

Community Resource Guide



A quick guide to basic services available in **Linn County**, Kansas

Information is provided as a community service and does not necessarily constitute endorsement. This is not a complete list of resources; information is updated annually.

Medical

Local Health Services/Clinics

Community Health Center of SE KS, Mound City	(620) 795-2203
Community Health Center of SE KS, Pleasanton	(913) 352-8379
SEK Multi County Health Department, Fort Scott	(620) 223-3800
Linn County Health Department, Pleasanton.....	(913) 352-6640
Community Health Center of SEK, Mound City	(913) 795-2203
Mercy Family Medicine, Pleasanton.....	(913) 352-8379

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

Elizabeth Layton Center, Paola.....	(913) 557-9096
Osawatomie State Hospital, Osawatomie.....	(913) 755-7000
Choices Psych. Services, Fort Scott	(620) 223-8590
Southeast Kansas Mental Health, Pleasanton.....	(913) 352-8214
Kansas Agricultural Stress helpline.....	(800) 447-1985
.....	www.Kansasagstress.org
Southeast Kansas Mental Health, Fort Scott.....	(620) 223-5030
Southeast Kansas Mental Health Center	(620) 365-8641
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(800) 539-2660
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....	(800) 273-8255
Mobile Crisis Helpline (for Kansans (0-20 yrs. old and foster care children, current and past).....	(833) 441-2240
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Helpline.....	(866) 645-8216
Substance Abuse Helpline (SAMHSA).....	(800) 662-4357
Louisburg Al.Anon	(913) 710-4349
Alcoholics Anonymous in Kansas	https://alcoholicsanonymous.com/aa-meetings/kansas/
Support groups in Kansas.....	https://supportgroupsinkansas.org/support-groups

Dental Services

SEK Multi County Health Department, Fort Scott	(620) 223-4464
Health Partnership Clinic (includes health care).....	(855) 886-6938
Miami County Health Department, Paola	(913) 294-2431
Kansas Donated Dental Services.....	(785) 273-1900
Kansas Donated Dental Services Online Application.....	https://dentallifeline.org/kansas/
Smiles Change Lives (discounted braces)	https://www.smileschangelives.org/
Smiles for Success	https://smilesforsuccess.org/

Eye Care

SEK Multi County Health Department, Fort Scott.....	(620) 223-4464
Miami County Health Department, Paola.....	(913) 294-2431
Kansas Dept. for Aging and Disability Services (Blind and Visually Impaired).....	(866) 213-9079
Vision USA.....	(800) 365-2219
International Lions Club-Harper (free eye exams and eyeglasses to qualified participants).....	(316) 773-2100
Envision Vision Rehab Center, Wichita.....	(316) 440-1500
EyeCare America	(877) 887-6327
See To Learn, Topeka (3 year-olds)	(800) 960-3937

Prescription Services

Community Health Center of SE KS, Mound City	(620) 795-2203
Community Health Center of SE KS, Pleasanton.....	(913) 352-8379
Prescription Assistance Program.....	www.KansasDrugCard.com
Needy Meds (helps with cost of medicine)	www.needymeds.org
Rx Assist.....	www.rxassist.org

Assistive Equipment

Care 4 All Home Medical Equipment, Fort Scott	(620) 223-9722
Assistive Technology for Kansans.....	(800) 526-3648
Technology Assisted Waiver.....	(316) 721-1945
Kansas Equipment Exchange (supply or exchange medical equipment for adults and children)....	(800) 526-3648
K-Loan, Parsons.....	(620) 421-6554

Other Health Services

KanCare/Medicaid eligibility and renewal, KanCare Clearinghouse.....	(800) 792-4884
KanCare application, benefits and assistance.....	www.kancare.ks.gov
KanCare Ombudsman office.....	(855) 643-8180
.....	www.kancare.ks.gov/kancare-ombudsman-office/contact-us
Ryan White Outreach Program (HIV/STI help).....	(785) 296-6174
.....	www.kdhe.ks.gov/355/The-Ryan-White-Part-B-Program

Southeast Kansas Community Action Program, Girard (children, transport, housing).....	(620) 724-8204
Health Partnership Clinic (includes dental care).....	(855) 886-6938
Community Care Network of Kansas, Salina.....	(785) 233-8483
.....	www.communitycareks.org
Early Detection Works (for breast and cervical cancer issues).....	(877) 277-1368
Kansas Special Health Care Needs (SHCN) Program (infants to age 21).....	(785) 296-1313
.....	https://www.kdhe.ks.gov/747/Special-Health-Care-Needs
Kansas State Farmworker Health Program, Topeka	(785) 296-6028
..... Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas (SHICK).....	(620) 431-2980
Medicare.....	(800) 633-4227
.....	www.medicare.gov

Information and Referral

Local Resources

Miami County Human Resources.....	(913) 294-9530
Lakemary Center (disability services).....	(913) 557-4000
Paola Senior Center.....	(913) 294-4630
Louisburg Senior Center.....	(913) 837-5113
Osawatomie Senior Center.....	(913) 755-4786
Parent Helpline (www.1800CHILDRENKS.org)	(800) 244-63731
Find local help and resources	www.Findhelp.org
211 through United Way of the Plains (Central Kansas).....	(316) 267-1321
.....	Looking for help? United Way 211 can help. (unitedwayplains.org)
Support groups in Kansas.....	https://supportgroupsinkansas.org/support-groups

Regional/State Organizations

Southeast Kansas Area Agency, Chanute.....	(620) 431-2980
Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs, Emporia.....	(620) 342-3347
Military/Veteran Employment	www.vetjobs.com
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Chanute.....	(620) 431-9714
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Parsons.....	(620) 421-6610
USACare.org (post 9/11 veterans)	1-800-773-0387
Regional Long Term Care Ombudsman (nursing facility issues).....	(620) 778-1035
Senior Services of SE Kansas.....	(620) 251-7313
Elderly Services Senior Care (ECKAAA), Ottawa.....	(785) 242-7200
Senior Health Insurance Counseling (SCHICK), Ottawa	(785) 242-7200
Pregnancy Resource Center.....	(620) 365-3308
Parent Helpline.....	(800) 332-6378
.....	www.1800CHILDRENKS.org

Kansas Department for Children and Families, Chanute.....	(620) 421-5000
.....	www.dcf.ks.gov
Social Security, Pittsburg.....	(866) 964-6307
Area Agency on Aging, Ottawa	(785) 242-7200
Aging and Disability Resource Center	(785) 242-7200
Resource Center for Independent Living (helping people with disabilities).....	(785) 528-3105
Kansas Department for Aging and Disability, Iola.....	(620) 431-7401
Bridges Healthcare Support for Caregivers.....	(833) 795-0113
Tri-Ko, Inc – CDDO (developmental disabilities).....	(913) 755-3025
Families Together (families with children with disabilities).....	(833) 765-2003
Disability Rights Center of Kansas	(785) 273-9661
Kansas Legal Services, Pittsburg.....	(620) 232-1330
Elder Hotline (legal assistance for elders).....	(888) 353-5337

Food

Community Senior Services Food Distribution Center, Osawatomie.....	(913) 755-4169
Lacygne Community Food Pantry.....	(913) 757-2732
Prescott United Methodist Church Food Distribution Center.....	(913) 471-4578
Lecompton United Methodist Church Food Distribution Center.....	(785) 393-3382
Nutrition Site Kincaid Community Bldg Food Distribution Center.....	(620) 439-5440
Mom’s Meals	(877) 508-6667
.....	www.momsmeals.com

[The Emergency Food Assistance Program \(TEFAP\)](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/cure-hunger/)
<https://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/cure-hunger/>

Transportation

Southeast Kansas Community Action Program.....	(620) 724-6350
Fort Scott Cab Company.....	(620) 223-1510
Bourbon County Senior Citizens.....	(620) 223-0750

Shelter

Homeless Shelters/Transitional Housing

Fort Scott Compassionate Ministries.....	(620) 223-2212
Southeast Kansas Community Action Program (children, transport, housing).....	(620) 231-5400

My Father's House, Paola(913) 294-3600
 Visions of Promise Mission, Paola.....(913) 294-4841
 Homeless Veterans.....(877)223-8387

Rent & Utilities

SEK-CAP Rental Assistance, Security & Utility deposits.....(620) 724-8204
 Beacon, Fort Scott.....(620) 223-6869
 Southeast Kansas Community Action Program (children, transport, housing).....(620) 231-5400
 ACCL Utility Fund, Chanute.....(620) 431-7229
 LIEAP – Low Income Energy Assistance Program
 www.dcf.ks.gov/services/ees/Pages/EnergyAssistance.aspx
 VASH Voucher Program for Veterans.....(620) 624-0280 x23

Landlord Issues

Housing and Credit Counseling (Landlord and tenant issues).....(800) 383-0217
 Kansas Housing Resources Corporation.....(785) 217-2001
 www.kshousingcorp.org

Housing

Fort Scott Housing Authority.....(620) 223-4570
 Paola Housing Authority(913) 294-4731
 SEK-CAP Housing (TBRA).....(620) 724-8204
 SEK-CAP Section 8 HUD.....(620) 231-5400
 <https://www.sek-cap.com/services/housing>
 Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (includes weatherization assistance).....(785) 217-2001
 www.kshousingcorp.org
 Urban League of Kansas..... (316) 262-2463
 www.kansasul.org
 Kansas Rural Development, Hays.....(785) 628-3081
 Kansas Rural Development, Winfield.....(620) 221-3210
 Housing and Credit Counseling Inc..... www.housingandcredit.org
 Affordable Housing www.affordablehousingonline.com

Other Resources

- Kansas Commission on Disability Concerns..... (800) 295-5232
[Kansas Commission on Disability Concerns \(KCDC\)](#) Choose “Life Resources” or “Youth” at top of page.
- Information and Resources for today’s challenging economy www.needhelppayingbills.com
[Linn County Kansas Community Resources](#)
- Salvation Army.....www.salvationarmyusa.org
- Find local help and resources.....www.Findhelp.org
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