjp.org](http://www.kcwjp.org" \t "_blank).  An all-volunteer organization working to empower you in the Kansas City metropolitan area by eliminating unjust employment practices. Monthly Workers Rights Clinics provide free assistance to workers with employment disputes (usually involving unpaid wages). You work with volunteer attorneys, students, and other community members who advise you of your options, possible remedies, referral to other sources of assistance if necessary, educated about your rights and ways to avoid future problems. You are encouraged to be active in the resolution of your challenges and become a part of a more just labor environment. Employment

**The Kansas City Workforce Partnership** [www.workforcepartnership.com](http://www.workforcepartnership.com" \t "_blank) is committed to building a workforce development system that meets the needs of both job seekers and employers throughout the Kansas City area. The programs they provide include job search assistance, resume and interview preparation, veterans’ services, mature worker services, and more. They have a network of career centers in Johnson, Leavenworth, and Wyandotte counties. Employment

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**On Demand** 913.371.3212 9th and Minnesota, KCK Has temporary positions available in a variety of areas. Employment

**Worknet** 913.621.4690 645 Nebraska, KCK Has temporary positions in a variety of areas. Employment

**JTPA – Kansas Job Service** 913.281.3000 552 State Avenue, KCK Employment training and employment readiness to prepare youth and adults facing serious barriers to employment. Employment

**Labor Ready** 913.281.9118 3724 State Avenue Providing temporary workers to employers in the areas of construction, warehousing, event and hospitality, waste and recycling, transportation, manufacturing, and agriculture Employment

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**Kansas Children’s Service League – Healthy Families** [www.kcsl.org](http://www.kcsl.org" \t "_blank) 913.371.2200 24-hour parent helpline 1.800.244.5373 Case Management for parents and youth at risk, community resource library a wide variety of child and family-related materials (including videos) for the prevention of child abuse. Free. Flex funds for families for emergency assistance. Healthy Families provides intensive in-home support for parents of 0-3 year olds. Parental helpline, (1.800.244.5373) is an anonymous, statewide information, referral and phone counseling service. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**Sunflower House** [www.sunflowerhouse.org](http://www.sunflowerhouse.org" \t "_blank) an organization that helps children who have been physically or sexually abused through counseling, medical evaluations (if needed), advocacy, and education. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**The Children’s Place** [http://www.childrensplacekc.org/](http://www.childrensplacekc.org/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) a place for the very youngest survivors of abuse, neglect and other childhood traumas. Services such as a day program, outpatient program, parenting support, training, and advocacy are a part of what they do. Children, Families, Domestic Violence

**Legal Services**

**Kansas Legal Services** [www.kansaslegalservices.org](http://www.kansaslegalservices.org" \t "_blank) 913.621.0200 offers legal help for those in need of assistance. The site offers not only assistance, but also links to other resources to get you the help you need. Located locally at 400 State Avenue, KCK, help is available in areas such as immigration/naturalization, job training, foreclosure prevention, juveniles, bankruptcy/debtor relief, Medicaid/Medicare, divorce/custody, Elder Law, adoption, working conditions and many others. Please click here for more information and how to access their services.

**Legal Aid of Western Missouri** [www.lawmo.org/offices.htm](http://www.lawmo.org/offices.htm%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) offers legal help for those in need. Assistance provided falls in the following areas; Public Benefits, Domestic Violence/Family Law, Housing, Economic Development, AIDS Legal Assistance, Consumer, Immigration Law Project, Migrant Farmworkers Project, Municipal Court Defense Unit, and Volunteer Attorney Project. Information on each of these programs and how to access their services can be found on the site.

**Office of Immigration** 9747 NW Conant Ave, KCMO 1.800.375.5283 A service for renewing your green card and application for citizenship.