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# State Resource Guide

## Kansas

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## **State Agencies and Organizations**

### **United States Senators**

Please see <http://www.mda.org/get-involved/advocacy/resources/government>

### **Official State Web Site**

<http://www.kansas.gov/index.php>

### **State Department of Education: Special Education**

#### **Kansas State Department of Education, Special Education Services**

Team Director

Phone: (785) 291-3097

Website: <http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=101>

Alternate website: [www.kansped.org](http://www.kansped.org)

Address: 120 SE 10th Avenue

Topeka, KS 66612-1182

### **State Coordinator for No Child Left Behind (NCLB)**

#### **Kansas State Department of Education, No Child Left Behind Title Programs and Services**

Director

Phone: (785) 296-3069

Fax: (785) 296-5867

Website: <http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=397>

Address: 120 SE 10th Avenue

Topeka, KS 66612-1182

### **Programs for Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities: Infant/Toddler**

#### **Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Infant-Toddler Services**

Phone: (785) 291-3368

Fax: (785) 296-6553

Toll free: (800) 332-6262

Website: <http://www.kdheks.gov/its>

Address: 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 220

Topeka, KS 66612-1274

### **Programs for Children with Disabilities: Early Childhood**

#### **Kansas State Department of Education, Early Childhood Special Education Services**

Phone: (785) 296-5352

Website: <http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=2284>

Address: 120 SE 10th Avenue  
Topeka, KS 66612-1182

### **State Vocational Rehabilitation Agency**

#### **Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

Phone: (785) 368-7471

Fax: (785) 368-7467

TTY: (785) 368-7478

Toll free Customer Service Line: (866) 213-9079

Email: [rehabilitation.services@srs.ks.gov](mailto:rehabilitation.services@srs.ks.gov)

Website: <http://www.srskansas.org/rehab/text/VR.htm>

Address: Docking State Office Building, 9th Floor  
915 SW Harrison  
Topeka, KS 66612

### **Rehabilitation Services Administration**

Kansas State Liaison

Phone: (202) 245-7325

Website: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/ras/index.html>

Address: 400 Maryland Ave, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20202-2800

### **Job Accommodation Network (U.S. Department of Labor, Office of Disability Employment Policy)**

Phone: (800) 526-7234 (V) or (877) 781-9403 (TTY)

Website: <http://www.jan.wvu.edu/>

### **Coordinator for Transition Services**

#### **Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Transition Planning**

Toll free Customer Service Line: (866) 213-9079

Website: <http://www.srskansas.org/rehab/text/VR.htm>

Please visit the above website for the contact information of the transition office nearest you.

### **State Mental Health Representative**

#### **Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Mental Health Services**

Phone: (785) 296-7272

Fax: (785) 296-2173

Website: [http://www.srskansas.org/services/mhsatr\\_mental-health.htm](http://www.srskansas.org/services/mhsatr_mental-health.htm)

Address: 915 SW Harrison St.  
Topeka, KS 66612

### **National Alliance on Mental Illness Kansas**

Phone: (785) 233-0755

Toll free: (800) 539-2660

Fax: (785) 233-4804

Email: [namikansas@nami.org](mailto:namikansas@nami.org)

Website: [www.namikansas.org](http://www.namikansas.org)

Address: 112 SW 6th Ave, Suite 505  
PO Box 675  
Topeka, KS 66601-0675

### **Programs for People with Developmental Disabilities**

#### **Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Disability and Behavioral Health Services**

Phone: (785) 296-3561

Website: <http://www.srskansas.org/hcp/css/DDInfo.htm>

Address: 915 SW Harrison St.  
Topeka, KS 66612

### **Councils on Developmental Disabilities**

#### **Kansas Council on Developmental Disability**

Phone: (785) 296-2608

Fax: (785) 296-2861

Website: <http://www.kcdd.org>

Address: Docking State Office Building, Room 141  
Topeka, KS 66612-1570

### **Protection and Advocacy Agency**

#### **Disability Rights Center of Kansas (DRC)**

Phone: (785) 273-9661

Toll free: (877) 776-1541

Toll free TDD: (877) 335-3725

Fax: (785) 273-9414

Website: <http://www.drckansas.org>

Address: S.W. Harrison Street, Suite 100  
Topeka, KS 66603-3726

### **Client Assistance Program**

#### **Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Client Assistance Program**

Disability Rights Center of Kansas (DRC)

Phone: (785) 273-9661

Toll free: (877) 776-1541

Toll free TDD: (877) 335-3725

Fax: (785) 273-9414

Website: <http://www.srskansas.org/rehab/text/CAP.htm>

Alternative website: <http://www.drckansas.org>

Address: S.W. Harrison Street, Suite 100  
Topeka, KS 66603-3726

### **Programs for Children with Special Health Care Needs**

#### **Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Services for Children with Special Health Care Needs**

Phone: (785) 296-1313

Fax: (785) 296-8616

Toll free: (800) 332-6262

Website: <http://www.kdheks.gov/shs>

Address: 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 220  
Topeka, KS 66612-1274

**State CHIP Program (health care for low-income uninsured children)**

**Kansas Health Wave**

Phone: (800) 792-4884

TTY: (800) 792-4292

Website: <http://www.kansashealthwave.org>

Address: P.O. Box 3599

Topeka, KS 66601

**Telecommunications Relay Services for Individuals who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing or with Speech Impairments**

TTY: (800) 548-2546

Phone: (800) 548-2547

For national relay services, please visit <http://www.deafzone.com/relay/>.

**Regional ADA Technical Assistance Center**

**National Network of ADA Centers**

Phone: (800) 949-4232 (V/TTY)

**DBTAC-Great Plains ADA Center**

Phone: (573) 882-3600 (V/TTY)

Toll free: (800) 949-4232 (Toll-free for IA, KS, MO & NE)

Fax: (573) 884-4925

Email: [ada@missouri.edu](mailto:ada@missouri.edu)

Website: <http://www.adaproject.org>

Address: 100 Corporate Lake Drive

Columbia, MO 65203

**University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities**

**The Schiefelbusch Institute for Life Span Studies, Dole Human Development Center**

University of Kansas

Phone: (785) 864-4295

Fax: (785) 864-5323

TTY: (785) 864-5051

Email: [lsi@ku.edu](mailto:lsi@ku.edu)

Website: <http://www.lsi.ku.edu>

Address: 1000 Sunnyside Avenue, Rm 1052

Lawrence, KS 66045

**Technology-Related Assistance**

**Assistive Technology For Kansans Project**

Phone: (620) 421-8367 (Voice/TTD)

Fax: (620) 421-0954

Toll free: (800) KAN-DO-IT

Website: <http://www.atk.ku.edu>

Address: 2601 Gabriel

Parsons, KS 67357

### **State Mediation System**

#### **Kansas Judicial Branch, Alternate Dispute Resolution Program**

Dispute Resolution Coordinator

Phone: (785) 291-3748

Website: <http://www.kscourts.org/Programs/Alternative-Dispute-Resolution/default.asp>

Address: 301 SW 10th Avenue  
Topeka, KS 66612-1507

### **Special Format Library**

#### **Kansas Talking Book Service**

Toll free: (800) 362-0699

Website: <http://www.kslib.info/talking/>

Address: ESU Memorial Union  
1200 Commercial, Box 4055  
Emporia, KS 66801-5087

### **State Department on Aging**

#### **Kansas Department on Aging**

Phone: (785) 296-4986

Toll free: (800) 432-3535

TTD: (785) 291-3167

Fax: (785) 296-0256

Email: [wwwmail@aging.ks.gov](mailto:wwwmail@aging.ks.gov)

Website: <http://www.agingkansas.org>

Address: New England Building  
503 South Kansas Avenue  
Topeka, KS 66603

### **State Medicare and Medicaid**

#### **Kansas Medical Assistance Program**

Phone: (800) 766-9012

Website: <https://www.kmap-state-ks.us/Public/homepage.asp>

#### **Medicare**

Phone: (800) MEDICARE

Website: [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov)

Address: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
7500 Security Boulevard  
Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

### **Social Security Administration**

Phone: (800) 772-1213

TDD service: (800) 325-0778

Website: <http://www.ssa.gov>

Visit the website above for the location and phone number of the office in your city.

## **Veterans Affairs**

### **Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs**

Phone: (785) 296-3976

Fax: (785) 296-1462

Website: <http://www.kcva.org>

Address: Jayhawk Tower  
700 SW Jackson, Suite 701  
Topeka, KS 66603-3743

## **Organizations Especially for Parents**

### **Parent Training and Information Center (PTI)**

#### **Families Together Inc.**

Wichita Administrative and Parent Center

Phone: (316) 945-7747 (Voice/TTY)

Toll free: (888) 815-6364

Fax: (316) 945-7795

Email: [wichita@famielstoegetherinc.org](mailto:wichita@famielstoegetherinc.org)

Website: <http://www.famielstoegetherinc.org>

Address: 3033 W. 2nd, Suite 106  
Wichita, KS 67203

Please visit the above website for the contact information of the center nearest you.

## **Other Disability-Related Resources**

#### **Goodwill Easter Seals Kansas**

Phone: (316) 744-9291

TTY: (316) 744-0158

Fax: (316) 744-1428

Website: [http://goodwillkansas.easterseals.com/site/PageServer?pagename=KSDR\\_homepage](http://goodwillkansas.easterseals.com/site/PageServer?pagename=KSDR_homepage)

Address: 3636 N. Oliver  
Wichita, KS 67220

### **Community Information and Referral**

#### **United Way of Kansas**

Phone: 211 (select counties)

Website:

[http://www.unitedwaykc.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=blogcategory&id=42&Itemid=118](http://www.unitedwaykc.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=blogcategory&id=42&Itemid=118)

#### **Statewide Independent Living Council (SILC)**

Phone: (713) 520-0232 (Voice/TTY)

Fax: (713) 520-5785

Email: [ilru@ilru.org](mailto:ilru@ilru.org)

Website: <http://www.ilru.org/index.html>

Address: 2323 S. Shepherd, Suite 1000  
Houston, TX 77019

See the above website for a list of independent living centers in Kansas.