Exceptional Family Member Program Information Directory Annual Update: January 2025



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This resource directory has been developed to provide information on the Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) and the services surrounding the Fort Riley area.

The EFMP is a Department of the Army program designed to assist family members who have special needs. This is done to insure those soldiers and their families are assigned to areas which have those specialized services needed by their exceptional family members. Enrollment in the EFMP is *mandatory*.

EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM is located at the Army Community Service in the Soldier Family Support Center, Normandy Drive 7264, Fort Riley, Kansas 66442-6421. Telephone number: (785) 239-9435. The EFMP Manager assists families in navigating resources, for families with an exceptional member, who has a physical, mental, emotional or learning challenge.

What does this mean? When you have a family member with any physical, emotional, developmental, or intellectual disorder that requires special treatment, therapy, and education, training or counseling. There are many conditions, which qualify family members for service through the EFMP. There is a thorough evaluation made of each individual referred to the EFMP. The EFMP Program working in concert with other military and civilian agencies is designed to provide a comprehensive, coordinated, multi-agency approach for medical, educational, community support, housing, and personnel services to families with special needs. The program is designed to include all eligible family members (children, spouses, dependent relatives) with special needs regardless of age.

MILITARY ASSIGNMENT: The U.S. Army Human Resources Command (HRC) Medical Coordination and Family Travel Team to consider the special education and medical needs of exceptional Family members during the assignment process and reassigns Soldiers, when readiness does not require a specific reassignment, to an area where the Family member's needs can be accommodated.

EFMP has two areas to better support the Service Member and their family members:

HOSPITAL SPECIAL NEEDS ADVISOR /CASE COORDINATOR (SNA/CC) is responsible for identifying qualifying conditions, completing enrollment and updating procedures in a detailed and timely manner. The SNA provides confirmation to Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps assignment managers on available medical or educational services at the new location before assignment approval.

INSTALLATION EFMP MANAGER AND ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE (ACS) are committed to helping improve the quality of life and the well-being of Service Members and their families by ensuring that families receive appropriate services to meet special physical, emotional and/or educational needs. The EFMP Manager offers information and referral to guide families to appropriate services and resources available here as well as world-wide for relocation. Additional EFMP services include: education on the EFMP program, individual assessment of Service Members arriving and departing Fort Riley, querying of Service Members for eligible family members, advocacy services for education and housing needs, support groups, and programs that assist families identify, cope, and improve family strengths and well-being. This EFMP Information Directory is part of the commitment to meeting the needs of military families. It is a general guide to services and resources available in the Fort Riley area.

HOW WILL THIS AFFECT MY CAREER?

Enrollment does not affect the Service Member's career progression. EFMP medical or educational information is not entered into a Service Member's official military personnel file, nor is this information available to school or promotion boards. It does affect future assignments that involve family accompaniment. It ensures that when an accompanied assignment is given, known family needs are provided for in that local, surrounding area.

HOW DO I ENROLL/UPDATE AT FORT RILEY?

<u>Enrollment:</u> When a qualifying medical and/or educational condition is identified, the Service Member or spouse will be referred to the EFMP Special Needs Advisor/Case Coordinator located at Irwin Army Community Hospital, **785-240-7543**, (Monday – Friday, Walk-ins 0900-1200 and 1300-1500). The MEDDAC EFMP will assist with enrollment forms and other procedures.

<u>Update:</u> To ensure assignment considerations are based on accurate and up to date information, families are responsible for informing the EFMP of any changes in the EFMs needs or conditions. <u>EFMP enrollment</u> updates are required at least every three years or sooner if significant changes occur.

The success of the EFMP depends on several factors. The first factor is a thorough evaluation of the condition and development of a complete treatment program; this is a medical and/or educational responsibility. A key to the success of the Exceptional Family Member Program is cooperation by the sponsor with the mandatory enrollment/requirement.

Following are **some** conditions that warrant enrollment.

Have any other medical, educational, counseling, or social need

- □ Have **any serious or chronic on-going medical problem** that requires multiple appointments over six months, or physical disability
- □ Require <u>more medical support or follow-up care than commonly provided</u> by a family practitioner in an outpatient setting
- □ Special Education Requirements, Individual Education Program (IEP), 504 Plan or Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP)
- □ ADD / ADHD: and requires seeing more than just a Family Practice physician (I.e. counselor, psychologist, psychiatrist, pediatrician, etc.) Whether on medication or not
- □ Allergies: If follow-up with an allergist or if allergy shots are required
- □ Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)
- Asthma: any wheezing or treated with medication within the past five years
- □ **Cancer:** a diagnosis of cancer within the past five years
- □ Cerebral Palsy
- **Developmental Delays**
- Depression / Anxiety / Panic Attacks
- Drug / Alcohol Use or Abuse
- Diabetes especially Insulin dependent
- □ Hearing Problems, loss hearing aids or auditory therapy
- **Heart or Coronary** related conditions
- High Blood Pressure
- □ Intensive Follow-up Support: such as high risk newborns
- □ Loss of Mobility: requiring use of a wheelchair/walker or other aide, or requirement of single story housing
- □ **Mental Health:** currently requiring any level of mental health service or care is projected for the future or has required 6 months of continuous mental health care within the past five years
- □ Seizures or Seizure Disorders

- □ Sickle Cell Disease
- □ **Sight:** not corrected by glasses
- □ Speech Delay and/or Therapy
- **Thyroid: Hyper or Hypo Grave's**, etc. which requires follow-up by more than a family practitioner

This list is not all inclusive of conditions requiring enrollment but ones specified in AR 608-75, dated 27 January 2017.

FACTS ABOUT ENROLLMENT IN EFMP

*Enrollment in the EFMP does not guarantee deletion, deferment or compassionate reassignment.

- *Enrollment is not a guarantee that the sponsor will not serve an unaccompanied tour.
- *Enrollment is not an automatic approval of family travel.
- *Enrollment from the EFMP is not made available to promotion boards or school selection boards.
- *Enrollment in the EFMP will not automatically move or change your place on the housing list. Exceptions to policy may be available to sponsors of EFM's, however; the Housing office is the initial point of contact for this.

*EFM's are enrolled permanently in the program unless medical or special education needs warrant case closure or the soldier is separated from the Army. Soldiers are responsible for keeping their exceptional family member's medical and/or special education documentation current. A record update is required every three years or if the condition changes whichever comes first.

State and Federal Laws related to the Rights and responsibilities of EFMs:

Legislation and DoD Policy Governing Education of Exceptional Family Members:

According to the U.S. Department of Education, it was not until the 1950s and 60s that the Federal government, with strong support and advocacy of family associations, began to develop and validate practices for children with disabilities and their families. Early legislation focused on the training of special education teachers and supported programs for disability categories such as retardation, deafness, and blindness.

U.S. Department of Defense:

Legislation, Policies and Guidance:

Laws that address the civil rights of disabled persons have their roots in the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which led to dramatic changes in the freedom and access experienced by millions of Americans in minority racial and ethnic groups. The legislation described in this section had the same impact on the lives of disabled Americans. Civil rights legislation requires all the branches of government to develop implementing policy; thus, the Department of Defense (DoD) policy on rights of the disabled is also described. This section also describes key legal foundations for the public education of disabled persons today and DoD policy implementing the requirements of the law where it is responsible for educating the children of service members.

Legislation and DoD Policy Governing Civil Rights of Exceptional Family Members:

(Rehabilitation Act of 1973 – Section 504)

Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-112) prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in programs and activities, public and private, that receives federal funding, including the DoD. Under this law, individuals with disabilities are defined as persons with a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities. People who have a history of or are regarded as having such impairment are also covered. Section 504 protects people with disabilities from discrimination in:

- Employment by government agencies and organizations that receive Federal funding.
- Education in public schools or private schools receiving Federal funding (disabled students can receive accommodation and related services even if they do not qualify for special education.)

- \Box Access to higher education in colleges and universities.
- Access to programs and services that receive Federal funding including health care facilities, public institutions, social service agencies, state and local government offices and recreation facilities.

"Reasonable accommodation" is the term used in the legislation to require employers and service providers to make adjustments for a person's disability except in cases where it would cause undue hardship. Section 504 also provides procedural safeguards for non-compliance, but it does not provide funding to implement requirements. For military special needs families living outside the United States and its territories, Section 504 does not apply. DoD facilities and programs overseas are subject to the laws of the host nation.

DoD Directive 1020.1

<u>DoD Directive 1020.1</u>, entitled "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs and Activities Assisted or Conducted by the Department of Defense," implements Section 504. It directs all organizations under the secretary of defense to:

- Make all services and facilities accessible to people with disabilities (includes schools, chapels, commissaries, medical treatment facilities, child and youth services, etc.)
- Ensure nondiscrimination in employment of DoD personnel.
- Establish procedures to file and manage complaints so they are resolved in a timely manner.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

Signed into law in 1990, the <u>Americans with Disabilities Act</u> (<u>Public Law 101-336</u>) is a wide- ranging legislation intended to make American Society more accessible to people with disabilities. It addresses five areas of discrimination.

- Employment businesses must provide reasonable accommodations to protect the rights of individuals with disabilities in all aspects of employment.
- Public services state and local government instrumentalities cannot deny services to people with disabilities, and public transportation systems must be accessible to them.
- Public accommodations all new construction and modifications must be accessible to individuals with disabilities, and existing barriers to services must be removed from public places such as restaurants, grocery stores, retail stores etc.
- Telecommunications companies offering services to the general public must have telephone relay service for individuals who use telecommunications devices for the deaf.
- Miscellaneous among other items, people are prohibited from coercing / threatening or retaliating against the disabled or those attempting to aid people with disabilities in asserting their ADA rights.

The ADA has benefited military special needs families by removing barriers and opening doors in their Communities, helping to make their lives easier and the American way of life more accessible.

Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS):

The Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS) are design requirements developed under the <u>Architectural Barriers Act (ABA)</u> for facilities designed, built, or altered with Federal funds. In 1984, UFAS became the enforceable standard under the ABA upon its adoption by four standard-setting agencies: the Department of Defense, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the General Services Administration and the U.S. Postal Service. Under the ABA, UFAS applies federally funded design, construction, or alterations. <u>Enforcement of UFAS</u> depends on the law it is used under. Under the ABA, the Federal entities have an obligation to follow UFAS as facilities are designed, constructed, or altered with Federal funds.

Educational and Developmental Intervention Services (EDIS) Early Intervention Services (EIS):

Military Medical Departments for each branch of service have been designated as responsible for EIS in locations served by the two DoD school systems, the Department of Defense Dependent Schools (DODDS) overseas and the Domestic Dependent Elementary and Secondary Schools (DDESS). The Military Medical Departments provide multidisciplinary assessment and direct services through Educational and Developmental Intervention Service (EDIS) programs. Guidance for each of the Services' EDIS programs can be found here:

SPECIAL EDUCATION NEEDS ARE CONSIDERED IN THE MILITARY PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENT PROCESS.

Special education needs are only considered in assignments outside the United States. Assignments within our 50 States and Trust Territories are not based on the educational needs of children. Every local school system must obey public laws regarding the provision of special education.

Public Law (PL) 105-17, Education for All Handicapped Children Act requires a free appropriate public education to all handicapped children. (1997 Amendments to PL 94-142) Students with disabilities who exhibit less serious infractions of school conduct may be disciplined in ways similar to children without disabilities (including a change in placement) provided that the misbehavior was not a manifestation of the student's disability. Public Law 95-561, Defense Department Act, 1978, mandates Department of Defense schools to implement PL 94-142 in overseas locations.

Parents have an important role as advocates for the educational needs of their child. Parents need to understand the process of special education and know effective ways to participate. Every school system in the United States and DODDS has a set of regulations governing special education that include referral/evaluation, eligibility, Individual Education Program, placement, instruction, and annual review.

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA):

Congress enacted the Education for <u>All Handicapped Children Act</u> (<u>Public Law 94-142</u>) in 1975. It was a landmark law to provide Federal assistance to state and local education agencies to improve access to education by children with disabilities. Having been strengthened and broadened through six revisions/reauthorizations and a name change, the <u>Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act</u>, or IDEA, is today one of the United States' most comprehensive laws.

- \Box Part A covers general provisions.
- □ Part B addresses requirements for the education of children with disabilities.
- □ Part C addresses early intervention to identify, assess, and provide services to infants and toddlers at risk for developmental delays.
- □ Part D provides for national activities to improve education of children with disabilities.

Military HOMEFRONT Education section details how the requirements of IDEA have been implemented by state and local education agencies and DoD schools.

MEDICAL:

IRWIN ARMY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL (IACH) Location Bldg. 650 Huebner Road, Phone (785) 239-7000 or 785-239-3627

Exceptional Family Member POC at IACH: (785) 240-7543 Patient Administration: (785) 239-7744 Patient advocate: 785-239-7739

Patients wanting to make an appointment at Irwin Army Community Hospital call (785) 239-3627 or toll free (800) TRIWEST / (888) 239-3627. All active duty personnel will utilize the appropriate Troop Medical Clinic for medical care, except emergencies.

Tricare (styled TRICARE), formerly known as the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services (CHAMPUS), is a health care program of the United States Department of Defense Military Health System. The Tricare program is managed by the Defense Health Agency (DHA).

Tricare Benefits and Debt Collections: (785) 239-7968 FAX: (785) 239-7043

Tricare Health Net Services: (844) 866-WEST(9378)

TRICARE Extended Care Health Option (ECHO): 844-866-WEST (9378) 844-527-3578

The <u>Extended Health Care Option (ECHO)</u> replaced the Program For Persons With Disabilities (PFPWD). ECHO supplements or provides services above what is offered with basic TRICARE Prime and TRICARE Select services. ECHO provides financial as well as an integrated set of services to family members of an active duty Service Member.

In-home respite care services:

ECHO Respite Care – up to 16 hours per month when receiving other authorized ECHO benefits ECHO Home Health Care Respite Care – up to 40 hours per week (eight hours per day, five days a week) if homebound

Autism Care Demonstration: Autism Care Demonstration Customer Service at 833-818-2525 or email Provider Services Contracting at <u>abaprovidercontracts@triwest.com</u>.

Check with your Health Benefits Advisor or TRICARE Service Center (TSC) at the MTF <u>before</u> applying for benefits under the program to determine which program is best for each individual need. Information can also be found on the TRICARE website: <u>http://www.tricare.mil</u>.

Ambulance: Call (785) 239-SAVE (7283). If you are calling from an area that can be serviced faster by the local ambulance service, call 911.

COMMUNITY HOSPITALS: Stormont Vail Flint Hills Campus Phone: (785) 238-4131 1102 St. Mary's Road, Junction City

Ascension Via Christi Hospital Phone: (785) 776-3322 1823 College Avenue, Manhattan

KONZA PRAIRIE COMMUNITY HEALTH & DENTAL CENTER

361 Grant Ave, Junction City Phone: (785) 238-4711 Medical, Mental and Dental care at a sliding scale. https://www.konzaprairiechc.com/

CYS PARENT CENTRAL

Location: 6620 Normandy Drive Fort Riley Child and Youth Services consists of a Child Development Center, a Family Child Care Program and a Supplemental Programs and Services Program. They are Nationally Accredited. Offering full-day care and special needs care for children ages 6 weeks through kindergarten attendance.

THE FAMILY CHILD CARE (FCC) PROGRAM

Location: 6620 Normandy Drive Phone: (785) 239-9892 Highly qualified daycare providers who provide developmental care for children in their homes on post. Services include full-day care, hourly care, part-day care, extended care, 24-hour care and special needs care for children ages 4 weeks through 12 years of age.

YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS PROGRAMS

Location: 6620 Normandy Drive Phone: (785) 239-9223 or (785) 240-5207 CYS provides a wide variety of activities for Fort Riley military and civilian personnel children. Youth Social Program provides activities and services for the full range of youth population (K-12).

SCHOOL AGE AND YOUTH CENTER

Location: 5801 Thomas Avenue, (785) 239-9220 Forsyth East, (785) 240-5821 School Age Service Program available before and after school. Full day services available during school holidays.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Location: 510 Reed Avenue

CHAPLAIN ACTIVITIES/SPIRITUAL LIFE

Command Chaplain, 228 Custer Avenue Chaplain Emergency Assistance (After Duty Hours)

SOCIAL WORK SERVICES

Location: 650 Huebner Road Provides comprehensive psychosocial assessment/evaluations, brief and/or on going individual, marital and group therapy for soldiers and families.

FAMILY ADVOCACY SOCIAL WORK is responsible for the investigation of child and spouse abuse brought to their attention along with treatment services deemed appropriate.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Location: 650 Huebner Road Phone: 785-239-7208 The mental health needs of family members are met through cooperative efforts of the Community Mental Health Service and Social Work Services. Family members desiring evaluation should call Social Work Service for an initial screening.

Phone: (785) 239-9885

2030 Techumse Rd, Suite 100, Manhattan

Phone: (785) 239-1887 Emergency (877) 272-7337

Phone: (785) 239-3359 Phone: (785) 239-H-E-L-P (4357)

Phone: (785) 240-7471 / (785) 240-7472

Phone: (785) 320-7134

DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Irwin Army Community Hospital, 4th Floor 650 Huebner Road, Fort Riley, Kansas

HOUSING (CORVIAS)

Location: 45 Barry Ave (Carr Hall)Phone: (785) 239-3525Provides service 24 hours a day for arriving and departing PCS families, as well as visitors to the installation.CORVIAS MILITARY HOUSING (on-post)After Hours Emergency: call your Community Office and follow the prompts to reach the on-call service,

After Hours Emergency: call your Community Office and follow the prompts to reach the on-call service, available 24/7. Phone: (785) 717-2258

LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Location: 216 Custer Avenue Legal assistance attorneys offer advice, guidance and counseling.

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICES

Location: 7624 Normandy Drive **To include**:

Information and Referral provides general information, gives assistance in locating needed services (both on and off post), operates emergency food lockers, and supervises USDA Commodities Program.

Relocation Service operates the loan closet, offers assistance with PCS moves, including computerized information on installations worldwide; distributes welcome packets, provides waiting family services, and gives sponsorship training, newcomer briefings, and family deployment briefings.

Financial Services provides classes and individual counseling on financial management and consumer education, including how to reach financial goals, ways to reduce debts, cost of credit, budget development, checkbook management, consumer's rights and obligations and resolving consumer complaints.

Army Emergency Relief (AER) is a non-profit organization with the sole mission of helping Army personnel and their family members in time of valid emergency travel expenses and for essentials to prevent privation (rent, food, utilities). The soldier must have an in-person interview to complete the application process. Eligibility: Active duty and retired military personnel and their family members.

Army Family Team Building (AFTB) educates the Army family in a wide variety of knowledge, skills and abilities fostering personal and family preparedness to enhance Army readiness.

ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF

http://www.aerhq.org 2530 Crystal Drive, STE. 13161 Arlington, VA 22202 (866) 878-6378

Fort Riley Army Base - https://www.milbases.com/kansas/fort-riley-army-base/directory https://www.milbases.com/kansas/fort-riley-army-base

DOROTHY BRAMLAGE PUBLIC LIBRARY 230 West 7th Street Junction City, KS 66441-3097 (785) 238-4311, Fax: (785) 238-7873 reference@jclib.org

Phone: (785) 239-3117

Phone: (785) 239-9435

Phone: (785) 239-7208

The 2020 Community Information Directory: A Directory of Resources and Services in the Junction City Area <u>https://jclib.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/2022-CID.pdf</u>

Resource Guide 2022 Geary County

https://safe.menlosecurity.com/doc/docview/viewer/docN85EB3F0A77C184df446d9d4e79558dd27726633bb2 92eb0651d6fbff576d471e85af2e998be2

Military One Source is partnered with EFMP in providing 24/7 assistance and resources for all Military Families. <u>www.militaryonesource.com</u> 1-800-342-9647

LOCAL RESOURCE NUMBERS:

FLINT HILLS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

401 Houston Manhattan, KS 66502 (785) 776-9294

ANGEL FLIGHT CENTRAL – Free Flights for People in Need Website explains qualifying criteria at <u>http://www.angelflightcentral.org/</u> (866) 569-9464 / (816) 421-2300 Email: wings@angelflightcentral.org

AUTISM - National Assistance for Military Families with individuals with autism https://www.autismspeaks.org/

AUTISM GRANTS http://www.tacanow.org/family-resources/autism-grants

CARES (Canine Assistance Rehabilitation Education and Services) Provides Service Dogs for disability and elderly care P.O. Box 314 Concordia, KS 66901 (785) 243-1077 / (800) 498-1077 http://www.caresks.com cares.ks@sbcglobal.net

CASA Help for the neglected and abused children Manhattan: (785) 537-6367 Junction City: (785) 762-3907 / (785) 762-4679 https://www.sunflowercasa.org

CATHOLIC CHARITIES 212 S. 4th Street, Ste. 120 Manhattan, KS 66505 (785) 323-0644 http://www.ccnks.org

CENTRAL KANSAS MILITARY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION (CKMCF)

A non-profit organization assisting Military Families facing financial hardships. Grants given to applicants who show a proven financial need. PO Box 515 Junction City, KS 66441 CKMCF04@hotmail.com

EARLY CHILDHOOD INTERVENTION

Riley County Infant Toddler Service (Birth-3) Interagency Coordination Council (785) 776-6363 Geary County Infant Toddler Service (Birth-3) Interagency Coordination Council

(785) 717-4130

CAPPER FOUNDATION

3500 SW 10th Ave. Topeka, KS 66604 <u>Capper.org</u> (785) 272-4060

FAMILIES TOGETHER, INC.

Regional Representative 5614 SW Barrington CT S Topeka, Kansas 66614 **1-800-264-6343** (785) 233-4777

FAMILY SERVICE GUIDANCE CENTER

Center for Learning Disabilities 325 S.W. Frazier Topeka, Kansas 66606-1963 <u>fsgc@fsgctopeka.com</u> (785) 232-5005

FLINT HILLS SUMMER FUN CAMP

For children grades K-6 http://www.flinthillssummerfuncamp.com

FLINT HILLS CHILD CARE RESOURCE REFERRAL

Manhattan, KS 66502 (800) 227-3578 / (785) 532-7197

FORT RILEY ON POST HOUSING

www.corviasmilitaryliving.com

GEARY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

1212 W. Ash Junction City, Kansas (785) 762-5788

GEARY COUNTY LEARNING CENTER 907 W. 6th Street (785) 223-6691

GENERAL TRANSPORTATION

301 E 4th Street Junction City, KS 66441 (785) 762-2219

HEAR NOW

9745 E. Hampton Avenue, Ste. 300Denver, CO 80231-4923(800) 648-4327Eligibility for HEAR NOW is based on financial need and hearing loss that can be improved with amplification.

HEART SPRING

8700 N 29th St N Wichita, KS 67229

(316) 634-8700

Our mission, in partnership with parents, professionals and the community, is to help children with special needs grow and learn on a path to a more independent life.

BIG LAKES DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER

Home and Community Based Services 1416 Hayes Dr. Manhattan, KS 66502 (785) 776-9201

HOME AND HOSPICE INC.

3801 Vanesta Drive
Manhattan, KS 66503
(800) 748-7474 / (785)-537-0688
Provides care for the terminally ill patient or family. http://goodshepardhh.org ATA BUS 5815 Marlatt Ave. Manhattan, KS 66503 (785) 537-6345

STORMONT VAIL FLINT HILLS CAMPUS

1102 St Mary's Rd Junction City, KS 66441 (785) 238-4131 Ext. 4413 / (785)-762-2653

Eldercare home health care provides patients and families assistance with promoting independent living, health maintenance and restoration.

KANSAS ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY 800-KAN-DO-IT / (800) 526-3648

KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES

2709 Amherst Manhattan, KS 66503 (785) 776-4011

KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES

1010 W. 6th Street Junction City, KS 66441 (785) 762-5445

KS INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT NETWORK/FAMILIES TOGETHER FAMILY SERVICE & TRAINING

5611 Southwest Barrington Court South, Ste. 120 Topeka, KS 66614 (785) 233-4777/ 800-264-6343 www.familiestogetherinc.org

En Español: (800) 499-9443

KANSAS SOCIETY FOR CHILDREN WITH CHALLENGES

100 N Main Street Wichita, KS 67202 (316) 262-4676 http://www.kssociety.org

KANSAS SPECIALTY DOG SERVICE

120 W 7th St Washington, KS 66968 (785) 325-2256 www.ksds.org

KANSAS UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER

Children's Development Unit 3901 Rainbow Boulevard Kansas City, KS 66160 (913) 588-6300

KEYS FOR NETWORKING, INC

900 S. Kansas Ave #301 Topeka, KS 66612 (785) 233-8732

MAKE A DIFFERENCE INFORMATION NETWORK – An information service for toddlers, children and adults with disabilities, their families and their service providers. (210) 850-1139

MILITARY ONE SOURCE

This web portal is the central, trusted, and up-to-date source for Service members and their families to obtain Information about all Department of Defense Quality of Life programs and services (800) 342-9647 www.militaryonesource.mil

NEUROLOGICAL DISABILITIES SUPPORT PROJECT 3901 Rainbow Boulevard Kansas City, KS 66160 (913) 588-5943 OPERATION MILITARY KIDS www.operationmilitarykids.org

PILOT CLUB OF MANHATTAN

http://www.pilotclubofmanhattan.org

PRAIRIE VIEW WEST

7570 West 21st Street - #1026-D Wichita, KS (800) 992-6292 Provides Rehabilitation and Neuropsychological Testing Services https://prairieview.org

THREE RIVERS
504 Miller Drive, P.O. Box 408
Wamego, KS 66547
(785) 456-9915 800-555-3994
Organization promoting the self-reliance of individuals with disabilities through education, advocacy, training, and support.

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE OF TOPEKA

www.rmhcneks.org

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE OF KANSAS CITY

http://www.rmhckc.org

SERVICE FOR CHILDREN AND WOMEN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Landon State Office 10th Floor Topeka, KS 66612 (800) 332-6262

SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS: https://www.kdheks.gov/shcn/index.htm

The Kansas Special Health Care Needs (SHCN) Program promotes the functional skills of persons, who have or are at risk for a disability or chronic disease. The program is responsible for the planning, development, and promotion of the parameters and quality of specialty health care in Kansas in accordance with state and federal funding and direction. SHCN provides specialized medical services to infants, children and youth up to age 21 who have eligible medical conditions.

SPECIAL NEEDS PLANNING CENTER

10601 Mission Rd Ste. 10617 Leawood, KS 66206 (816) 741-1100 https://www.snpcenter.com

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

1121 Hudson Avenue Manhattan, KS
(800) 772-1213 / (877) 840-5741
Assists qualifying individuals in filing claims for benefits and processes these benefit claims. https://www.ssa.gov

STATE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY PLANNING COUNCIL

Landon State Office Building 900 SW Jackson, Room 569 Topeka, KS (785) 296-2608 https://kcdd.org

STATE DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

Landon State Office Building 900 SW Jackson Topeka, KS (785) 296-3201 / (877) 431-4604 / (800) 203-9462 specialeducation@ksde.org https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Special-Education-and-Title-Services/Special_Education

MIRACLE NETWORK(S)

Stormont Vail Health 1500 S.W. 10th Ave. Topeka, KS (785) 354-6851 Children's Miracle Network Hospitals Kansas – Stormont Vail Health (childrensmiraclenetworkhospitals.org) Via Christi 929 North St. Francis Wichita, KS (316) 239-3528 Children's Miracle Network Hospitals Kansas – Ascension Via Christi (childrensmiraclenetworkhospitals.org)

SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME PROGRAM

SSI is a cash assistance program for needy people who are elderly (65 or older), blind, or handicapped. 1121 Hudson Avenue Manhattan, KS (800) 772-1213 / (877) 840-5741

TBI OPTIONS

K-State Speech and Hearing Center 139 Campus Creek Complex 1405 Campus Creek Road Manhattan, KS (785) 532-6879 http://www.TBIoptions.ksu.edu

OCCUPATIONAL CENTER OF CENTRAL KANSAS

1710 W. Schilling Road PO Box 1160 Salina, KS 67401 (785) 827-9383

THREE RIVERS INDEPENDENT LIVING

504 Miller Drive Wamego, KS <u>www.threeriversinc.org</u> (800) 555-3994 / (785) 456-9915

WORKPLACE READINESS

USD #475 Transition Services Junction City, KS (785) 717-4581

WIC RILEY COUNTY

Family and Child Resource Center 2101 Claflin Road Manhattan, KS 66502 (785) 776-4779 ext: 7661

WIC GEARY COUNTY

1212 W. Ash Street Junction City, KS 66441 (785) 762-5682

WIC FORT RILEY

Irwin Army Community Hospital Ft. Riley WIC 650 Huebner Rd. Fort Riley, KS 66442

ZERO TO THREE (800) 899-4301 http://www.zerotothree.org

UNITED WAY 139 East 8th St, Junction City, KS (785) 238-2117 www.unitedwayjcgc.org

NATIONAL AUTISM SOCIETY (301) 657-0881 http://www.autism-society.org

AUTISM SPEAKS (888) 288-4762 En Español (888) 772-9050 http://www.autismspeaks.org Email: contactus@autismspeaks.org

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (800) 232-4636 TTY: (888) 232-6348 http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/autism/index.html Email: cdcinfo@cdc.gov

LOCAL RESOURCES BY COUNTY

GEARY COUNTY

School District: Geary County Schools (785) 717-4000

The 2022 Community Information Directory: A Directory of Resources and Services in the Junction City Area

https://jclib.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Community-Resource-Guide-.pdf

RILEY COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization: Big Lakes Developmental Center, INC. (785) 776-9201

Community Mental Health Center: Pawnee Mental Health Services (785) 587-4310

Kansas Infant-Toddler Services:

Infant Toddler Services Network of Riley County, USD 383 & 384 area in Pottawatomie County (785) 776-6363

Budget Shops: Encore Shop: Specializes in clothing and domestic goods and vouchers are accepted. Open: Monday through Saturday 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm Address: 611 Poyntz, Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-776-7866

The Budget Shop: Low-cost thrift store with donated items from the community and vouchers are accepted. Open: Tuesday through Friday 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Address: 730 Colorado Street, Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-565-5010

School Districts:

Riley County (785) 485-4000

Manhattan-Ogden (785) 587-2000

Blue Valley (913) 239-4000

POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization: Big Lakes Developmental Center, INC. (785) 776-9201

Community Mental Health Center: Pawnee Mental Health Services (785) 587-4300

Kansas Infant-Toddler Services Northeast Kansas Infant Toddler Services (785) 876-2214 (866) 987-6004 Toll Free Pottawatomie / Wabaunsee Infant-Toddler Program (Part of Pottawatomie) (785) 456-7366

School Districts: Wamego (**785**) **456-7643**

Kaw Valley (785) 437-2254

Onaga-Havensville-Wheaton (785) 889-4614

Rock Creek (785) 457-3732

WABAUNSEE COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization Hetlinger Developmental Services, Inc. (620) 342-1087

Community Mental Health Center CrossWinds Counseling and Wellness (620) 343-2211 (800) 279-3645

Kansas Infant-Toddler Services Flint Hills Special Education Cooperative (620) 341-2325 Pottawatomie / Wabaunsee Infant-Toddler Program (Part of Pottawatomie) (785) 456-7366

School Districts:

Mill Creek Valley (785) 765-3394

Mission Valley (785) 409-6216

MORRIS COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization Hetlinger Developmental Services, Inc. (620) 342-1087 Community Mental Health Center CrossWinds Counseling and Wellness (620) 343-2211 (800) 279-3645

Kansas Infant-Toddler Services Flint Hills Special Education Cooperative (620) 341-2325

School Districts: Morris County (620) 767-5192

DICKINSON COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization Disability Planning Organization of Kansas (785) 823-3173

Community Mental Health Center Central Kansas Mental Health Center (785) 823-6322

Kansas Infant-Toddler Services Salina Regional Health Center Infant-Child Development (785) 452-6050

School Districts: Solomon (785) 655-2541

Abilene (785) 263-2630

Chapman (785) 922-6521 Rural Vista (785) 349-2964

CLAY COUNTY

Community Developmental Disabilities Organization Big Lakes Developmental Center, Inc. (785) 776-9201

Community Mental Health Center Pawnee Mental Health Services (785) 587-4310 School Districts Clay Center (785) 632-3176

LOCAL SUPPORT GROUPS

Battered Women's Support Group (785) 539-2785

Cairn Health (316) 683-7559 www.cairnhealth.org

HIV Support Group (785) 776-4779

HIV Positive Only Group (785) 776-4779

Ostomy Association of LMH Health Topeka Compassionate Friends (785) 272-4895 Homecare & Hospice (785) 537-0688 (800) 748-7474

Hope House-Domestic Violence (816)461-4673 (816) 468-5463

Learning Disabilities of America (412) 341-1515 <u>www.ldaamerica.org</u>

(785) 505-6265

KANSAS STATE RESOURCES

STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: SPECIAL EDUCATION

Kansas State Department of Education 900 SW Jackson Street Topeka, KS 66612 (785) 291-3097 E-mail: specialeducation@ksde.org

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES: AGES 3 THROUGH 5

Student Support Services Kansas State Department of Education 120 East Tenth Avenue Topeka, KS 66612-1182 (785) 296-7454

PROGRAMS FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS WITH DISABILITIES: Ages Birth Through 2

State Department of Health & Environment Landon State Office Bldg. 900 S. W. Jackson, 10th Floor Topeka, KS 66612-1290 (785) 296-6135

STATE DIVISION OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services Biddle Bldg., 1st Floor, 300 SW Oakley Topeka, KS 66606

OFFICE OF STATE COORDINATOR OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Technical Education Team Kansas State Department of Education 120 Southeast 10th Avenue Topeka, KS 66612

STATE MENTAL HEALTH & DEVELOPMENTAL & DISABILITIES COMMISSION

MH & DD/Dept. of Soc. & Rehabilitation and Services Docking State Office Bldg. 915 SW. Harrison Street, 5th Floor North Topeka, KS 66612-1570 (785) 368-7228

STATE MENTAL HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Docking State Office Bldg., 5th Floor North 915 SW. Harrison Street Topeka, KS 66612-1570 (785) 296-7272

STATE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES PROGRAM

Angela de Rocha, Director The Kansas Council on Developmental Disabilities 915 SW. Harrison Street, DSOB Rm 141 Topeka, KS 66612-1570 (785) 296-3561

STATE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES PLANNING COUNCIL

Kansas Council on DD Docking State Office building, Rm. 141 915 SW. Harrison Avenue Topeka, KS 66612 (785) 296-2608

ADVOCACY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES

Disability Rights Center of Kansas 214 SW 6th Ave, Ste 100 Topeka, KS 66606 (785) 273-9661 / 1-877-776-1541

PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS

Services for Children with Special Health Care Needs Landon State Office Bldg., 10th Floor 1000 SW. Jackson Topeka, KS 66612 (785) 296-1313

TECHNOLOGY ACCESS CENTERS (OCCK) OCCUPATIONAL CENTER OF CENTRAL KANSAS

1710 W. Schilling Road P. O. Box 1160 Salina, KS 67402-1160 (800) KAN-DOIT / (785) 672-3125

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION CENTER

Topeka Providers Jamey Hancock 500 SW Van Buren Topeka, KS 66603 (785) 296-1491

DISABILITY ORGANIZATIONS

BRAIN INJURY ASSN. of KS & GREATER KS CITY 1100 Pennsylvania, Suite 4061 Kansas City, MO 64105-1336 (800) 783-1356 / (816) 842-8607

CEREBRAL PALSY

5111 E 21st Wichita, KS 67208-0217 (316) 688-1888

LEARNING DISABILITIES

Learning Disabilities Association of KS P.O. Box 4424 Topeka, KS 66604 (785) 273-4505

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER

To identify an ADD groups in your state or locally, contact either: Children and Adults with Attention Deficit Disorders (CH.A.D.D.) 4221 Forbes Blvd, Suite 270 Lanham, MD 20706 (866) 200-8098 / (301) 306-7070 www.chadd.org

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER ASSOCIATION (ADDA)

P.O. Box 103 Denver, PA 171517 (800) 939-1019 E-mail: <u>:info@add.org</u> www.add.org

KS SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION

148 S. Bay Country Ct Wichita, KS 67232 (316) 202-2288 www.ksha.org

AUTISM

To identify an autism group in your state, contact: Autism Society of America 6110 Executive Boulevard Ste 305 Rockville, MD 20852 (800) 328-8476 www.autism-society.org

MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH CENTRAL KANSAS

555 N. Woodlawn, Suite 3105 Wichita, KS 67208 (316) 685-1821 www.mhasck.org

KS ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL

112 Southwest 6th, P.O. Box 675 Topeka, KS 66601 (800) 539-2660

KANSAS COALITION AGAINST SEXUAL & DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

634 SW Harrison St Topeka, KS 66603 (785) 232-9784 www.kcsdv.org

GOODWILL INDUSTRIES/EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF KS

P.O. Box 8167, Wichita, KS 67208 (316) 744-9291

KEYS FOR NETWORKING

900 S. Kansas Ave #301 Topeka, KS 66612 (785) 233-8732 http://www.keys.org

SPINA BIFIDA

3901 Rainbow Blvd Kansas City, KS 66012 (913) 588-5000

UNIVERSITY AFFILIATED PROGRAM

Institute for Life Span Studies University of Kansas Robert Dole Human Development Center, Rm 1052 Lawrence, KS 66045 (785) 864-4295

TECHNOLOGY-RELATED ASSISTANCE

Assistive Technology for Kansas Project 2601 Gabriel Ave P.O. Box 738 Parsons, KS 67357 (620) 421-8367

PARENT TRAINING INFORMATIONATION PROJECTS

3340 W Douglas Suite 102 Wichita KS 67203 (316) 945-7747

FAMILIES TOGETHER, INC

5611 Southwest Barrington Couth South, Ste. 120 Topeka, KS 66614 (785) 233-4777

MILITARY ONE SOURCE is partnered with EFMP in providing 24/7 assistance and resources for all Military Families. www.militaryonesource.com (800) 342-9647

NATIONAL PHONE NUMBERS

American Association for the Deaf (301) 338-6380

American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (202) 387-1968

American Council of the Blind (800) 424-8666

American Diabetes Association (800) 342-2383

American Foundation for the Blind (212) 502-7600

American Heart Association (800) 242-8721

American Kidney Foundation (866) 300-2900

American Lung Association (800) 548-8252

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (800) 638-8255

The ARC (800) 433-5255

Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind (800) 548-4337

Head Injury Foundation (800) 444-6443

Helen Keller Nat'l Center for Deaf/Blind (516) 944-8900

Job Accommodation Network (800) 526-7234

KS Advocacy & Protective Services (785) 273-9661

Army Emergency Relief Society (866) 878-6378

Assistive Technology for KS (800) 526-3648

Autism Hotline (888) 288-4762

Autism Society of America (800) 328-8476

Beach Center on Families & Disability (785) 864-7600

Better Hearing Institute (800) 327-9355

Capper Foundation (785) 272-4060

Captioned Films for the Deaf (800) 237-6213

Arthritis Foundation (404) 872-7100

KS Society for Children with Challenges (800) 624-4530

Institute of Mental Health (866) 615-6464

KS State Board of Education (785) 296-3201

Learning Disabilities Associates (412) 341-1515

MAYO Clinic (480) 301-8000

Muscular Dystrophy Association (800) 572-1717

KS Alliance for Mentally Ill (800) 950-6264

KS Child / Adolescent Service (785) 296-1308

KS Commission for the Deaf Hard of Hearing (833) 765-2003

KS Commission on Disability Concerns (800)-295-5232

KS In-service Training System (620) 421-6550 ext. 1618

KS Lawyer Referral Service (800)-928-3111

KS Planning Council on DD (877) 431-4604

National Down Syndrome Congress (800)-232-NDSC

National Down Syndrome Society (800)-221-4602

International Dyslexia Association (410) 296-0232

National Institute on Deafness and other Communication Disorders (800) 241-1044

National Information Center for Orphan Drugs & Rare Disorders (203) 744-0100

US Army Garrison, DFMWR, Army Community Service, Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) at 785.239.9435

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National Alliance for the Mentally Ill (800) 950-6264

National Association of the Deaf (301) 587-1788

Natl Association for Parents of Visually Impaired (800) 232-5463

National Braille Press (617) 266-6160

National Federation of the Blind (410) 659-9314

National Easter Seal Society (800)-221-6827

National Foundation for the Blind (800) AFB-LINE / (800) 232-5463

National Health Information Center (800) 336-4797

Parent Advocacy Network (973) 642-8100