

Community Resource Guide



A quick guide to basic services available in **Elk 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

Elk County Kansas Health Department.....	(620) 374-2277
Howard Clinic.....	(620) 374-2650
Montgomery County Health Department, Independence.....	(620) 331-4300
Greenwood County Hospital	(620) 374-2650
Wilson Medical Center, Neodesha (ER, home health, lab, pharmacy, imaging, specialty services)....	(620) 325-2611

Mental Health

Four County Mental Health Center, Neodesha	(620) 325-2141
Four County Community Support, Independence	(620) 331-3481
SEK Academy, Independence	(620) 331-0057
Veteran’s Crisis Line	(800) 273-8244
Keys for Networking (for families with children with BH concerns).....	(800) 499-8732
Mobile Crisis Helpline (for Kansans 0-20 yrs. old and foster care children, current and past)	(833) 441-2240
Kansas Ag Stress helpline	(800) 447-1985
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(800) 539-2660
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....	(800) 273-8255
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Helpline	(866) 645-8216
Substance Abuse Helpline (SAMHSA)	(800) 662-4357
Alcoholics Anonymous in Kansas	https://alcoholicsanonymous.com/aa-meetings/kansas/
Support groups in Kansas.....	https://supportgroupsinkansas.org/support-groups

Help for Sexual and Domestic Violence (added 2/2022)

Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence.....	(785) 232-9784
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[Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)

Kansas Sexual and Domestic Violence Service Providers – Find Services Near You. [Kansas Sexual and Domestic Violence Organizations – Find on Map | Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)

Safety Plan for Victims [Safety Plan for Victims of Domestic Violence | Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)

Kansas Crisis Hotline (888) 363-2287
National Domestic Violence Hotline (800) 799-7233
..... SMS: Text START to 88788

Dental Services

Elk County Kansas Health Department..... (620) 374-2277
Montgomery County Health Department, Independence.....(620) 331-4300
Kansas Donated Dental Services (785) 273-1900 or (888) 870-2066
Kansas Donated Dental Services Online Application..... <https://dentallifeline.org/kansas/>

Eye Care

Elk County Kansas Health Department..... (620) 374-2277
Montgomery County Health Department, Independence.....(620) 331-4300
Kansas Dept. for Aging and Disability Services (Blind and Visually Impaired) (866) 213-9079
Envision Vision Rehab Center, Wichita..... (316) 440-1600
International Lions Club (provides free eye exams and eyeglasses to qualified participants)..... (316) 773-2100
Vision USA Program, Dodge City (free eye exams for qualified participants)..... (620) 225-3374

Prescription Assistance

Needy Meds (helps with cost of medicine) www.needymeds.org
Prescription Assistance Program..... www.KansasDrugCard.com
Salvation Army, El Dorado (health services and prescription costs) (316) 321-4070

Assistive Equipment

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
Ryan White Outreach Program (HIV/STI help) (www.kdheks.gov/sti_hiv/ryan_white_care.htm)..... (316) 293-2652
Ryan White Part B Program, (Lawrence)..... (785) 841-7297
Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas (SHICK), Dodge City..... (620) 225-8230
(Southwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging)

Information and Referral

Local Resources

Montgomery County Action Council..... (620) 331-3830

KVC Kansas, Independence	(620) 577-2700
Kansas Social and Rehab Dept	(620) 251-0605
American Legion, Caney	(620) 879-2173
Catholic Charities, Wichita	(316) 264-8344
Salvation Army, El Dorado	(316) 321-4070

Regional/State Organizations

Resource Center for Independent Living (helping people with disabilities)	(785) 528-3105
Southeast Kansas Area Agency, Chanute	(620) 431-2980
Assistive Technology for Kansans	(800) 526-3648
Senior Services of SE Kansas	(620) 251-7313
Pregnancy Resource Center	(620) 365-3308
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Chanute	(620) 431-9714
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Parsons	(620) 421-6610
Kansas Department for Children and Families, Chanute (www.dcf.ks.gov)	(620) 421-5000
K-Loan, Parsons	(620) 421-6554
Regional Long Term Care Ombudsman (nursing facility issues)	(620) 778-1035
Social Security, Pittsburg	(866) 964-6307
Mosaic, Pittsburg (disabilities)	(620) 231-5590
Haven Support Services, Pittsburg (disabilities)	(620) 308-6232

Food

Independence Food Basket	(620) 331-5115
Mercy House	(620) 378-2801
First United Methodist Church, Fredonia	(620) 378-2764
Grace First Assembly of God, Fredonia	(620) 378-2801
Kansas Food Bank Warehouse, Independence	(620) 331-0181
Economic and Employment Support Services	(620) 431-5000

Transportation

Elk County Trans	(620) 374-2403
Southeast Kansas Community Action Program	(620) 724-6350
Connections, Independence	(620) 332-1976
Class LTD	(620) 331-8604

Senior Services of SE Kansas (620) 251-7313

Shelter

Homeless Shelters/Transitional Housing

Home Sweet Home Homeless Ministry, Independence (620) 331-0956
Home Sweet Home Shelter..... (620) 577-2080
Storm Shelter, Neodesha..... (620) 325-8110

Rent & Utilities

SEK-CAP Rental Assistance, Security & Utility deposits (620) 724-6350
Tenant Based Rental Assistance Program, Independence..... (620) 332-2536
Economic and Employment Support Services (620) 431-5000
VASH Voucher Program for Veterans.....(620) 624-0280 x23

Landlord Issues

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

Housing

Howard Housing Authority (620) 374-2386
Southeast Kansas Community Action Program (620) 724-6350
Neodesha Housing Authority (620) 325-2440
Gardenwalk of Independence (620) 331-1205
Penn Terrace Apartments, Independence (620) 331-1678

Other Resources

[Kansas Commission on Disability Concerns \(KCDC\)](#) Choose “Life Resources” or “Youth” at top of page.