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Johnson County Area Agency on Aging
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Johnson County Area Agency on Aging offers this directory and listings for your convenience and support.

Call 913-715-8861 to suggest updated information or other helpful listings.

Providers listed may not include all resources in the area; and inclusion in this directory is not a recommendation or endorsement of listings, although we believe these listings will be helpful and supportive.
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The mission of the Johnson County Area Agency on Aging (AAA) is to advocate for and assist older adults in maintaining their independence and dignity through community-based services. The AAA targets services to older adults with the greatest social and economic need and provides a variety of support services for caregivers.

AAA Programs are funded by the federal Older Americans Act, the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services, Johnson County Government, agency matching funds, and individual participant sliding-scale fees or donations.

The Johnson County Area Agency on Aging (AAA) provides a number of direct and contracted services for the 60+ population. Current services include:

- **Aging Information & Assistance** - your first stop in accessing Area Agency on Aging services providing information on aging issues, services and resources. (913) 715-8861 or toll-free 888-214-4404.

- **CARE** (Client Assessment, Referral and Evaluation) provides assessment and referral services, including Level II mental health evaluations, as needed, to individuals prior to admission to a nursing facility in order to explore community-based service options.

- **Caregiver Support** - information, assistance and support for individual family caregivers.

- **Health Promotion** – Evidence-based programs are offered to promote health and wellness.

- **Homemaker/Chore Services** - includes light housekeeping, laundry, meal preparation and shopping. Chore Services provide heavy cleaning.

- **Legal Services** - Kansas Legal Services provides legal consultation, representation, education and assistance with access to government benefits.

- **Medication Management** – Nurses visit private homes once a week to set up medications and monitor their use.

- **Nutrition Program** – Neighborhood Nutrition Centers serve hot, nutritious meals five days a week and offer education, recreation and socialization opportunities. Meals on Wheels volunteers deliver meals to homebound persons. CHAMPSS meals are offered at select Hy-Vee dining centers seven days a week.

The Aging & Accessibility Directory is online at www.jocogov.org/hsd

My Resource Connection is online at www.myresourceconnection.org

The Best Times News Magazine for Johnson County seniors age 60, and over keeps residents current on aging services, activities and issues. 913-715-8930

Scroll down the web page https://www.jocogov.org to find the latest edition online.
Personal Care Services - provides supervision or assistance with bathing, grooming and other personal care services.

Respite Programs - an in-home substitute caregiver, adult daycare facility or care facility providing temporary relief for a non-paid caregiver.

Volunteer Opportunities – The AAA offers many opportunities for volunteers to assist us in our mission of supporting health and independence for older adults in the county.

REGIONAL DIRECTORY: AREA 11
Johnson County, Kansas
For further information and updates contact:

Johnson County Area Agency on Aging
11811 South Sunset, Ste. 1300
Olathe KS 66061
www.jocogov.org/hsd
913-715-8861, 888-214-4404
Fax: 913-715-8825
TDD: 800-766-3777

The Commission on Aging (COA) is a voluntary group of individuals appointed by the Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) to provide information, guidance, advice and support to the Johnson County Area Agency on Aging (AAA) and to serve as a liaison to the BOCC concerning the needs of older county residents and services to meet those needs. Call 913-715-8860 or see web page above for information and meeting schedules.

Placing Local Calls Across the State Line:
When you place local calls across the state line from the 913 to the 816 area code (or vice versa), you need to dial the area code before the number (10 digits instead of seven). You don’t need to dial “1” first except for long distance calls.

ADRCs provide unbiased, reliable information and options counseling to persons eligible for Medicaid Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) for Frail Elderly, Physical Disabilities, and Traumatic Brain Injuries, as well as assessment services for persons considering a move to a nursing facility.

Options Counseling helps older adults and their families assess complex situations and get the right information to access benefits and services.

Private Pay Care Management service is offered through the ADRC. This service assists those who need help in setting up services for seniors in Johnson County.

To connect with the ADRC call 913-715-8861.
Adult Day Care

Provides social and some rehabilitative activities for the frail or cognitively impaired person during the day in a supervised setting.

Adult Day Care is usually private pay for ½ to 1 full day during business hours like child daycare. Some adult daycares accept Medicaid if a person is qualified for Medicaid. Read more about Medicaid in this directory. Also see www.adultdaycare.org

Benton House
22000 Prairie Star Parkway, Lenexa, KS
913-839-4097
15700 W. 151st St. Olathe, KS
913-490-0990
(General and memory care, adult daycare, respite stays.)

Bickford of Overland Park
10665 Barkley St.
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-642-5400
(General and memory care)

Good Samaritan Society of Olathe
20705 W. 151st St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-782-1372

(The) Heritage of Overland Park
10101 W. 127th St.
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-912-7800
(Alzheimer's & memory care services.)

Loving Arms Adult Day Care
13856 Wyandotte St.
Kansas City, MO 64145
816-941-0224
(South of 135th & State Line on 150 Hwy)

Morningside Place Memory Care
6921 W. 81st St.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-901-8500
(Adult daycare based on availability.)

Our Home Senior Care
5745 Rosehill Rd.
Shawnee KS 66216
913-296-3136
(Memory care home plus home. Also offering adult day and respite care services in a home environment.)
Questions to Ask an Adult Day Center

OPERATION:
Days and hours?
Policy on late arrival or pick-up?

SERVICES:
Assistance provided, e.g. eating, toileting, transfers, medication?
Do you offer transportation, physical or occupational therapy?
What activities are provided?
Meals or snacks provided?
Special diets accommodated?
At what point is a person no longer eligible to receive care at the center?

STAFF:
What is the staff/participant ratio?
Do volunteers supplement staff?
What kind of training does staff receive?

PAYMENT:
What is the fee and payment system?
Is financial assistance available?
What is the policy for missed days?

Site Visit Checklist

☐ Do you have a brochure, calendar of activities, and menu?
☐ Did you feel welcome?
☐ Were the services and activities properly explained?
☐ Did you witness activities in process?
☐ Did you get information regarding staffing, programming, and costs?
☐ Is the facility clean and pleasant?
☐ Is the site wheelchair accessible?
☐ Is the furniture sturdy and comfortable?
☐ Is there a quiet place for relaxing?
☐ Did the staff and participants interact and seem cheerful and comfortable?
Alzheimer’s Memory Care

1. Contact the Alzheimer’s Association in Prairie Village.

2. Get information on memory care from the Johnson County AAA 913-715-8861 or the library.

3. Reach out to the Alzheimer’s Disease Center for research and evaluation.

4. Register for Safe Return and Take Me Home Programs listed in this section.

5. Join A Support Group which you can attend regularly or periodically. Call the Alzheimer’s Association, see Support Groups in this directory. Also see Assisted Living facilities who do Memory Care. Many offer support groups too.

The Alzheimer’s Association
Heart of America Chapter
3846 W. 75th St.
Prairie Village, KS
Information/Support Groups:
913-831-3888
24-hour helpline: 800-272-3900

Alzheimer’s Disease Center & Neurology Dept.
University of Kansas Medical Center - Fairway Campus
4350 Shawnee Mission Pkwy.
Fairway, KS 66205
913-588-0970

*MedicAlert®
Alzheimer’s Association
Safe Return®
1-888-572-8566
Or register online at https://www.medicalert.org/alz
(A 24-hour nationwide emergency response service for individuals with Alzheimer’s or dementia who wander or have a medical emergency. ID bracelet or pendant connects to service which maintains emergency contact information.)

*Take Me Home
Johnson County Sheriff’s Office
Olathe, 913-782-0720
Or register online at jocosheriff.org/take-me-home-registration-form
(A free service for adults & children in Johnson County with verbal or cognitive impairments. The Johnson County Sheriff’s office maintains picture, disability information & contacts.)
10 Steps to Assess Memory Concerns and Take Action
(Abridged from Alzheimer’s Association)

1. **What changes in memory, thinking or behavior do you see?** What is the person you are concerned about doing or not doing? What’s different?

2. **What else is going on?** Various conditions can cause changes in memory, thinking and behavior...such as health or lifestyle issues, family stress, diabetes or depression.

3. **Learn about signs of Alzheimer’s and dementia and the benefits of an early diagnosis.** Visit alz.org/10signs to educate yourself on the 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer’s.

4. **Have others, friends and family noticed changes?** What are they?

5. **Who should have the conversation to discuss concerns?** Speak one-on-one so the person doesn’t feel threatened by a group, or use your understanding to determine what works best.

6. **What is the best time and place to have the conversation?** Choose a place and a date and time soon where the person will feel most comfortable.

7. **What will you say?** I’ve noticed [this change] in you, and I’m concerned. Have you noticed it? Are you worried? How have you been feeling lately? You haven’t seemed like yourself. I noticed you [specific example] and it worried me. Has anything else like that happened? Write additional conversation starters.

8. **Offer to go with the person to the doctor.** You might say:
   - » There are lots of things that could be causing this. Let’s see if the doctor can help us figure out what’s going on.
   - » I think it would give us both peace of mind if we talked with a doctor.
   - » Add your ideas.

9. **If needed, have multiple conversations.** The first conversation may not be successful. Keep notes to plan the next conversation. Location/Date/Time of day. What worked? What didn’t? What can be done differently next time?

10. **Reach out for help. Turn to the Alzheimer’s Association for information and support.** Visit alz.org/education. Learn how to have caring conversations about concerns —driving, doctor visits, legal and financial planning.
Apartments
Subsidized

Section 8 is subsidized housing for low-income individuals of all ages. Because of the high volume of people on limited income trying to get on this program, it can take a year or more to get Section 8 housing.

Apply for section 8 vouchers at either Olathe Housing Authority 913-971-6260 or Johnson County Housing Authority 913-715-6600 when they announce the opening of their waiting lists...usually once every year or two.

Section 8 helps a lot of people, but they have limits related to funding. Getting on the program may take some time but is very helpful and reassuring for those who do. Be sure to follow guidelines to get on the waiting lists and to stay on the waiting lists.

Section 42
For age 55+ Low-income tax credit apartments are less than market rate...because they got a tax break when being built if they would offer lower rates for some apartments.

Apply at each apartment complex and fill out applications to get on waiting list.

See more apartments for Renters listed online on the website for the Kansas Housing Resources Corporation.

Bethel Estates
335 W. Madison St.
Gardner, KS 66030
913-856-4107

(The) Gardens at Creekside
16110 W. 133rd St.
Olathe, KS 66062
913-764-0607

Legacy Senior Residences
18725 W. 119th St.
Olathe, KS 66091
913-254-9139

Rosewood Place Apartments
8500 Pflumm Road
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-492-7700

Valley Springs Senior Apartments
31765 W. 83rd St.
De Soto, KS 66018
913-585-9998

Wyndam Place Senior Residence
15510 W. 63rd St.
Shawnee, KS 66217
913-248-8787

Johnson County Housing Services
Johnson County Human Services
12425 W. 87th St. Parkway, Suite 200
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-715-6600
See Apartment List posted online under Tenant Information.
https://www.jocogov.org/dept/human-services/housing/housing-authority

Olathe Housing Authority
200 W. Santa Fe St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-971-6260
913-562-6380 (Waiting List Check)
www.olatheks.org
(See Services | Housing & Transportation)

See Apartment List posted online under Tenant Information.
Apartments
Subsidized

Section 202
Subsidized apartments for seniors age 62+ and some younger disabled individuals where you pay about 30% of your monthly income for rent if you qualify.

Apply at each apartment complex and fill out applications if you want to get on the waiting list for the apartments where you might want to live.

It may take a while to get into the apartment complex you want, but it is very good when you do. You may have to expand your search to other counties depending on availability in the area you prefer.

Blue Jacket Lodge
11212 W. 58th St.
Shawnee, KS 66203
913-268-6470

Brittany Court Apartments
151 Brittany Court
Gardner, KS 66030
913-856-7826

College Way Village
1429 E. College Way
Olathe, KS 66062
913-782-6131

Olathe Towers
1425 E. College Way Drive
Olathe, KS 66062
913-782-6131

Overland Towers
8580 Farley St.
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-341-3113

Parkview Manor
300 N. Chestnut St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-971-6260 V/TTY

Poplar Court
519 E. Poplar St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-782-8141

Ridgeview Village I
11830 S. Sunset Drive
Olathe, KS 66061
913-888-3328

Ridgeview Village II
11860 S. Sunset Drive
Olathe, KS 66061
913-888-3328

Santa Fe Towers I & II
8101 Santa Fe Drive
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-642-5995

Sunflower Apartments
10200 W. 62nd St.
Merriam, KS 66203
913-236-9525
Apartments
All Ages

Search online to find apartments suited to your budget. Also see Section 8 Housing List under Tenant Information at https://www.jocogov.org/dept/human-services/housing/housing-authority.

Housing Search Sites

- www.ForRent.com
- www.apartmentlist.com
- www.KSHousingsearch.org
- www.hud.gov  Fair affordable housing, foreclosure avoidance, reverse mortgage
- www.socialserve.com  Search any city, county, or state.

Clearview Village  913-583-1451
36000 W. 103rd St., De Soto, KS 66018

Garden Walk  913-592-3291
100 E. Lawrence St., Spring Hill, 66083
(62+ or disabled regardless of age)

Liberty Christian Life Center
572 E. Park, Olathe, KS 66061
913-764-4359

Millbrooke Apartments  913-782-4641
210 S. Water St., Olathe, KS 66061

North Center Apts  913-856-8865
415 N. Center St., Gardner, KS 66030

Overbrooke Hills  913-236-7728
9943 W. 51st Ter., Merriam, KS 66203

Overland Park Estates  913-341-8214
9948 W. 83rd Ter., Overland Park, KS 66212

Park North Apartments I & II
901-A N. Iowa St., Olathe, KS 66061
913-782-4124

Park Seven Apartments  913-782-7988
1140 W. Loula St. Apt B, Olathe, KS 66061

Quail Valley Apartments
8801 Noland Rd., Lenexa, KS 66215
913-888-0414

Savannah Park
100 E. Lawrence St., Spring Hill, KS 6083
913-592-3291
(62+ or disabled regardless of age)

For residential supports for adults with Intellectual Developmental Disabilities contact the Johnson County Community Developmental Disability Organization (CDDO) at 913-826-2600 jcds.org/cddo. Also see Medicaid and HCBS waivers listed in this directory.
Apartments
Retirement Communities

Also see Continuing Care Retirement Facilities.

Transition Consultants listed in this directory can help you find retirement facilities, assisted living, and nursing care facilities. Some consultants have agreements with facilities so do not charge a fee. Call to find out how they can help or review your apartment choices from this list.

Bloom Senior Living
14001 W. 133rd St.
Olathe, KS 66062
913-738-4335

Brookdale Overland Park
6501 W. 119th St.
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-345-9339

Garden Villas of Lenexa
9705 Monrovia
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-492-1133

(The) Gardens at Creekside
16110 W. 133rd St.
Olathe, KS 66062
913-764-0607

The Grand Estates on Greenwood
13350 South Greenwood St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-839-2184

Greenwood Terrace
11150 Greenwood St.
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-286-6625

Mission Square
6200 Martway
Mission, KS 66202
913-403-8200, 800-279-0253
...Apartments
Retirement Communities

Mission Chateau
Senior Living Community
4100 W. 85th St.
Prairie Village, KS 66206
913-490-7100

Overland Park Place
6555 W. 75th St.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-9876

Park Meadows Senior Living
5901 W. 107th St.
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-901-8200

Shawnee Hills Senior Living
6335 Maurer Rd.
Shawnee, KS 66217
913-631-3838

Silvercrest at Collegeview
13600 W 110th Terrace
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-717-0071
(Independent, assisted living, memory care.)

Silvercrest at Deer Creek
13060 Metcalf Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-681-1101

Sorrento Apartments
7700 W. 126th Terrace
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-897-6700

Town Village Leawood
4400 W. 115th St.
Leawood, KS 66211
913-491-3681

The Village Cooperative of Lenexa
14000 W. 87th Street Parkway
Lenexa, KS 66215 913-227-0469
(Active adults age 55+)

The Village Cooperative of Olathe
Coming in 2020. Call another Village Cooperative for information.
(Active adults age 55+)

The Village Cooperative of Shawnee
12830 Johnson Drive
Shawnee, KS. 66216 913-631-0464
(Active adults age 55+)

Villas at Ridgeview Falls
11835 S. Fellows St.
Olathe, KS 66061
(913) 583-5250

Villas at Village Shalom
5500 W. 123rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-317-2600

The Welstone at Mission Crossing
6050 Broadmoor St.
Mission, KS 66202
913-671-2627
Assisted Living

Assisted living facilities offer social, maintenance, and health-care services on the premises. Most are private pay, but a dozen or more in Johnson County are Medicaid providers where Medicaid or KanCare can help with part of the cost. Call the Johnson County Aging and Disability Resource Center to find out more about Medicaid and assisted living.

More under Continuing Care Retirement Facilities. Also see Adult Care Homes listed at [www.kdads.ks.gov](http://www.kdads.ks.gov) regulated by the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services
1-800-432-3535, 785-296-4986.
See [www.newlifestyles.com](http://www.newlifestyles.com) and other search sites.

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Addington Place of Prairie Village
2700 Somerset Drive
Prairie Village, KS 66206
913-648-3333
(General/memory care, respite stays.)

Anthology Senior Living
Assisted Living & Memory Care
101 W. 151st Street, Olathe, KS 66061
913-791-0020

Assisted Lifestyles of BlackHawk
22550 S. Franklin St. Spring Hill, KS 66083
913-592-5101

(The) Atriums
7300 W. 107th St.
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-381-6000
(Independent living, service options)

Bickford at Mission Springs
5350 W. 61st Place, Mission, KS 66205
913-831-7700
(General and memory care, respite stays.)

Bickford of Overland Park
10665 Barkley St.
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-294-7000, 913-642-5400
(General/memory care, adult daycare, respite stays.)
Assisted Living

Brighton Gardens of Prairie Village
7105 Mission Road
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-262-1611, 913-800-3437

Brookdale College Square
11000 Oakmont
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-491-1144
(Memory care)

Brookdale Leawood
12724 State Line Road,
Leawood, KS 66209
913-345-8808 (Memory care, respite.)

Brookdale Overland Park
12000 Lamar Avenue
Overland Park, KS, 66209
913-663-2888 (Memory care.)

Brookdale Rosehill
12802 Johnson Drive
Shawnee, KS 66216
913-962-7600
(General and respite stays.)

Brookdale Shawnee
11400 W. 65th St.
Shawnee, KS 66203
913-248-1500
(Memory care)

Forest Creek Memory Care
12701 Pflumm Road
Overland Park, Kansas 66213
913-490-5035
(Memory care, day & overnight respite.)

Glenwood Village of Overland Park
9201 Foster St., Overland Park, KS 66212
913-385-2052
(Residential and memory care/respite.)

(The) Healthcare Resort of Olathe
21250 W. 151st St., Olathe, KS 66061
913-267-1997
(Assisted living, rehab, nursing care.)

(The) Heritage of Overland Park
10101 W. 127th St.,
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-912-7800 (Alzheimer's & memory care)

Heritage Avonlea of Olathe
625 N. Lincoln St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-829-6920

Hillside Village of De Soto
33600 W. 85th St. De Soto, KS 66018
913-583-1266
Assisted Living

**Homestead of Leawood**
12720 State Line Road
Leawood, KS 66209
913-663-3351

**Homestead of Lenexa**
8740 Caenen Lake Road
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-894-0014

**Homestead of Olathe North**
Memory Care
791 N. Somerset Terrace
Olathe, KS 66062
913-829-1403

**Homestead of Olathe South**
751 N. Somerset Terrace
Olathe, KS 66062
913-829-4663

**Homestead of Overland Park**
11701 Nieman Road
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-345-2200

**Lamar Court Assisted Living**
11909 Lamar Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-906-9696
[lamarcourtafl.com](http://lamarcourtafl.com)

**Leawood Gardens**
5201 W. 143rd St.
Leawood, KS 66224
913-685-4800
*(General and memory care)*

**Morningside Place Memory Care**
6921 W. 81st St.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-901-8500, 913-951-0892
*(Memory care, respite.)*

**Overland Park Center for Rehabilitation & Nursing**
5211 W. 103rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-383-2569
*(Assisted living & nursing care.)*

**Overland Park Place**
6555 W. 75th St.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-9876
*(Independent living, support services)*

**Park Meadows Senior Living**
5901 W. 107th St.
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-901-8200
*(Memory care and retirement living.)*
Assisted Living

(The) Rose Estates
12700 Antioch Road
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-825-9600

Shawnee PARC
(Post Acute Rehab Center)
7600 Antioch Rd.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-2001
(Rehabilitation Center, Assisted living, Skilled Nursing, Respite Care.)

Silvercrest at Deer Creek
13060 Metcalf Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-681-1101

Stratford Commons
Rehab & Health Care Center
12340 Quivira Rd.
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-851-0215
(Memory care)

Sunrise of Leawood
11661 Granada Rd.
Leawood, KS 66211
913-305-8512, 913-906-0200

Sunrise of Lenexa
15055 W. 87th St. Parkway
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-305-5829, 913-307-0665
(General and memory care)

Sunrise of Overland Park
12500 W. 135th St.
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-685-3340

Village Shalom Enhanced Living
Apartments & Shalom Suites
5500 W. 123rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-317-2600
(General and memory care. Respite care.)

Vintage Park at Gardner
869 Juniper Terrace
(183rd Street & Gardner Road)
Gardner, KS 66030
913-856-7643

Vintage Park at Lenexa
8710 Caenen Lake Rd.
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-894-6979

Vintage Park at Stanley
14430 Metcalf Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66223
913-897-1414
“Assisted Living” at Home Plus Homes

Up to 12 persons living together in a large home with services provided. Private pay mostly. A few are Medicaid providers. Also see Adult Care Homes listed at www.kdads.ks.gov, the Kansas Dept. for Aging & Disability Services.
1-800-432-3535, 785-296-4986

Golden Oaks Assisted Living Memory Care Home
11701 West 60th Place
Shawnee, KS 66203
913-717-6257 (OAKS)

Helping Solution Home Plus
Overland Park 913-213-3202
(Care for up to 3 residents and a separate respite care room.)

Our Home Senior Care
5745 Rosehill Rd.
Shawnee Kansas 66216
913-296-3136.
(Memory care, adult day & respite care.)

Prairie Elder Homes
South Overland Park
913-257-5425
(Memory and dementia care.)

Care Haven Homes
3848 W. 75th St.,
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-643-0111
(Memory and dementia care)

Care Touch Home Plus
11206 W 72nd Ter, Shawnee, KS 66203
913-850-3139, 913-244-9303
(Memory and dementia care.)

Clover Care Home 913-667-3006
6320 Zarda Dr., Shawnee, KS 66226
(Memory and dementia care.)

Cottages at Shawnee 913-268-2956
13509 W. 67th St., Shawnee, KS 66216
(Residential, adult day & respite care.)

ComfortCare Homes of KC
10205 Howe Dr., Leawood, Ks 66206
913-735-4208
(Memory and dementia care.)

SeniorCare Homes
5200 W 94th Terrace Suite 115
Prairie Village, KS 66207
913-236-0036
(Memory and dementia care)

Sparkling Fountain Homes
8525 Switzer Road
Overland Park, KS 66214
913-766-8526
(Memory care & aging related problems.)
Continuing Care Retirement Communities

Offer three levels of care: independent living, assisted living, and nursing care.

Aberdeen Village
17500 W. 119th St.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-599-6100

Cedar Lake Village
15325 S. Lone Elm Road
Olathe, KS 66061
780-9916

Claridge Court
8101 Mission Road
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-383-2085

Colonial Village
12500 W. 137th St.
Overland Park, KS 66221
913-730-3700

Lakeview Village
9100 Park St.
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-888-1900, 877-779-1900

Santa Marta
11960 Quivira Road, Suite 100
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-323-7101, 913-323-7142

The Sheridan at Overland Park
10300 Indian Creek Park Way
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-428-7693, 913-232-8232

Tallgrass Creek
13800 Metcalf Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66223
913-897-2700

Westchester Village of Lenexa
8505 Pflumm Rd.
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-307-2000

(The) Forum at Overland Park
3501 W. 95th St.
Overland Park, KS 66206
913-648-4500
Case Management

You can hire a private case manager to help you with your unique care or service needs.

AgeWise
Advocacy & Consulting
913-213-8799
(Offer creative solutions, support caregivers, improve family communication, provide mediation, plan for transitioning.)

Aging Life Care Association
1-520-881-8008
Find an aging life care manager
https://www.aginglifecare.org/

Care is There
Geriatric Care Management
Overland Park, KS
913-815-1486 ext 15

(The) Caring Heart
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-901-8666
((Support for independent living and assisted living enhancement.)

Cherished Transitions
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-378-4322
(A free Senior Living Community Placement and Advocacy Service, serving greater Kansas City area.)
http://cherishedtransitions.com/

Creative Care Consultants
Kansas City, MO 64163
816-746-1208, 877-444-7188
www.creativecareconsultants.net

Elder Care and Transitions Consulting,
Overland Park, KS 913-499-7653

Jewish Family Services
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-327-8250
www.jfskc.org

Johnson County Area Agency on Aging
Olathe, KS 66061
913-715-8861, 888-214-4404

National Institute on Aging
What is a geriatric care manager?

Senior Care Consulting
Olathe, KS 66063 913-945-2800
www.seniorcareconsulting.com

Senior Concierge of KC, LLC
Johnson County & Metro KC areas
785-230-2385
Dental Care

Dental Care 50
912 E. 63rd St.
Kansas City, MO 64110
816-523-3665
www.dentalcare50.com

Dental Hygiene Clinic
Johnson County Community College
Science Building (SCI), Room 201
12345 College Blvd.
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-469-3808 ext. 1

Kansas Dental Association
Topeka, KS 66604
785-272-7360

Kansas Donated Dental Services
785-273-1900, 888-870-2066
www.nfdh.org or www.ksdental.org
(Donated dental and referral services for low-income disabled or elderly)

KC Mobile Dental
816-548-1270
(Mobile dental service for facilities and homebound. Portable dental exam, x-rays, and operatory system.)

Private Dental Plan
Overland Park, KS 66283
https://inofficedentalplans.com/
913-851-3039

Smiles by Tira
Registered Dental Hygienist/Extended Care Permit
785-969-5700
smilesbytira@yahoo.com
(Dental cleanings, oral cancer screenings, fluoride treatments, temporary fillings, periodontal & cavity screenings for seniors age 65+, persons with disabilities, & shut-ins.)

University of Missouri - Kansas City Dental School
650 E. 25th St. Kansas City, MO
816-235-2100
dentistry.umkc.edu/patients
(Dental care, dentures, at one-third to one-half the cost of private care. Payment plans.)
Disability Advocacy & Support

Also see Hearing & Vision

Accessibility Program
Johnson County Human Services
Olathe, KS 913-715-8916,
TDD: 800-766-3777
(Services for individuals with a disability under the age of 60. Information, home-delivered meals, light housekeeping.)

Administration for Community Living
advocates for older adults, people with disabilities, families, caregivers.
202-401-4634 https://acl.gov/programs

Communityworks, Inc.
Minds Matter, Overland Park
913-789-9900, 866-429-6757
www.communityworksninc.com
(In-home services for individuals with physical disabilities, traumatic brain injury, frail elderly. Advocacy/employment support.)

Disabled Parking Placard/Plates
Johnson County Motor Vehicle Dept
Olathe, 913-826-1800

Disability Rights Center of Kansas,
785-273-9661, 877-776-1541
1-877-335-3725 Toll-free TDD
(Legal rights, representation, investigates complaints.)

(The) Dream Works, Inc.
Kansas City, KS 913-281-8695
(Information & advocacy for disabled; persons with head injuries, & development disabilities)

Heartland Therapeutic Riding
Bucyrus, 913-897-3939
(Therapeutic & recreational horseback riding for persons with a disability.)

Aging & Disability Resource Center
1-855-200-2372
(Long-term care support programs.
KanCare/HCBS Medicaid assessments. See Medicaid.) www.ksadrc.org

ARCare, Overland Park
913-648-0233 www.ARCare.org
(Long-term & financial planning, representative payee, and trust program for individuals with disabilities.)
Disability Advocacy & Support

**Independence, Inc.**  
Lawrence KS 785-841-0333  
*(Information & advocacy. Center for independent living. Assistive technology, personal assistance, peer support, counseling, transport.)*

**Johnson County Developmental Supports**  
Lenexa, 913-826-2626  
*(Serves people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.)*

**Kansas Commission on Disability Concerns** 1-800-295-5232 (voice)  
Topeka - 711 for Relay Service  
*(Information for work, school, daily living, legislation, advocacy.)*

**Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS)**  
Topeka, KS 66603 800-432-3535, 785-296-4986 TTY: 785-291-3167  
*(Oversight of long-term care and community-based services for older adults and persons with disabilities.)*

**Kansas Human Rights Commission**  
Topeka 785-296-3206, TTY: 785-296-0245  
*(Advocacy to prevent or eliminate discrimination in housing, employment, accessibility.)*

**NextStep Kansas City**  
Overland Park, 913-451-1500  
*(Paralysis recovery center.)*

**Services for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs**  
KDHE, Paola, KS 913-249-2431  
*(Care for Kansans <22 with a disability or chronic disease.)*

**The Whole Person, Inc.**  
Kansas City, MO 816-561-0304, 800-878-3037  
*(Cross-disability center for independent living. Information, advocacy, services, resources)*

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**Johnson County Library**  
Outreach Services  
Overland Park, 913-826-4600  
Text: 913-667-7523  
*Equipment/software for limited vision, mobility, and learning disabilities. Home Connect services for homebound residents. Talking Books, programs for seniors.*

**Olathe Public Library**  
Library to You Deliveries  
*Delivery services to Olathe residents who are unable to travel to the library due to visual impairment, disability, lack of transportation or other considerations.*  
913-971-6843  
librarytouyou@gmail.com
Emergency Alert Systems

Personal emergency response systems linked to a 24-hour emergency number, for rent or purchase. Individuals wear a bracelet or necklace with a button they can press to get help.

Most systems include a small setup and monthly fee. Or see Medicaid/HCBS which may help with the expense if your income is low and you qualify financially and functionally. Call the Area Agency on Aging 913-715-8861 for information.

ComForcare Senior Services
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-906-9880

Comfort Keepers Safety Choice
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-295-9203

Critical Signal Technologies
CST Link to Life (Nationwide)
1-888-557-4462

Emergency Response Phone
Kansas Telecommunications Access Program (TAP)
Assistive Technology for Kansas
Parsons, KS 67357
1-800-526-3648, 1-866-666-1470
atk.ku.edu/kansas (620) 421-0954 FAX
(Vouchers for a free adjustable volume emergency phone or other specialized telecommunication equipment for persons with disabilities such as hearing, vision, speech, cognitive(thinking), or mobility. Applications online or call.)

Home Buddy, LLC
Wichita, KS 67203
1-866-922-8339, 1-316-448-6897
(Help button, Rx dispensers, GPS on the go help button)

Interim Connect
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-381-3100

Metro Security Watch, LLC
Kansas City, Kansas 66103
913-766-1911

Philip's Lifeline (Nationwide)
HomeSafe and GoSafe 2 mobile system
1-855-332-7799

Also see “File of Life” next page...
Employment

Best Times Newsmagazine
913-715-8920  (Post classified ads for any service you offer.)

Care.com
An online community that helps connect families with care and provides opportunities for caregivers to post their experience for hire. 1-877-227-3115

Job Accommodation Network
(U.S. Dept of Labor) [https://askjan.org/]

Johnson County Community College
Career Center, 12345 College Blvd.
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-469-3870 www.jccc.edu

Kansas Vocational Rehabilitation Services Department for Children & Families (DCF) 8915 Lenexa Drive
Overland Park, KS 913-942-3303
(Vocational guidance to restore or develop the working ability of disabled Kansans)

Service Employment Retraining
(SER of Kansas City)
650 Minnesota Ave., Kansas City, KS 913-942-1167
www.SER-National.org
(Jobs, training for those 55 and older in Wyandotte, Leavenworth, and Johnson.)

Workforce Partnership Center
8535 Bluejacket St, Lenexa, KS 66214
913-577-5900
www.workforcepartnership.com

File of Life

File of Life - Johnson County Med-Act
11811 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 1100
Olathe, KS 66061 913-715-1950
( Emergency medical information kept at home and in your car)
See FORM online.
https://jocogov.org/dept/medact/home
Exercise, Wellness & Recreation

Exercise elevates your mood, helps you feel better, and makes you stronger to help with balance and prevent falls and injuries.

Blue Valley Recreation
6545 W. 151st St.,
Overland Park, KS 66223
913-685-6000 www.bluevalleyrec.org

Cancer Wellness for Life
8022 Reeder St. Lenexa, KS 66214
913-717-5616
https://www.webuild4life.com/
(Fitness facility for those affected by cancer and other chronic diseases.)

City of Olathe Recreation Department
200 W. Santa Fe St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-971-8563

Jewish Community Center
Sports & Fitness Center
5801 W. 115th St. Overland Park, KS 66211
913-327-8010, 913-327-8000
https://www.thejkc.org/

Johnson County Community College
Lifetime Fitness Center
12345 College Blvd.
Overland Park, KS 66210 913-469-4432

Johnson County Park & Recreation District
50 Plus Program
913-826-3030, 826-2975
(Tai Chi, Arthritis Exercise Program...)
www.jcprd50plus.com

Olathe Family YMCA
2140 W. 153rd St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-393-9622

Parkinson Foundation of the Heartland
(Exercise classes for Parkinson's)
8900 State Line Road Suite 320
Leawood, KS 66206 913-341-8828
www.parkinsonheartland.org

Paul Henson Family YMCA
4200 W. 79th St Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-642-6800

Roeland Park Community Center
4850 Rosewood Drive,
Roeland Park, KS 66205
913-826-3160 (Fitness Room)

The Athletic Club
10351 Barkley St. Overland Park, KS 66212
913-648-8077 (Aquatics, exercise facility)

Village Shalom Spa and Wellness Center
5500 W. 123rd St. Overland Park, KS 66209
913-266-8409
www.villageshalom.org
Financial Assistance

For more listings of financial consultants, check your local phone book or online under Accounting, Financial Planning/Services, Investments.

See “reverse mortgage” counseling or Home Equity Conversion Mortgage information where seniors age 62 and over may obtain a loan against their home which they do not have to pay back as long as they live in the home. Counseling is required by (HUD) Housing and Urban Development.

BenefitsCheckUp
www.benefitscheckup.org
(A free service of the National Council on Aging (NCOA), which asks questions to identify benefits that could help with the costs of medications, food, utilities, legal, health care, housing, in-home services, taxes, transportation, employment training, etc....)

Budget and Financial Management Assistance (BFMA)
PO Box 414711
218 Delaware St # 301
Kansas City, MO 64105
816-474-2972
www.bfmakc.org
(Foster financial stability through bill payment, budgeting, and advocacy as a representative payee to elderly, disabled, and homeless persons in the Kansas City Metropolitan area. Tax assistance program. Must call for services or appointment.)
Consumer Credit Counseling of the Midwest Apprizen Financial Advocates
8826 Santa Fe Drive, Ste 110
Overland Park, KS 66212
800-355-2227
www.apprizen.com
(HUD approved counselors for homebuyer education, home equity conversion mortgage/debt counseling)

Daily Money Manager Helps Control Finances
aarp.org

Daily Money Man
Overland Park 913-717-9823
www.dailymoneyman.com
info@dailymoneyman.com
(Helps those who don’t have time or need help managing their money. Helps them pay bills, set a budget and organize their financial lives. Member of American Association of Daily Money Managers.)

El Centro, Inc 913-829-7800
500 E. Santa Fe, Ste A Olathe, KS 66061
www.elcentroinc.com
(Tax assistance, economic empowerment, financial literacy, family support services, Hispanic outreach)

Financial Planning Association of Greater Kansas City
303-867-7181 Topeka, KS
www.fpakc.org

For Safe Keeping
PO Box 270643
Kansas City, MO 64127
913-338-4646
hettipous@aol.com
(Money management, bill paying, and representative payee services. Bonded and approved by the Social Security Administration (SSA). Serve clients in Kansas and Missouri.)

Home Equity Conversion Mortgage HECM Program (Reverse Mortgage) 1-800-767-7468
Consumer Information from Housing and Urban Development See hud.gov Information for seniors.
https://www.hud.gov/topics/information_for_senior_citizens

Find “Housing Counseling”

International Association for Registered Financial Consultants (IARFC)
800-532-9060
www.iarfc.org
...Financial Assistance

Kansas Board of Accountancy
785-296-2162  www.ksboa.org
(Regulates and sets quality standards for Certified Public Accountants in Kansas)

Kansas Securities Commission
800-232-9580  www.ksc.ks.gov
(Regulates KS brokers/investment advisers)

Money Smart KC
(Financial education events/resources in KC area. Improve your credit, save for retirement, budget for your life, become Money Smart.)  www.MoneySmartKC.org

National Credit Reporting Agencies
(For credit information or to place fraud alert if purse or wallet are stolen.)
Equifax 888-766-0008
Experian 888-397-3742
Trans Union 800-680-7289

Tax Assistance

- AARP Tax Aide 1-888-227-7669
- Homestead and Safe Senior
  Personal Property Tax Refund
  Kansas Dept of Revenue
  1-785-368-8222

- VITA
  (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance)
  Johnson County Extension Office
  913-715-7000
  El Centro – Olathe Office 913-677-0100

Affordable Living Tips

Make your housing more affordable.
Downsize your home or consider subsidized apartments. Make sure your rent or house payments and taxes are a manageable priority expense. Consider home-sharing. See APARTMENTS

Get help with food expenses.
Attend a senior center. Shop sales for basic needs. Apply for the food assistance through the supplemental nutrition assistance program SNAP, visit a food pantry. See MEALS

Apply for Weatherization to lower the cost of utilities in your home or adjust your thermostat. 1-785-242-6413

Apply for Utility Assistance if behind on a bill. 913-715-6653

Apply for the Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) which low-income households can apply for in January through March to provide some help with utility bills. 1-800-432-0043
www.lieap.dcf.ks.gov

Find employment. Offer your skills and abilities for hire. See EMPLOYMENT.

Use TRANSPORTATION SERVICES instead of personal car expenses.

Consider Reverse Mortgage Counseling to understand your options for using the collateral or value of your home equity to get a loan out of the value of your home while you live there. See listing on p.28

Have an emergency account for job loss, healthcare & unexpected home & car expenses, or loss of spousal income.

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Hearing & Vision

Alphapointe Association for the Blind
7501 Prospect
Kansas City, MO 64132
816-421-5848
(Rehabilitation, assessment, and treatment for vision loss, adaptive equipment...)
www.alphapointe.org

Associated Audiologists, Inc.
Shawnee Mission 1-855-547-8745
(Private audiologists, hearing evaluations, hearing aids/repairs, rehabilitation.)

Audio-Reader Network
Lawrence, KS
800-772-8898, 785-864-4600
(Reading services for the visually impaired.)

EyeCare America
877-887-6327
www.eyecareamerica.org
(Referrals to volunteer ophthalmologists for low-income persons 65 and older)

Helen Keller National Center
Great Plains Regional Office
450 E. Park St., Olathe
913-677-4562
Videophone 913-227-4282
(Advocacy, education, training for residents who are deaf-blind.)

Kansas Commission for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Kansas Department for Children and Families, Topeka
1-888-369-4777
TTY 785-296-1491
(Screening & registry for sign language interpreters, lending library.)

Kansas School for the Deaf
Olathe 913-210-8200
(Serves ages 3-21 with hearing loss that interferes with education.)

Sertoma (Service to Mankind) Kansas City, MO 816-333-8300 (Hearing aid reconditioning for the low-income)

Kansas State School for the Blind, Kansas City, KS
913-305-3000, 1-800-572-5463
(Serves blind & visually impaired, youth/young adults in Kansas. K-12)

Kansas Talking Books
Emporia, KS
800-362-0699, 620-341-6280

KANSAS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACCESS PROGRAM

Kansas Telecommunications Access Program (TAP)
1-800-526-3648, 1-866-666-1470
(Vouchers for free specialized phones, etc for persons with hearing, vision, speech, cognitive, or mobility disabilities, based on income.)
Healthcare

Medicare offers free regular preventative health visits. See www.Medicare.gov. Plan to see your doctor on a regular basis. Asking the right questions, getting the right prescriptions, and being connected on a regular basis can make a big difference in your life. Also see Medicare.

Ability KC 816-751-7700
3011 Baltimore Ave. KC, MO 64108
http://abilitykc.org/
(Medical and vocational rehabilitation services. Evaluation, testing, training, job placement. Driver testing.)

American Physical Therapy Association
800-999-APTA (2782) www.apta.org
(find a physical therapist)

Ask-a-Nurse 913-676-7777
Adventist Medical Center
www.shawneemission.org

Foot Specialists of Kansas City
Clinics in Olathe, Lenexa
913-677-3600

Genesis Rehab Services
Vitality to You 913-209-5867
(Physical, occupational, speech therapy)

Health Partnership Clinic
407 S. Clairborne, Suite 104
Olathe 913-648-2266
(Medical, dental, behavioral health for uninsured.) http://hpcks.org/

Home Visits by “Dr Golf”
Dr Dimitri Golfinopoulos
Leawood, KS 66209 913-681-2398
(Hospitalist – Menorah/Advent Health.)

Kansas City’s Medicine Cabinet
Baptist-Trinity Lutheran Legacy Foundation
(Emergency help with medications, dental care, medical equipment, optical needs, and diabetic supplies)
In Johnson County call 913-715-6653
www.KCMedicineCabinet.org

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
https://www.cdc.gov/

COVID-19
Johnson County Community Hotline
913-715-2819
8 a.m.- 5 p.m., Mon-Fri
(English/Spanish)
www.jocogov.org/coronavirus/faqs

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services
785-296-4986
(Adult Care Home Directory, Health Occupations Credentialing, Kansas Nurse Aide Registry)
https://www.kdads.ks.gov/
Johnson County Health Department
11875 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 300
Olathe, KS 66061 or
6000 Lamar Ave., Suite 140
Mission, KS 66202
913-826-1228
www.jocogov.org/dept/health-and-environment/home
(Outreach nurse home visiting/health maintenance and education for the elderly. Health services, immunizations, prenatal care, well child clinic.)

Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE)
1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 540
Topeka, KS 66612 785-296-1500
www.kdheks.gov/health/licensing.htm
(Health facts, immunizations, vital statistics)

Kansas Department of Insurance
1-800-432-2484, 1-785-296-7829
(Consumer information or concerns.)

KDHE- Tools for Better Health
Workshops on Chronic Disease Self-Management, Diabetes Prevention, Fall Prevention, etc.
(Learn to manage chronic conditions such as arthritis, diabetes, heart or lung diseases. Learn to prevent diabetes and prevent falls.)
http://www.toolsforbetterhealthks.org/

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts.
235 S. Topeka Boulevard
Topeka, KS 66603
888-886-7205, 785-296-7413
www.ksbha.org/
(medical regulation and licensure)

MD Home Care, LLC
7800 Paseo, Kansas City, MO 64131
816-523-3055
(Mobile doctors for immobile people)

National Family Caregivers Association
(Education, support, empowerment for caregivers.)
https://caregiveraction.org/
...Healthcare

National Institute of Health
(Health and wellness information for older adults, videos on health/Medicare.)
https://www.nih.gov/health-information

National Library of Medicine
(Largest authoritative medical library)
www.medlineplus.gov

Olathe Health Find A Doctor 913-791-4200 https://www.olathehealth.org/

Passport Health
8249 W. 95th St., Suite 105
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-652-6640, 888-499-PASS (7277)
www.passporthealthusa.com
(Immunizations, medical care for travel)

Visiting Physicians Association
Leaders in Housecall Medicine
Kansas City, MO 64116
816-912-4539, 1-877-468-7322
Overland Park 913-800-6971
www.VisitingPhysicians.com
(In-home medical assessments, testing, vaccinations, physicals for primary care and heart, lung, memory issues, etc...)

8 Easy Tips to Manage Your Health

1. Set up regular doctor visits 1-3 times a year based on your age and health issues.

2. Explain changes in body function or behavior, or problems with medications.

3. See a doctor regarding injuries or sudden illnesses.

4. Write down your list of important questions for your doctor so everything gets covered. You pay for healthcare, so it pays to be prepared.

5. Prioritize your questions in case the doctor is busy, so you get your most important questions answered.

6. Keep a medical information notebook
   Bring insurance cards, and keep track of your medical history, list of meds, list of healthcare providers. Take notes, use a tape recorder, calendar appointments.

7. Get a friend or family member to go with you to assist if you feel comfortable with having some help.

8. Read and learn what you can about your health issues from information available at your doctor’s office, from the public health department, the K.U. Extension office, the library, and reputable online resources.
Home Health & In-Home Support

If agencies are enrolled as Medicare providers and your doctor orders help for you…such as a social worker, nurse, occupational/physical therapy…then the service can be covered while you recover and make some progress from a health setback or hospitalization. Call your doctor who may recommend an agency. Or call some on this list for costs of services and in-home support.

### Home Care Questions

Ask your doctor, social worker, or family/friends for recommendations.

1. Is the agency licensed by the state?
2. What type of employee screening is done? References?
3. How does the agency train and monitor caregivers?
4. Are caregivers licensed, insured and accredited?
5. Are employees friendly & helpful?
6. Can you get billing and cost details in writing?
7. What’s covered by insurance/Medicare?
8. Is there financial assistance or a payment plan available?
9. Will you receive a written care plan re care details? Who does what when?
10. Do care plans contain input from the doctor, and are they updated frequently?
11. Will you receive a list of the rights and responsibilities of everyone involved?
12. Will the agency work directly with you, your family, and health care providers?
13. Do you need to identify a primary family caregiver?
14. What happens in emergencies, power failure, natural disaster?
15. Who can you contact with requests, questions or complaints?

**Set up a plan to monitor and evaluate the situation.** Discuss concerns promptly. If necessary, involve the doctor.

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**Kansas City Regional Home Care Association**

(*Directory of Providers*

*Home health, hospice, medical Equipment*)  [www.kcrhca.com](http://www.kcrhca.com)

**Kansas Home Care & Hospice Association**

(*Info to find or start home care.*)

785-478-3640 [www.kshomecare.org](http://www.kshomecare.org/)

**Kansas Senior Care Act**

**Johnson County Area Agency on Aging**

[www.jocogov.org/hsd](http://www.jocogov.org/hsd)

Olathe, 913-715-8861
Home Health & In-Home Support

KANSAS CITY, KS

Adult Health Services, Inc.
913-788-9896

Alliance Home Health Care
913-233-0160

Caring Hearts Personal & Nursing Services 913-621-3108

(The) Dream Works
913-281-8695 (Aging, Intellectual Developmental Disability Services.)

Faith Home Healthcare
913-296-7636

Locamp Home Health Care
913-287-4400

Spectrum Home Health Agency
913-831-2979

Sunshine Home Health
Basehor, KS 913-724-7500

Trinity Home Health Services
913-299-1100 (Medicaid, nursing services, wound care)

KANSAS CITY, MO

All Services Home Health Care
913-814-3709

Integrity Home Care 816-254-3131

St. Luke’s Home Care & Hospice
816-756-1160

Visiting Nurse Assn. 816-531-1200

LEAWOOD

Acti-Kare Responsive In-Home Care
913-305-5291

Axiom Home Health Care, LLC
913-383-5300

Continua Home Health Care
913-905-0255

Interim HealthCare 913-381-3100

LENEXA

Advent Health 913-676-8500

Another Day, Inc 913-599-2221
(In-home care, HCBS Medicaid)

Barr Private Care 913-438-3311

Benefits of Home 913-422-1591

Encompass Home Health & Hospice
913-334-1058

Lakeview Village Home Health
913-888-1900

Infinite HealthCare 913-438-0835

ComForcare Home Care 913-906-9880
OLATHE

Caring Senior Services  913-295-9843
Heaven Sent Home Care, LLC  
913-390-8758

Home Health and Hospice of Olathe Medical Center  913-324-8515
Medfiniti, Inc  308-224-7618

www.howtobecomeahomehealthaide.com/

Questions for Home Health Aides

1. What are the aide's credentials? Check with licensing agency.
2. Can the aide provide references from two employers?
3. Does the home health aide have a positive attitude?
4. Are you and your loved one comfortable with the aide?
5. How much does the aide charge for services? List services.
6. Make a workable plan for sick days, vacations, and holidays.

Find a caregiver or register as a caregiver at https://www.care.com/ for senior care, housekeeping, and more.

OVERLAND PARK

A New Day At Home  
913-440-0204 
(Alzheimer’s care)

Advanced Home Health & Hospice of Kansas City  913-890-8448

AHC Home Health  913-890-8448

All Saints Senior Services  913-522-0663

At Home Care – Zack Group  
913-491-3562

Blessed Trinity Home Health Care  
913-901-0440

Brightstar Healthcare  
913-535-0255

Brookdale Home Health & Hospice  913-696-1930

Caregivers Home Health  913-254-9700

Carestaf of Kansas City  
913-498-2888

(The) Caring Heart  
913-901-8666
OVERLAND PARK

Catholic Community Services
In-Home Support
913-433-2100

Comfort Keepers In-Home Care
913-210-0631, 913-295-9203

Communityworks/Minds Matter
913-789-9900, 866-429-6757

Daughters & Company
913-341-2500

Enhanced Home Care
913-327-0000

Firststat Nursing Services
913-451-5900

Guardian Angels Home
Health Care
913-669-7215

Heart of America Home Health Care
913-645-1141

Hearts at Home LLC
913-440-4209

Helpers, Inc
913-322-7212

Home Care Assistance
913-663-5000

Home Instead Senior Care
913-962-6500

Homewatch Caregivers 913-336-4199

Kindred At Home Health Care Services 913-906-0522

Maxim Healthcare Services
913-381-8233

Midwest Healthcare Services
MHS Home Health & Private Duty
913-663-9930

Phoenix Home Health & Hospice,
913-384-2273

Right at Home In Home Care
913-338-1919

Seniors Helping Seniors
913-232-7532
PRAIRIE VILLAGE

Health at Home
913-385-4110

John Knox Village Home Health
913-403-8343

Kansas City Home Care, Inc.
913-341-4800

Thoughtful Care
913-312-9561

SHAWNEE MISSION

AdventHealth Home Care
(Merriam) 913-676-2163

Aquinas Carondelet Home Health
(Shawnee) 913-299-7100, 913-529-4800

If someone is “at-risk” for financial abuse, emotional abuse, physical abuse, neglect, or self-neglect in their home call
Adult Protective Services
1-800-922-5330

Protect Yourself & Your Money

1. Who is a reputable and trustworthy person or organization to help me protect my money and pay my bills if needed?
2. Who do I trust to help me with home repairs or home care?
3. If I feel isolated, what social support groups could I connect to for help?
4. Who could help me review financial contracts and agreements?
5. How can my bank help me protect my money?
6. Am I connected to friends and family so I can share my needs and concerns?
7. Have I made my long-term care needs and wishes known, and talked to an elderlaw attorney?
Home Repair
Modification
Weatherization

Many services in this category are private pay, but Olathe, Lenexa, and Johnson County offer minor home repair and accessibility accommodation (door widening, grab bars, wheelchair ramps) for residents who qualify by income and need. Some not-for-profit community agencies offer services as well. Weatherization helps cut down on window/door drafts… and keeps your home cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter, as well as cutting down on utility bills.

**Repair, weatherization and home modification for disabilities.**
Also see: Best Times Classifieds, or call Information & Assistance at 715-8861 for other resources.

**Absolute Access, LLC**
Pleasant Hill, MO 64080
816-447-7511
*(Stairlifts, residential elevators, wheelchair lifts)*

**Accessibility Remodeling**
Shawnee, KS 66202
913-831-4444, 913-207-4538
*(Accessibility remodeling, emergency alert system)* [www.accessremodel.com](http://www.accessremodel.com)

**American Care Equipment**
8801 W 75th Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-3456
*(Home safety modification, stair lifts)*

**Angie’s List**
888-888-5478 (LIST)
*(Unbiased ratings and service reviews)*

**Bath Innovations Walk-In Bathtubs and Remodeling**
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-912-1750

**D & V Midwest Design, Inc.**
Overland Park, KS 66225
913-780-6552, 800-685-1350
*(Furniture adaptation and interior design)*
Fair Housing Accessibility FIRST  
Design and Construction Resource Center  
888-341-7781 V/TTY  
www.fairhousingfirst.org  
(U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development technical guidance)

Habitat for Humanity Kansas City ReStore  
8722 Santa Fe Drive,  
Overland Park, KS 66212  
816-231-6889  
https://habitatkc.org/restore/  
(New/used building materials/furniture.)

Home Access Remodeling  
Overland Park, KS 66210,  
913-745-3069  
(Serve seniors & disabled individuals)

Help from A Friend  
Olathe KS 66051  
913-980-8686  
(yard care)

Home Access  
Leawood, KS 66206  
913-649-0454  
(Install grab bars, bath equipment, etc.)

HopeBUILDERS Home Repair, Inc.  
Overland Park, KS 66210  
1-888-HOPE-001, 1-888-467-3001  
(Assists the elderly and disabled in the Kansas City Metro with home repairs, ramps, accessibility modifications)  
https://hopebuilders-kc.org/

Jewish Family Services Help at Home  
5801 W. 115th St., Suite 103  
Overland Park, KS 66211  
913-980-8880  
(Home repairs, home safety assessment, computer troubleshooting.)

Johnson County Housing Services  
12425 W. 87th St. Parkway, Suite 200  
Lenexa, KS 66215  
913-715-6600, 913-715-6612  
(Minor Home Rehabilitation assists eligible homeowners with home repairs & accessibility modifications.)
...Home Repair Modification Weatherization

KC Lift and Elevator
14719 W 114th Terrace
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-327-5557
(Stair lifts, wheelchair lifts, elevators, etc.)

Lenexa Minor Home Repair Grant
12350 West 87th Street Parkway
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-477-7725
(Assists low-income Lenexa residents with exterior repairs, such as wood rot repair and paint, roof, window, door or gutter repair or replacement, foundation repair, accessibility.)

Olathe Housing Rehabilitation Services
200 W. Santa Fe Olathe, KS 66061
913-971-6260
(Income eligible homeowners can apply for home repairs to situations that threaten their health and safety or get help with removing structural barriers to accessibility; or apply for a deferred loan for major repairs.)

Rebuilding Together - Shawnee and Johnson County
913-248-2802
(An all-volunteer organization helping our neighbors with home rehab/repair.)

Stakare
Kansas City, MO 64113
816-822-1166
(Wheelchair ramps, grab bars, minor home repair)

Weatherization Program
East Central Kansas (ECKAN)
785-242-6413 or 1-866-242-7450
(Helps low-income residents of Johnson County with furnace inspection, air leakage sealing, attic and wall insulation.)
http://www.eckan.org/weatherization/

Lifewise CHM
Clinical Home Modifications
3500 W. 75th St., Suite 100
Prairie Village, KS
816-380-4246
(Aging-in Place Specialists help you remodel for life.)
Home Selling Assistance

Also see Moving, Organizing, Personal Assistance, and Transition Consultants.

Cates Auction and Realty, Inc
Kansas City, MO 64116
816-781-1134

Home Downsizing Solutions
By The Sierra Group LLC
Lincoln, NE Toll Free 1-855-291-5005
(Transition services providing options for selling a house or staying in your house with in-home care.)

Smiley Property Investments, LLC
Overland Park, 913-214-1574
(Local home buying service for sellers who want to sell their home, but cannot afford to make the repairs to make the home market ready.)

A Seniors Real Estate Specialist® SRES® knows how to help seniors and their families with later-in-life real estate transactions.

Brenda Ashner Waldberg (SRES)
Reece Nichols
816-805-5970

The Chaplick Team - (SRES)
KC Real Estate Experts
913-661-2380

Marsha Ward (SRES)
Keller Williams
913-486-4260

Sharon Funkhouser (SRES)
913-333-1137
Assoc. Broker & Probate Solutions Consultant probatesolutionskc.com

Ryan Lawson (SRES)
913-788-0995

Todd Ohlde (SRES)
Keller Williams
913-568-7355

Tony Drew, Century 21 All-Pro (SRES)
913-269-7191

ReeceNichols (SRES)
Shelley Shatzer 913-707-4104
Vicky Harmon 913-709-5448

Selling a House As Is | DaveRamsey.com
Hospice Care

Hospice Care offers a comprehensive and coordinated program of services to terminally ill patients and their families in both nursing home and inpatient settings.

Kansas Home Care & Hospice Association Find A Provider http://www.kshomecare.org/

Hospice or palliative care is often covered by Medicare if ordered by a doctor when a person is needing end-of-life supportive services such as in-home care, counseling, and pain management.

Many people who go on hospice or palliative care wish they had started sooner to seek help. Talk to some agencies to find out more about hospice and palliative care.

Palliative care is aimed at optimizing quality of life and mitigating suffering among people with serious, complex illness.

Hospital social workers or even participants in caregiver or disease-specific support groups may be able to tell you about their experiences with hospice and palliative care.

Manage pain. Be at peace. Connect with who you love and who loves you. Live each day to the best of your health & ability.

Advanced Home Health & Hospice of Kansas City
Overland Park, KS
913-890-8448

Ascend Hospice
Overland Park, KS
913-287-5678, 1-866-821-1212

Brookdale Hospice
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-663-0267

Catholic Community Hospice
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-621-5090

Compassionate Care Hospice
Lenexa KS 66215
913-671-6740

Continua Hospice
Leawood, KS 66209
913-905-0255

Crossroads Hospice of Kansas City
Lenexa, KS 66219
913-850-7500
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Information & Assistance

The Area Agency on Aging has an Information & Assistance line and many seniors, persons with disabilities, family members, social workers, and healthcare workers call Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or call anytime and leave a message.

Johnson County Aging & Disability Resource Center
Johnson County Area Agency on Aging.
913-715-8861, 1-888-214-4404

Johnson County Government Offices
913-715-5000
www.jocogov.org

Johnson County Multi-Service Centers
Human Services Department
913-715-6653
https://www.jocogov.org/dept/human-services/outreach/outreach-services
(Utility assistance, food pantries, Kansas City Medicine Cabinet, etc...)

Kansas City Metro Information "211"
Heart of America United Way, Inc.
211 or 816-474-5112
www.unitedwaygkc.org
(Information on community services. 24-hour service, 7 days a week)

Kansas Department for Children and Family Services (DCF)
913-826-7300
www.dcf.kans.gov

Kansas Department for Aging & Disability Services (KDADS)
1-800-432-3535
(Statewide aging issues, resources.)

National Eldercare Locator Services
1-800-677-1116
(Find aging services nationwide and see Fact Sheets on multiple senior issues.)
www.eldercare.acl.gov

USA.gov - official online guide to government services. (A to Z Index of U.S. Government Departments/Agencies or search by topic.) 1-844-872-4681

Adult Abuse (available 24/7)
1-800-922-5330
http://www.dcf.ks.gov
Report adult abuse, neglect & exploitation in the community.

Adult Abuse/Nursing Homes
1-800-842-0078
Report of adult abuse, neglect & exploitation in nursing home.
Legal Services

Legal referral, advocacy, and representation.

Center for Practical Bioethics
Kansas City, MO 64105-2116
816-221-1100, 800-344-3829
www.practicalbioethics.org
(Information about ethical issues in healthcare, end-of-life decisions.)

Advance Care Planning Checklist
- Talk with your loved ones while everyone can make decisions.
- Create documents that state healthcare, financial management, end of life wishes.
- Review & update plans regularly.
- Put important papers in one place, known to trusted family/friends.
- Make copies of healthcare directives for all medical files, w/info on your doctors.
- Give permission in advance for a doctor or lawyer to talk directly with a caregiver.
- Plan ahead to reduce anxiety about funerals and burials.

Disability Rights Center of Kansas
Topeka 785-273-9661
877-776-1541
877-335-3725 Toll-free TDD
www.drckansas.org
info@drckansas.org
(Information, representation, investigation re legal disability rights & concerns.)

Esrey Mediation, LLC
913-226-8000
www.esreymediation.com
(Resolves complex, emotional, issues/disputes without litigation in a sane, sensible, efficient way.)

Immigrant Connection
15320 Ridgeview Rd, Olathe, KS 66062
913-210-1776

Johnson County Law Library
100 N. Kansas Ave., 1st Floor
150 W. Santa Fe, 1st Floor (2021)
Olathe, KS 66061,
913-715-4154
(Research, forms, attorney directories)

Kansas Bar Association
800-928-3111 (Lawyer Referral)
info@ksbar.org www.ksbar.org

Kansas Elder Law Hotline
888-353-5337
www.kansaslegalservices.org

Kansas Guardianship Program
800-672-0086 www.ksgprog.org

Kansas Legal Services
Statewide Intake Line 1-800-723-6953
www.kansaslegalservices.org
(Helps low income Kansans and seniors age 60+ with essential legal & mediation services. Donation-based service.)
...Legal Services

PRIVATE ELDERLAW ATTORNEYS

The Bell Law Firm, P.A.
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-345-2323

Berger Estate & Elder Law, P.A.
Overland Park, Kansas 66210
913-491-6332

KC Elder Law
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-338-5713

Stacey L. Janssen
Sandberg Phoenix
Kansas City, MO 64111
816-425-9697

Parman & Easterday
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-385-9400

Rasmussen Law
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-871-2188
(Estate planning, wills and trusts.)

Sage Law LLP
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-341-7800

Shepherd Elder Law Group, LLC
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-333-3533
(Serving Kansas and Missouri seniors.)

Weber Law Offices
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-661-0550

Kansas Legal Services
Online Topics

➢ Abuse and Stalking
➢ Consumer Laws
➢ Debt Collection
➢ Disability
➢ Employment
➢ Foreclosure Prevention
➢ Guardianship & Conservatorship
➢ Health - Directives
  • Advanced Directives
  • Living Will
  • Do Not Resuscitate Orders
➢ Landlord Tenant Issues
➢ Mediation
➢ Veterans Benefits

Statewide Intake
1-800-723-6953
www.kansaslegalservices.org
Meals/Nutrition
Food Assistance

There are 6 neighborhood senior centers that offer meals and socialization 5 days a week, and as many CHAMPSS locations at Hy-Vee dining centers open 7 days a week for senior participants interested in enrolling in CHAMPSS.

CHAMPSS (Choosing Healthy Appetizing Meal Plan Solutions for Seniors) The Johnson County Area Agency on Aging (in partnership with Hy-Vee grocery stores) provides nutritious meals – entrée, fruit, vegetable, bread, milk - seven days a week from 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.in the dining area of local Hy-Vee grocery stores. Individuals age 60 or older (and their spouses) may enroll and receive a CHAMPSS card to participate. The suggested contribution is $4/meal. To learn more call 913-715-8894

CHAMPSS Partnering HyVee Locations
13400 W. 87th St. Lenexa
18101 W. 119th St. Olathe
8501 W. 95th St. Overland Park
7620 State Line Road Prairie Village
6655 Martway St Mission
13550 W. 63rd St. Shawnee

Senior Neighborhood Centers:
The Johnson County Area Agency on Aging provides nutritious meals served at 11:30 a.m. and friendship, recreation, education, fitness, and socialization opportunities at six senior centers to individuals age 60 or older (and their spouses), Monday through Friday (except holidays).

Meals include a choice of two entrée options, vegetable, side dish, fruit, bread, and milk. The suggested contribution is $3.00/meal. No one is denied service if they are unable to contribute. Call centers by 10:00 a.m. one day in advance, to make a reservation.

De Soto Neighborhood Center
De Soto Community Center
32905 W. 84th St De Soto, KS 66018
913-585-1762

Gardner Neighborhood Center
Gardner Senior Center
128 E. Park St. Gardner KS 66030
913-856-3471
Lenexa Neighborhood Center
Lenexa Senior Center  913-888-6141
13425 Walnut St. Lenexa, KS 66215

Merriam Neighborhood Center
Merriam Community Center  913-677-2048
6040 Slater Street, Merriam, KS 66202

Overland Park Neighborhood Center
Matt Ross Community Center  913-648-2949
8101 Marty St. Overland Park, KS 66204

Spring Hill Neighborhood Center
Spring Hill Civic Center, 401 N. Madison
Spring Hill, KS 66083  913-592-3180

HOME-DELIVERED MEALS
Johnson County Area Agency on Aging
11811 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 1300
Olathe, KS 66061

Johnson County Nutrition Program volunteers deliver hot, nutritious meals between 10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Mon-Fri to seniors age 60 or older (& spouses) who are homebound for reasons of health or disability. Suggested donation is $3/lunch, $2/breakfast. No one is denied service if unable to contribute. Menus are online at [https://jocogov.org](https://jocogov.org)

To Start……………… 913-715-8861
Client Line…………… 913-715-8896
Volunteer Line……… 913-715-8895
Hot meals, friends, bingo, medical screenings, flexercise, monthly birthday celebrations!

Enjoy nutritious meals, join friends at these CHAMPSS & Neighborhood Center locations:
Dream Dinners 913-491-6733  
6517 W. 119th St, Overland Park, KS 66209  
www.dreamdinners.com (Pick up & cook.)

Harvesters - Community Food Network  
Mobile Food Pantries, Commodities, SNAP application assist. 1-877-653-9522  
https://www.harvesters.org/get-help

(The) Heritage Center 913-327-8042  
5801 W. 115th St., Suite 103 Overland Park [https://www.thejkc.org]  
(For members of Jewish Community Center. Kosher lunch, activities, age 65+)

Johnson County Accessibility Program  
(Services for those under age 60… page.20)

Johnson County Multi-Service Centers  
Food Pantries 913-715-6653

Social Suppers (Home dinner preparation.)  
8219 Corinth Mall Prairie Village, KS  
913-381-3910 www.socialsuppers.com

Mom’s Meals Ankeny, Iowa  
866-971-6667 www.momsmeals.com  
(Meals for a week delivered nationwide.)

Shawnee Mission Meals on Wheels  
7810 W. 79th St, Overland Park, KS  
913-642-0489  
www.SMMealsOnWheels.org  
(Prepared by Hy-Vee for all ages in need. Mon-Fri. $5.25 per meal or apply for subsidy. Boundaries: 47th St North. 1-435 South. Lackman West. Stateline East)

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Kansas Department for Children and Families [www.dcf.ks.gov]  
8915 Lenexa Drive Overland Park, KS 913-826-7300 (Food assistance program, i.e. food stamps. See Harvesters page 49.)

Wolcott Foods 1-844-473-2536  
KC, KS (Fresh, ready-to-warm meals.)

Nutrition Tips for Healthy Eating

1. Eat a variety of healthy foods so you get enough vitamins and minerals. Choose lean proteins such as fish and chicken and tofu. Eat whole grains such as whole wheat, brown rice, and oatmeal. Have plenty of fresh or frozen fruits and vegetables. Consider low-fat milk, cheese, and yogurt. Cut back on fats, sugar, and salt. Drink plenty of water & fluids.

2. If having trouble with food or eating or medications talk to your doctor.

3. See a dentist if having problems with chewing, or your teeth or dentures. Try easy-to-eat foods or steam, mash, or grind foods for easier consumption.

4. Add herbs, spices, or favorite sauces to make foods appealing to you taste and senses.

5. Aim for a balanced diet, and be aware you may not eat enough, or may overeat if lonely. Connect with friends or family. Get out and socialize to remain healthy, happy, and engaged.


7. Contact experts: a Hy-Vee dietitian, a nurse from the Outreach Program with Public Health 913-826-1228, or the Johnson County K-State Research & Extension Office 913-715-7000 for information/education See Healthy Living at [https://www.ncoa.org/]

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Medical Equipment & Assistive Technology

Medicare covers certain durable medical equipment which you can get if you are on Medicare and your doctor orders it. You find a Medicare-enrolled supplier at www.Medicare.gov as long as the particular equipment is covered by Medicare.

Durable medical equipment is covered by Medicare when prescribed by a doctor for use at home and when provided by a supplier approved by Medicare. You can find out what equipment is covered, and whether a supplier is approved, by calling 800-633-4227 (877-486-2048/TTY).

Assistive technology centers in the state help with many equipment needs as well. The K-Loan program helps you get a low-interest loan to spread out the payments on expensive equipment like stairlifts, etc. Some providers offer used equipment at a reduced cost.

Also see: Disability Services

101 Mobility
8924 Nieman Road
Overland Park, KS 66214
913-533-7717
www.101mobility.com
(portable ramps, ramp rentals, stair lift rental, patient lifts, vertical lifts, scooter lifts for vans, etc...)

Absolute Access, LLC
101 SW Alderson
Lee’s Summit, MO 64063
816-447-7511
(stairlifts, home elevators, wheelchair lifts)

Access Elevators and Lift
1131 SE Broadway Drive (showroom)
Lee’s Summit, MO 64081
816-822-2192

Accessibility/Home Safety/Fall Prevention Equipment
(Handrails, grab bars, shower/bath/toilet equipment, bath and shower chairs, walkers, canes, home safety equipment & devices, and more...)

CVS www.cvs.com
Home Depot www.homedepot.com
Lowe’s www.lowes.com
Walgreen www.walgreen.com
WalMart www.walmart.com
HME Medical Shop 1-800-258-6313 www.hmemedicalshop.com

Accessibility Medical
311 Delaware Street 102 A
Kansas City, MO 64105
1-866-201-3829
https://www.accessibilitymedical.org
(Affordable equipment, refurbishes donated equipment.)

American Care Equipment
8801 W 75th St
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-383-3456
www.americancarekc.com
...Medical Equipment & Assistive Technology

American Red Cross of Kansas City
816-931-8400
https://getasmokealarm.org/
(Home Fire Campaign reduces deaths and injuries from home fires. Check or install smoke alarms & practice fire drills. Some free smoke alarms and installation.)

Apria Healthcare
16815 College Blvd Lenexa, KS 66219
913-492-2212, 888-492-7742
(Oxygen, durable medical equipment)
www.apria.com

Georgetown Pharmacy & Healthcare Center
5605 Merriam Drive
Merriam, KS 66203
913-362-0313
http://ghccusa.com

Great Plains Medical
1849 S. Ridgeview Road
Olathe, KS 66062
913-764-3800
www.medicaleshipmentolathe.com/

Jay Hatfield Mobility
1115 SW Oldham Pkwy
Lees Summit, MO 64081
816-600-5124
https://www.jayhatfieldmobility.com/
(Wheelchair vans, van lifts, hand controls, powerchairs, scooters, home and bath supplies. Medicare Contract Provider.)

Kansas City Home Medical Supply
10440 Metcalf Ave
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-385-2020
www.kchomemed.com

KC Lift and Elevator
14719 W 114th Terrace
Lenexa, KS 66215
913-327-5557
https://www.kclift.com/
(Stair lifts, wheelchair lifts, elevators, ceiling lifts, dumbwaiters, door openers.)

Assistive Technology for Kansans
Kansas Equipment Exchange Program
800-526-3648 www.atk.ku.edu
(Equipment loan & exchange, low-interest loans for assistive technology.)

(The) Dream Works Medical Supplies & Equipment
5515 Foxridge Drive, Suite 6
Mission, KS 66202 913-281-8695
www.thedreamworkssinc.com
Medicare & Durable Medical Equipment

DME that Medicare covers includes, but isn't limited to:

- Blood sugar monitors
- Blood sugar test strips
- Canes
- Commode chairs
- Continuous passive motion devices
- Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP) devices
- Crutches
- Hospital beds
- Infusion pumps & supplies
- Lancet devices & lancets
- Nebulizers & nebulizer medications
- Oxygen equipment & accessories
- Patient lifts
- Pressure-reducing support surfaces
- Suction pumps
- Traction equipment
- Walkers
- Wheelchairs & scooters

The Meal Lifter
Prairie Village, KS
913-233-9944
www.meallifter.com

(A simple platform raises a dinner plate helps with visibility, minimizes food fall off, & provides greater ease - elbow pivoting eating for anyone with coordination or tremor issues.)

Med Resources
Total Healthcare Supply
8061 Flint St.
Lenexa, KS 66214
913-234-4641
(Bills through Medicare for respiratory supplies, mobility equip...)
http://www.medresourcesinc.com/

Showermate
Overland Park, KS
913-207-0084
www.showerchair.org

(New technology - hands-free shower chair for standard shower with soap & rinse cycles and hand-held wand.)

Teltex, Inc.
1081 W. Innovation Drive
Kearney, MO 64060
816-628-1949, 888-515-8120
www.teltex.com

(Assistive technology & equipment for people with hearing loss. Service center for electronic assistive devices, TTYs, amplified phones, vibrating alarm clocks, etc., visual signaling equipment, doorbell and phone light flashers, smoke detectors with strobe lights.)
MEDICAID KANCARE

Medicaid is a state governed program for low-income:

- Pregnant women
- Children under age 19
- People 65 and over
- People who are blind
- People who are disabled
- People who need nursing home care

Medicaid services include doctor appointments and hospital visits, behavioral health services, dental and vision care, pharmacy, transportation, nursing facility care, and the services offered through the Home and Community Based Services waivers. [http://www.kancare.ks.gov/](http://www.kancare.ks.gov/)

Medicaid helps eligible persons with the cost of 24/7 nursing home care as well as other medical services.

KanCare is the program through which the State of Kansas administers Medicaid. KanCare delivers whole-person, integrated care across the state.

The Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS) administers the Medicaid waiver programs, mental health and substance abuse, and state hospitals and institutions.

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Home & Community Based Services

States run their own Medicaid programs with funds from the federal government. Kansas applied for a waiver to use Medicaid funds for HCBS to help with a) services at home or b) services in those assisted living facilities that are enrolled as Medicaid providers for specific waivers.

HCBS has seven waiver programs:

1. **Autism (AU)** for a child who starts services before age 6.
2. **Brain Injury (BI)** ages 0-64
3. **Frail Elderly (FE)** ages 65+
4. **Intellectual & Developmental Disability (I/DD)** for ages 5+
5. **Physical Disability (PD)** ages 16-64 with long-term physical disabilities
6. **Serious Emotional Disturbance (SED)** ages 4-18
7. **Technology Assisted (TA)** ages 0-21

See [https://www.kdads.ks.gov/home](https://www.kdads.ks.gov/home) Community Services | HCBS.

Except in some crisis situations, PD and IDD programs have waiting lists to start HCBS services, so early application is helpful.

For Autism, SED, TA Programs
Call KDADS at 785-296-4983

For the I/DD program, contact the Community Developmental Disability Organization in Johnson County 913-826-2600 and see [https://www.jocogov.org/dept/cddo/home](https://www.jocogov.org/dept/cddo/home)
MEDICAID KANCARE

HCBS Application Process

Step 1: Apply for Medicaid/KanCare online at www.applyforkancare.ks.gov or request the Medical Assistance Application for the Elderly and Persons with Disabilities. Complete online or mail/fax to KanCare Clearinghouse, PO Box 3599 Topeka, 66601 1-800-792-4884 FAX 1-844-264-6285

Note date completed, mailed, or faxed. If having difficulties/delays, call or fax your concerns. See application helpful hints at https://www.kancare.ks.gov/

Processing an application may take 45 days or more. Proceed to Step 2 and start there, if having trouble completing the application. Step 2 is completed within 5 working days of a completed intake/referral.

Helpful Tips when Applying

1. Provide bank statements and the cash value of any life insurance.
2. Send in guardian or conservator paperwork with application if this applies.
3. Select a medical representative (with right to make all decisions on KanCare case) or facilitator in the application if helpful.
4. Report address and phone number changes to the KanCare Clearinghouse.
5. Note: Nursing Home requests can have Medicaid approval back dated to date of application. Check Nursing Home if you may need Nursing Home care soon.
6. To apply for HCBS to help at home or in some assisted living facilities, mark the HCBS box on the application. HCBS applications are not backdated.

Step 2: Request Functional Eligibility Assessment

Kansas Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs) contract with KDADS to serve as Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRCs) to provide information and assistance, options counseling, and functional assessments for the following Medicaid waiver programs:

Frail Elderly (FE) age 65+
Physically Disabled (PD) age 16-64
Brain Injury (BI) age 0-64.

Statewide ADRC 1-855-200-2372
Johnson County ADRC 913-715-8861

Step 3: Coordinate Care with your Managed Care Organization.

Kansas contracts with three managed care organizations (MCOs), to coordinate health care for all people enrolled in Medicaid.

Aetna Better Health
1-855-221-5656

Sunflower Health
1-877-644-4623

United Healthcare
1-877-542-9235

Medicaid consumers can select a different MCO/KanCare plan during open enrollment each year. Plans ensure that consumers receive preventive services, screenings, help w/chronic conditions.

PROBLEMS, HELP, GRIEVANCES, & APPEALS

Call the KanCare Ombudsman 1-855-643-8180
https://www.kancare.ks.gov/
MEDICARE

Medicare is for

- People 65 and over
- People of any age who have kidney failure/disease
- People who are permanently disabled and cannot work

Medicare is applied for online
https://www.ssa.gov/benefits/medicare/
or at the local Social Security office.
15375 W. 95th St. Lenexa, KS 66219
1-877-445-9978.

Some people qualify for both Medicaid and Medicare. Medicaid can help pay for Medicare premiums. People who qualify for both are called 'dual eligible'.

Initial applications for Medicare are done in a 7-month period which includes the month you turn 65, and the 3 months before and after that month. Open enrollment every year gives you the opportunity to change your Medicare plan from Oct 15 - Dec 7.

Medicare Part A is Hospital Insurance covering inpatient hospital stays, rehabilitation stays in a skilled nursing facility, hospice care, and home health care.

Medicare Part B is Medical Insurance for certain doctor services, outpatient care, medical supplies, and preventive services.

Medicare Part C Medicare Advantage Plan

Medicare Supplemental or Medi-Gap insurance helps cover additional services and costs such as copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles.

Medicare Part D is prescription drug coverage.

Medicare A & B don’t cover everything. They don’t cover long term care in a nursing facility which Medicaid helps with. They don’t cover most dental care, eye exams for prescribing glasses, dentures, cosmetic surgery, acupuncture, hearing aids and exams, and routine foot care.

Medicare Education 913-715-7000
https://www.johnson.k-state.edu/
See Home & Family tab | Medicare info:

Medicare Information
1-800-633-4227
www.Medicare.gov
MEDICARE

Medicare Fraud
To report an allegation of Medicare or Medicaid fraud, call 1-800-447-8744.

Medicare Interactive
https://www.medicareinteractive.org/

Medicare Supplement Insurance
Shopper’s Guide
Kansas Insurance Department
800-432-2484, 785-296-7829

Medicare Savings Programs
like Qualified Medicare Beneficiary QMB or Low-Income Medicare
Beneficiary LMB help with the cost of Medicare premiums, deductibles, co-
pays for income-eligible. See
www.Medicare.gov
Apply online at KanCare
Clearinghouse, Topeka
1-800-792-4884
www.applyforKanCare.ks.gov

“Extra Help” with Medicare
Prescription Drug Plan Costs
www.ssa.gov/extrahelp
Apply online, call for help with the
application, or request an application
1-800-772-1213
https://www.ssa.gov/benefits/medicare/pre
scriptionhelp/

Beneficiary & Family Centered Care
Quality Improvement Organization
Livanta 1-888-755–5580;
1-888–985–9295 (TTY)
https://livantaqio.com/en
(Medicare complaints/concerns
re quality of care.)

See Medicare
Frequently Asked Questions
at https://www.kdads.ks.gov/home

Senior Health Insurance Counseling
for Kansas (SHICK)
Johnson County Counselors
SHICK Coordinator -800-633-5621
Statewide 1-800-860-5260
(Free objective counseling on Medicare
and health insurance.)
Mental Health

Johnson County Mental Health is the go-to starting place for mental health information and resources in Johnson County, but there are many other organizations offering mental health resources, counseling, and assistance.

**Kansas Behavioral Science Regulatory Board**
www.ksbsrb.org

**Kansas Counseling Association**
www.kscounseling.org

**Collaborative Care of KC**
Leawood, Kansas, 66211
913-703-3183
*(Individual, couples, and family therapy for adults and children.)*

**Cottonwood Springs**
13351 S Arapaho Drive
Olathe, KS 66062
913-353-3000
*(72-bed behavioral hospital. Inpatient & outpatient mental health treatment for adults and seniors.)*

**Counseling Connections**
Therese McKechnie, MSW, LSCSW
Shawnee Mission, KS 66204
913-362-0315

**AARP - Social Engagement & Brain Health**

**Ephesians 4:15 Counseling Services**
Nancy A. Wilkerson, LSCSW
10000 W. 75th St.
Shawnee Mission, KS 66204
913-384-2170
*(Individual, couple, and family counseling from a Christian perspective.)*

**Esrey Mediation, LLC** 913-226-8000
*(Private non-attorney mediation service resolves issues/disputes in a sensible way.)*

**(The) Family Conservancy**
10500 Barkley St., Suite 210
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-342-1110

**Gateway of Hope – Women’s Counseling Center**
801 N. Mur-Len, Suite 111
Olathe, KS 66062 913-393-4283
*(Counseling, coaching, support groups.)*

**Jewish Family Services, Inc.**
5801 W. 115th St., Suite 103
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-327-8250
Or 425 E 63rd St
Kansas City, MO 64110
816-333-1172
www.jfskc.org
Johnson County Mental Health
6440 Nieman Road
Shawnee, KS 66203
or
1125 W. Spruce St
Olathe, KS 66061
Open Access 913-826-4200

24-hour Emergency Services
913-268-0156

Deaf Services 913-826-1543

Johnson County Mental Health
Adult Detox Unit at Recovery Place
11120 W. 65th St.
Shawnee, KS 66203
913-826-4100

Mental Health America of the Heartland
739 Minnesota Ave. Kansas City, KS 66101
913-281-2221 www.mhah.org

Mental Health Specialists in Aging
Johnson County area
913-226-2590
(Private and confidential therapy in the comfort of home, assisted living, or nursing home settings.)

National Alliance on Mental Illness
Family Support Groups help you:

- See the individual first, not the illness
- Recognize that mental illnesses are medical illnesses that may have environmental triggers
- Understand that mental illnesses are traumatic events
- Aim for better coping skills
- Find strength in sharing experiences
- Reject stigma and discrimination
- Not judge anyone’s pain
- Forgive ourselves and reject guilt
- Embrace humor as healthy
- Accept that we cannot solve every problem
- Work for a better future in a realistic way
…Mental Health

Partners in Counseling
Shawnee Mission, 913-530-2426
(In-home and office visits)

Passages Counseling 816-276-2717
(For seniors, caregivers, health & life transitions, coping skills. Kansas City Hospice and Palliative Care.)

Rainbow Services, Inc (RSI)
1301 N 47th St. Kansas City, KS 66102
913-956-5620
(State hospital for psychiatric disorders. mental health crisis, sobering beds.)

Rebeck, Patricia PhD
Overland Park, KS 66210 913-381-1144

Restoration Mental Health
Edwardsville, KS  913-745-4851
(Home visits, telehealth. Medicare, Medicaid)

Schemmel, Todd A. PhD
1707 E. Cedar St., Suite 120
Olathe, KS 66062  913-206-8236

Senior Behavioral Health Center
St. John Hospital  913-680-6220
3500 S. 4th St., Leavenworth, KS 66048

Advent Health Shawnee Mission
Behavioral Health Unit
9100 W. 74th St
Shawnee Mission, KS 66204
913-632-2600, 913-676-2000

Advent Health Behavioral Health Assessment Center
7315 Antioch Road
Shawnee Mission, KS 66204
913-789-3218

St. Anthony's Senior Care Hospital
14200 W 134th Place
Olathe, KS 66062
913-583-5335
(19-bed inpatient geriatric psychiatric hospital.)

Suicide Prevention Networks
Contact the crisis line of Johnson County Mental Health or one of these hotlines:

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline and Veteran’s Crisis Line
1-800-273-8255

Suicide Prevention Resource Center
www.sprc.org
Moving Assistance

Also See Transition Consultants in this directory.

Assisted Moving of Kansas City
Kansas City, MO 64145
816-405-6046

Caring Transitions of Kansas City
913-526-1893, 816-896-3395
(Decluttering, moving, downsizing, estate sales, repair & clean home for resale.)

Downsizing Simplified
Murphy & Co.
816-358-6338
(Move management services for the Greater Kansas City Area.)

Gentle Changes
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-345-9014
(move coordination)

Green Frog Estate Sales
913-787-6335
(Help with move transition & estate sales)

ResettleMe LLC
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-667-2301
(Downsizing, home staging, move coordination, pack, unpack, organize)

Senior Move Services
913-302-5214
(Certified Relocation and Transition Specialist. Coordinates details of moving - sorting, packing/unpacking, settling in)

Seniors Pack n Move
Lenexa, KS 913-207-8185
(Decluttering, organizing, clean outs, clean up, packing/unpacking. Move management, enhancements, light repairs, estate sales.)
Organizing

Anytime Assistant, LLC
Lenexa, KS 913-748-9115
http://www.myanytimeassistantllc.com/
(Errands, basic home help, moving, packing/unpacking, cleaning out, organizing, decluttering, check-in visits, help with pets.)

The Maija Method
Professional Organizing
Maija Diethelm
maijadiethelm@gmail.com
Johnson County and Kansas City Area 913-636-0755
www.maijamethod.com
(Help meeting goals related to moving, packing, downsizing, creating organized environments free of clutter or organizing memorabilia for an upcoming reunion. Experience with big and small projects.)

Swalms Organizing Service
Kansas City, KS 66106 913-375-9115
www.swalmsorganizing.com
(Organizing of attics, garage, basement, shop spaces, closets, and storage units. Down-sizing services also offered.)

Fall-Proofing Your Home

- Are handrails secure on both sides of the stairs?
- Do you have good lighting with light switches for stairs and hall?
- Are areas where you walk tidy?
- Do you have non-slip carpets and rugs? Do you have no-slip strips on tile and wooden floors?
- Are grab bars near toilets and inside and outside of your tub?
- Are non-skid mats, strips, or carpet on surfaces that may get wet?
- Are you using night lights? Do you have night lights or light switches close to your bed?
- Do you have a flashlight handy if power goes out?
- Is there a phone near your bed?
- Are cords near walls and away from paths?
- Are carpets and area rugs secured firmly to the floor?
- Is furniture out of your way when you walk?
- Are sofas and chairs the right height to get in and out of easily?
- Do you avoid walking on slippery surfaces, wet floors, icy paths?
- Are items you use within easy reach?
- Do you use a "reach stick" or ask for help instead of standing on chairs to reach items?
- Do you know where your pet is when you're standing or walking?
- Are emergency numbers in large print near each phone?
- Do you have an emergency response system or lifeline?

See: https://www.nia.nih.gov

NCOA offers proven Community-Based Programs for Fall Prevention includes:
https://www.ncoa.org/
Nursing Facilities

Most nursing facilities accept Medicaid to help out with costs, or payments from long-term care insurance or Veterans benefits. People pay privately until their savings are used up and then they apply for Medicaid. Medicare covers nursing home rehabilitation stays for short periods. For a long-term stay, a CARE assessment is required.

Planning for nursing home care

1) Review the list of nursing facilities and those that accept Medicaid.

2) Narrow down your choice by location or special needs such as memory care.

3) Get some input on your choices from KABC.org, Medicare.gov, visiting nursing homes, or using a Transition Consultant listed in this directory.

4) Request a pre-assessment screening for nursing home placement, i.e. a CARE assessment, from the Area Agency on Aging. 913-715-8861

5) Apply for Medicaid or Veterans benefits if you need assistance paying for long-term care.

Medicaid Application is made through the KanCare Clearinghouse, Topeka
1-800-792-4884
FAX 1-844-264-6285
http://www.ApplyForKanCare.ks.gov

Adult Care Homes Directory & Inspection Reports
www.kdads.ks.gov

Medicare Nursing Home Compare www.medicare.gov

Nursing Home Abuse/Neglect Kansas 1-800-842-0078
https://www.kdads.ks.gov/hotlines

Aberdeen Village Health Care Center
17520 W. 119th St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-599-6100, 913-213-1686
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Continuing Care Retirement Facility Special memory care unit).

AdventHealth Care Center
Overland Park
6501 W. 75th St. Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-9866
(Private, Medicare, Medicaid.)

Azria Health and Rehabilitation Center
201 E. Flaming Drive Olathe, KS 66061
913-829-2273
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.
(Special memory care unit)

Brighton Gardens
7105 Mission Road
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-262-1611
Private, Medicaid
(Special memory care unit)
Nursing Facilities

Brookdale Overland Park
12000 Lamar Ave. Overland Park, KS
913-663-2888
Private, Medicare.
(Short-term rehab, long-term care, respite.)

Brookdale Rosehill
12802 Johnson Drive Shawnee, KS 66216
913-962-7600
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Short-term rehab, long-term care, respite.)

Colonial Village
12500 W. 137th St.
Overland Park, KS 66221
913-730-3700
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
Continuing Care Retirement Facility

Delmar Gardens of Lenexa
9701 Monrovia St. Lenexa, KS 66215
913-492-1130
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Delmar Gardens of Overland Park
12100 W. 109th St.
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-469-4210
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.

Evergreen Community of Johnson County
11875 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 100
Olathe, KS 66061  913-477-8227
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.
(Special memory care unit)

(The) Forum at Overland Park
3509 W. 95th St.
Overland Park, KS 66206
913-648-4980, 913-648-4500
Private, Medicare.
(Continuing Care Retirement Facility)

Garden Terrace at Overland Park
7541 Switzer Road
Overland Park, KS 66214
913-631-2273
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.
(Progressive special memory care units)

Good Samaritan Society - Olathe
20705 W. 151st St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-782-1372
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.
(Special memory care unit, Veterans Administration contract)

(The) Healthcare Resort of Leawood
5401 W. 143rd Street Leawood, KS 66224
913-249-3600
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Assisted living, rehab, skilled nursing care.)

(The) Healthcare Resort of Olathe
21250 W. 151st Street Olathe, KS 66061
913-390-0444
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Assisted living, rehab, skilled nursing care).

Hillside Village of De Soto
33600 W. 85th St. De Soto, KS 66018
913-583-1266
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.
...Nursing Facilities

Hoeger House
20911 W. 153rd St. Olathe, KS 66061
913-397-2900
Private, Medicare
(Rehabilitation facility. Respite care.)

Indian Creek Nursing Center
6515 W. 103rd St. Overland Park, KS 66212
913-642-5545
Private, Medicare, Medicaid.

Lakeview Village Retirement Community
9100 Park St. Lenexa, KS 66215
913-888-1900, 1-877-779-1900
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Continuing Care Retirement Facility).

Meadowbrook Rehabilitation Hospital
LTC 427 W. Main St., Gardner, KS 66030
913-856-8747
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Medicalodge of Gardner
223 Bedford St. Gardner, KS 66030
913-856-6520
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Merriam Gardens Healthcare & Rehabilitation
9700 W. 62nd St.
Merriam, KS 66203
913-384-0800
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Nottingham Health & Rehabilitation
14200 W. 134th Place
Olathe, Kansas 66062
913-738-8300
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Promise Skilled Nursing Facility
of Overland Park
6505 W. 103rd St. Overland Park, KS 66212
913-649-5110
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Special memory care unit)

Santa Marta
11960 Quivira Road, Suite 100
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-906-0990, 913-828-4180
(Continuing Care Retirement Facility)

Overland Park Center
for Rehabilitation and Nursing
5211 W. 103rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-383-2569
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Special memory care unit)

Sharon Lane Care Center
10315 Johnson Drive
Shawnee, KS 66203
913-631-8200
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

Shawnee PARC
7600 Antioch Rd.
Overland Park, KS 66204
913-383-2001
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
(Assisted living, rehab, skilled nursing care.)

Shawnee Gardens Health and Rehabilitation Center
6416 Long St. Shawnee, KS 66216
913-631-2146
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
Nursing Facilities

**Somerset -The Health Center at Claridge Court**
8101 Mission Road Prairie Village, KS
913-383-2085
Private, Medicare
*(Continuing Care Retirement Facility)*

**Specialty Hospital of Mid-America**
6509 W. 103rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-652-3223, 913-649-3701
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

**Spring Hill Care & Rehabilitation Center**
251 E. Wilson Ave.
Spring Hill, KS 66083
913-592-3100
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

**St. Joseph Place**
11901 Rosewood Drive
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-345-1745
Private, Medicare, Medicaid

**Tallgrass Creek**
13800 Metcalf Ave.
Overland Park, KS 66223
913-945-2144, 913-897-2700
Private, Medicare
*(Continuing Care Retirement Facility)*

**Villa St. Francis**
16600 W. 126th St.
Olathe, KS 66062
913-829-5201
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
*(Special memory care unit)*

**Village Shalom**
The Weinberg Health Center for Skilled Nursing
5500 W. 123rd St.
Overland Park, KS 66209
913-317-2600
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
*(Special memory care unit)*

**Stratford Commons Rehab and Healthcare Center**
12340 Quivira Road
Overland Park, KS 66213
913-851-0215
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
*(Memory care)*

**Weschester Village of Lenexa**
8505 Pflumm Rd. Lenexa, KS 66215
913-307-2000
Private, Medicare, Medicaid
*(Continuing Care Retirement Facility)*
Personal Assistance

Help and support services for those seeking assistance with their daily lives.

Also see Home Health & In-Home Care for help with shopping & errands, classified ads in the Best Times news magazine or www.care.com

AccessAble Living
Kansas City, MO 816-301-5170
(Free home safety assessments, home modifications & accessibility products. Occupational Therapists specialized living in place & low vision.)

AgeWise
Advocacy & Consulting
913-213-8799
(Offer creative solutions, support caregivers, improve family communication, mediation, plan for transitioning.)

Aging in Place LLC
Lee’s Summit, MO 816-213-1795
(Personal care, housekeeping, nurse visits, physician consulting, transportation, shopping, pet care, errands...)

Care is There
Overland Park, KS 913-815-1486 ext 15
www.careisthere.com
(Lifestyle coordinators visit your loved one in their home or care facility and perform or arrange any service needed...keeping your loved one happy and you informed.)

Compassionate Care
Mobile Veterinary Service
Olathe, KS 66061
913-948-9348
(In-home veterinary care for pets, wellness care, vaccinations, medical treatment)

Consider It Done LLC
- Your On-Call Concierge
Olathe, KS 66062
913-205-8542
(Make appointments, reminder calls, errands, shopping, transportation, assist w/home needs, bill-paying, peace-of-mind visits, & referrals for services, etc.)

Daughters & Company
8685 W. 96th St., Suite 150
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-341-2500
www.daughtersonline.com
(In-home care, bookkeeping, bill paying, property management)

Game Buddies
816-604-0293
gamebuddieskc@gmail.com
(Fun and games to improve your mind, and a kind friend to share them.)

Happiness at Home
Spring Hill, KS 913-289-1738
(Non-medical in-home care, help around the house.)
**Hy-Vee Pharmacy** 913-780-9449  
14955 W 151st St, Olathe, KS 66062  
*(Free Tuesday delivery for prescription medications, free medication box filling, Medicare Drug plan evaluations year-round vaccinations.)*

**Jewish Family Services Help at Home**  
Overland Park, KS 66211  
913-327-8239, 913-327-8250  
*(Home repairs, home safety assessment)*

**KC At Your Service** 913-603-9399  
*(Helps you complete your To-Do list that you either can’t or don’t want to do.)*

**Martinizing Delivers** 913-244-7147  
10601 W. 53rd St., Shawnee KS 66203  
*(Laundry/dry-cleaning pickup & delivery.)*

**Pet Calls Mobile Veterinary Clinic**  
Lenexa, KS  
913-271-4383

**SenCom – Senior Computer Users Group**  
Classes & Programs  
913-298-0575  
[https://kcsenior.net/](https://kcsenior.net/)

**Snowbird Maintenance**  
Overland Park, KS  
816-490-7431  
*Home maintenance, cleaning gutters, mowing the grass, securing handrails, vacation care, and more.*

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**Respite Care**

Caregivers need a break, and can get a break for short stays or vacation care from friends, family, or other choices such as

**Adult Daycare | Home Health**

**Assisted Living | Nursing Facilities**

The **Area Agency on Aging** does respite care for 4 hours or other short periods of time weekly through the Kansas Senior Care Act on a sliding scale fee basis if a person qualifies by income.

Similarly, a person might get a Medicaid plan of care through Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) to relieve a caregiver.

Contact the Johnson County Area Agency on Aging at 913-715-8861 regarding the Kansas Senior Care Act program or HCBS.

**Catholic Parishes Respite Program**

Church of the Nativity & 6 parishes do respite care once a week.  
See Parish Life Outreach  
[https://www.kcnativity.org/respite-care](https://www.kcnativity.org/respite-care)  
*(Respite/Serving all faiths)*
Social Security

The Social Security Act was signed into law by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1935.

Social Security is funded through payroll taxes called Federal Insurance Contributions Act tax (FICA) or Self Employed Contributions Act Tax (SECA).

Most people sign up and qualify to receive social security retirement checks at age 65 or later, and sometimes as early as age 62. Widows and widowers can receive social security checks based on their deceased spouses’ income.

Social Security Administration
15375 W 95th St, Lenexa, KS 66219
877-445-9978
www.ssa.gov

200 Frequently Asked Questions

“A Guide for Representative Payees”
1-800-772-1213, 800-325-0778/TTY
(A publication for persons appointed to receive/manage Social Security benefits for someone’s personal care & well-being)

Social Security Administration
(Fraud line) 800-269-0271

Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) Anyone who has worked long enough and recently enough (based on "quarters of coverage" within the recent past) can apply to receive disability benefits if determined to be disabled by social security. These benefits start after five full calendar months of disability.

To qualify for disability income, the worker must be unable to continue in his or her previous job and unable to adjust to other work related to age, education, and work experience. The disability must be long-term, lasting 12 months, expected to last 12 months, resulting in death, or expected to result in death. The amount of the disability benefit payable depends on the worker's age and record of covered earnings.

A claimant whose initial application for disability benefits is denied can request an appeal or reconsideration.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a Federal income supplement program funded by general tax revenues (not Social Security taxes). It is designed to help aged, blind, and disabled people, who have little or no income; and it provides cash to meet basic needs for food, clothing, and shelter. It uses the same disability criteria as the insured social security disability program, but SSI is based upon whether the claimants’ income and net worth fall below certain income and asset thresholds.

SSI disability benefits are available to low-income individuals who have either never worked or who haven't earned enough work credits to qualify for SSDI. Severely disabled children may qualify for SSI. Standards for child disability are different from those for adults.

https://www.ssa.gov/ssi/
Support Groups

It is extremely beneficial to try support groups for caregivers, or disease specific groups. Find information and support from other people who are facing similar challenges.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**
Kansas City, MO 64116
816-471-7229

**Al-Anon/Alateen** 913-384-4653
Help for families & friends of alcoholics

**ALS Association**
**Mid-America Chapter**
6950 Squibb Road, Suite 210
Mission, KS 66202
913-648-2062

**Alzheimer’s Association**
**Heart of America Chapter**
3846 W. 75th St. Prairie Village, KS 66208-913-831-3888

**American Lung Association in Kansas**
8400 W 110th St, Suite 130
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-353-9165

**American Stroke Foundation**
6405 Metcalf Ave, Suite 214
Overland Park, KS 66202
913-649-1776
*(Post-rehabilitative wellness services and support for stroke survivors and families.)*

**Arthritis Foundation of Western Missouri & Greater Kansas City**
1900 West 75th Street, Suite 200
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-262-2233, 800-283-7800

**Brain Injury Association of Kansas and Greater Kansas City**
6701 W 64th St., Suite 120
Overland Park, KS 66202
913-754-8883

**Cancer Action, Inc.**
10520 Barkley St., Suite 100
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-642-8885

**Cancer Wellness for Life**
8022 Reeder St. Lenexa, KS 66214
913-717-5616
*(A fitness facility largely dedicated to individuals affected by cancer and other chronic diseases.)*


**Support Groups**

**Christian Caregiver Support Groups**

**Christ Lutheran Church**
11720 Nieman Road
Overland Park, KS 66210
913-345-9700

**Grief Sharers** 913-599-6447
Lenexa Baptist Church
15320 W 87th St Parkway
Lenexa, KS 66219
(A grief care support group)

**Overland Park Christian Church**
7600 W. 75th St Overland Park, KS 66204
913-677-4646

**Evergreen Hospice Care, LLC &**
**Life after Loss Grief Support Group**
11875 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 200
Olathe, KS 66061
913-477-8248
*(One-on-one bereavement visit, grief support, grief & loss education, resources, referrals.)*

**Family Caregiver Support Group**
Landon Center on Aging
University of Kansas Medical Center
3599 Rainbow Blvd., Room 210
Kansas City, KS 66160
913-588-2365

**Family Dementia Support Group**
Park Meadows Senior Living
5951 W. 107th St.
Overland Park, KS 66207
913-901-8200

**Grief Support Network**
Village Presbyterian Church
-South Entrance - Friendship Parlor
6641 Mission Road
Prairie Village, KS 66208
913-262-4200
*(Grief support activities and resources in the Kansas City area.)*

**Heartland Widowed Persons Service**
913-648-1520
*(SkillBuilders Education & Support for Widows, Widowers and Caregivers)*
...Support Groups

Jewish Family Services
5801 W. 115th St., Suite 103,
Overland Park, KS 66211
913-327-8250

Myasthenia Gravis Association
2340 E. Meyer Blvd, Bldg.1, Suite 300-A
Kansas City, MO 64132
816-256-4100

Narcotics Anonymous 800-561-2250

Parkinson Foundation of the Heartland
8900 State Line Road Suite 320
Leawood, KS 66206
913-341-8828

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) Support Group
VFW Post 7397
9550 Pflumm Road Lenexa, KS 66215
913-856-4310
(Meets Tues. 6:30 p.m.)

Regional Prevention Center
Olathe, KS 913-715-7880
(Support to prevent substance abuse)

Rock Steady Boxing at Fight Back KC
Tiger Rock Martial Arts
14024 W. 119th St, Olathe 66062
913-709-0402
(Nonprofit org, giving people with Parkinson’s hope, improving quality of life through a non-contact boxing based fitness curriculum.)

StartYourRecovery.org
(Steps toward a healthy relationship with drugs and alcohol)

Turning Point
8900 State Line Road, Suite 240
Leawood, KS 66206
913-574-0900
turningpoint@kumc.edu
(Hope & healing for anyone living with serious or chronic physical illness.)

Life Unlimited
Open Options UCP
3100 Broadway, Suite 330,
Kansas City, MO 816-531-4454
(Services and support to individuals with developmental disabilities & parents.)

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Telephone Reassurance

Regular telephone calls to provide comfort and support. Sometimes you just need someone to call you every day or so to make sure you are ok. You can set up an agreement with several friends, or family, or work with an organization to check up on you.

You can also look into an Emergency Alert or lifeline provider…listed in this directory. Some families have agreements with their family members to set up cameras at certain locations in their home to keep tabs on the health and safety of their loved ones. These are all options to make sure people are safe and secure and stay in touch with someone who can help or get help.

Comfort Keepers
Overland Park, KS 66212
913-210-0631
www.comfortkeepers.com

Care Patrol
7111 W. 151st St., Suite 140
Overland Park, KS 66223
913-998-6531
(Free senior referral & placement services for long term care living options & care. Also does telephone reassurance.)
www.CarePatrol.com

Hearts at Home LLC
Overland Park, KS 66214
913-440-4209
www.HeartsAtHomeUSA.com

Operation Lifeline
Olathe Police Department
501 E. U.S. 56 Highway
Olathe, KS 66061
www.olatheks.org
913-971-7500
(Olathe seniors only)

Snug Safety
(Free Daily Check in app for seniors living alone.)
https://snugsafe.com/

Visiting Angels
Living Assistance Services
Prairie Village, KS 66207
913-912-1260
www.visitingangels.com
Transition Consultants

A Place for Mom 913-800-8403
kansascity@aplaceformom.com
(Free advice & referrals on senior housing, home care options)

Assisted Living Locators
Overland Park, KS 913-538-5435
(Free no-cost referral service and help finding options to meet seniors' needs.)

Care Patrol
Overland Park, KS 913-998-6531
(Free senior referral & placement services for long term care living options & care. Free automated medication reminders and telephone reassurance.)

Senior Care Authority (SCA)
Senior Living and Care Solutions
913-488-8609
(Help finding assisted living, memory care, or independent living in Johnson, Wyandotte, Douglas, Franklin, & Shawnee counties.)

Senior Care Consulting/Senior Watch
913-749-7899, 913-945-2800
www.seniorcareconsulting.com
(Nursing home, assisted living, Alzheimer’s dementia care, and retirement community placement services. Senior Watch resident monitoring service.)

Seniorly.com
Helps find seniors a home to love. Search, compare, find care. Partner with Family Caregiver Alliance
www.caregiver.org

Caring.com
(Aggregation page for assisted living facilities in Johnson County, with price information and reviews by residents and their families)
https://www.caring.com

Elder Care and Transitions Consulting, LLC
913-499-7653
(Medical care advocacy and monitoring, geriatric assessments, facility and home health provider search)
Transportation

Private Taxi/Bus

10/10 Taxi 913-647-0010
or see www.ztrip.com

Assisted Transportation (WC)
913-262-5190

Dryver (Kansas City area)
1-877-823-6933
(Designated driver service drives you in your car or provides pickup service.)

Five Guys Airport Transportation
816-891-9999

Freedom Transit (WC) 913-927-0047

Go Go Grandparent 1-855-464-6872
(Access on-demand transportation services like Uber and Lyft by phone.)
https://gogograndparent.com

Jeff Friedman’s Airport Amtrak Transportation, 913-710-2449
(For active independent seniors)

Medi Coach Transport Services (WC)
913-548-1306 Lenexa
(Non-emergency wheelchair & gurney transportation.)

Secure Medical Transport (WC)
816-350-1800 Kansas City, MO
(24/7 wheelchair, stretcher, bariatric)

AARP Driver Safety 1-888-227-7669
AARP Driver Safety offers discounts on auto insurance. Refresh your driving skills
Learn the rules & hazards of the road. Reduce your chances of traffic accidents or tickets. Learn safe driving strategies.

SAFETY/TRAINING

Avenues Driving Rehabilitation Program Overland Park 913-272-1710

Ability KC 816-751-7700
(driver evaluation & training)

Accident Avoidance Courses
Contact your insurer about which accident avoidance courses they will accept to reduce your auto insurance premiums.

Kansas Dept. of Revenue Medical Vision Unit 785-368-8971
(Letter of Concern form initiates request for medical review of vision or medical health issues affecting safe driving.)
https://www.ksrevenue.org/dovforms.html

Kansas Department of Transportation 511 Traffic and Travel Information
Dial 511 or 1-866-511-5368 (Road conditions, road closures, weather)

National Traffic Highway Safety Administration, Drive Well Tool Kit
https://www.nhtsa.gov/
Transportation

Affordable or Subsidized

**Catch-A-Ride Program** Olathe
913-715-8900, 888-214-4404
(Volunteer transportation for Johnson County residents who are disabled or age 60 and older or who have no other means of transportation.)

**JET Express** 913-981-8877
Overland Park (Age 65+, JET Express Plus for same day service.)

**Johnson County Transit**
1701 W 56 Highway Olathe, KS 66061
https://www.jocogov.org/dept/transit/home

Transit services managed by
**Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA)** 816-221-0660
1200 E. 18th KCMO 64108
wehearyou@kcata.org

**Link for Care** – Connecting You to the Services You Need
https://www.linkforcare.org/s/

**Medicaid Transportation (WC)** For Medicaid recipients & medical purposes.
Contact the provider with your Managed Care Organization or call Medicaid and KanCare info 1-855-200-2372

Aetna 1-855-221-5656
Sunflower 1-877-644-4623
United Healthcare 1-877-796-5847

**Olathe Taxi Coupons (WC)**
For Olathe residents to destinations in Olathe.
913-971-6260 to apply
913-387-0010 to schedule rides

**Ride KC (WC)**
Regional Call Center
816-221-0660
(Metro-wide public bus transportation on fixed routes. Offer Regional Pass.)

**Ride KC Freedom (WC)**
816-842-9070

**WeHearYou@RideKC.org**
http://ridekc.org
(Curb-to-Curb transportation for low income individuals who are disabled or age 65+. Mon-Fri 6 a.m.-6 p.m.)

**Press 2 for Johnson County**

**Press 4 for Ride KC Freedom On Demand** same day service options for older adults and persons with disabilities.

**Press 5 to get application** or check application status

**Press 6** Leave a comment.
Ride KC Micro Transit
Johnson County 816-221-0660
Van or taxi runs 6 a.m. - 8 p.m., Mon-Sat

Service Area: 63rd Street and Shawnee Mission Parkway on the north, Metcalf on the east or State Line on Saturdays, Renner Road on the west and 119th on the south.

Pay with app or exact cash in vehicle.
Transfer to RideKC Micro Transit with your bus pass, transfer card, or RideKC app.

Shawnee City Ride (WC)
Get ride cards 913-742-6014 Request a ride 913-647-0010 (Shawnee residents age 65 and older, or disabled)

See Home Health & In-Home Care for transportation with home care agencies.

Heaven Sent Home Care (WC)
913-390-8758

Special Needs, Accessibility

Angel Flight Central
Kansas City, MO
816-421-2300 or 866-569-9464
(Charitable flights for health care and critical needs)

Cancer Action, Inc.
Overland Park, 913-642-8885

Driver’s License Bureau.
Olathe 913-829-2501
Mission 913-432-2266
www.ksrevenue.org

Handicapped Parking Tags
Johnson County Motor Vehicle Dept
Mission/Olathe 913-826-1800
Toll-free 1-888-956-2657
(Handicapped parking I.D. license tags for mobility impaired/medically restricted)

United Access - Mobility for Living Service for Life (WC)
7921 Bond St Lenexa, Kansas
913-894-8080,1-866-894-8080
(Wheelchair vans for rental or sale, wheelchair lifts, hand controls, scooter lifts, wheelchair ramps)
www.unitedaccess.com
Veterans Affairs

Many veterans use one of the two local V.A. hospitals to get help, or there is a clinic in Johnson County also. Some Veterans qualify for Aid and Attendance programs to help with long-term care. Contact these local resources to find out about veterans benefits available to veterans in our area.

Dwight D. Eisenhower Veterans Medical Center
4101 S. 4th St. Leavenworth, KS 66048
913-682-2000
www.va.gov

Kansas Commission on Veteran’s Affairs
10107 W. 105th Overland Park, KS 66212
913-371-5968
www.kcva.org
(Information & assistance for veterans)

Kansas City VA Medical Center
4801 E. Linwood Blvd.
Kansas City, MO 64128
816-861-4700/V, 816-922-3328/TTY
www.va.gov

Johnson County Outpatient VA Clinic
6830 Anderson St. Shawnee
816-922-2750

Veteran Counseling and Guidance Center
Department of Veterans Affairs
301 E. Armour Blvd., Suite 305
Kansas City, MO 64110
816-753-1866
www.va.gov

Veterans Benefits Administration
Regional Office
5500 E. Kellogg Drive
Wichita, KS 67218
800-827-1000

Veterans Home-Based Primary Care
Kansas City VA 816-922-2411
(Health care services provided to Veterans with complex health care needs in their home, supervised by a VA physician.)
Volunteer Opportunities

VOLUNTEERING…

Provides physical and mental rewards. Focusing on others reduces stress.

Makes you healthier, fosters optimism and joy, strengthens the immune system.

Brings people together to work toward a common goal, building camaraderie and teamwork.

Strengthens your community. You support families and seniors who have contributed a lifetime of value to the community.

Check out a few volunteer opportunities to see how you can make a difference.

Area Agency on Aging (AAA) and Johnson County Human Services Dept
AAA Home-Delivered Meals  913-715-8895
HSD Catch a Ride, office support. 913-715-8859

AARP Kansas City, MO 64112
1-866-389-5627

American Red Cross
Kansas City, MO 816-931-8400

Call for Action/KCTV  800-647-1756
Volunteers assist consumers to resolve problems with businesses, etc.

Cancer Action, Inc.  913-642-8885
Overland Park, KS 66212

CASA of Johnson and Wyandotte County (Court Appointed Special Advocates for children) Overland Park, KS 66202 913-715-4040

Community Blood Center
Overland Park, Olathe, Kansas City 816-968-4079
Volunteer drivers, ambassadors, office assistants, etc.

Foster Grandparent Program
Kansas City, KS  913-906-8920

Johnson County Central Resource Library
Overland Park, KS 66212 913-826-4600

Johnson County K-State Research & Extension
Olathe, KS  913-715-7000

Johnson County Schools
Senior Volunteers in Schools
Contact your local school district.

Kansas Guardianship Program
Olathe, KS
913-780-3300 x10, 800-672-0086
www.ksgprog.org
Handy Numbers

Abuse, Neglect, Exploitation
In the community  1-800-922-5330
In a nursing home  1-800-842-0078

Safehome Domestic Violence Center  913-262-2868
24 hour hotline, shelter, counseling & assistance

Aging & Disability Resource Center
Statewide ADRC  1-855-200-2372
Johnson County ADRC  913-715-8861

Alzheimer’s Association
1-800-272-3900,  913-831-3888

Attorney General’s Office
Consumer Protection
Complaints re businesses, charities, identity theft, do not call list.
1-800-432-2310

Johnson County District Attorney
913-715-3000

Disability Rights Center
1-877-776-1541,  1-785-273-9661

Elderlaw Hotline  1-888-353-5337

Eldercare Locator  1-800-677-1116

Johnson Cty Dept of Health & Environment Outreach Nurses
913-826-1228

Johnson County Library
913-826-4600

Johnson County Parks & Recreation 50+ Program
913-826-2975

Johnson County Election Office
913-715-6800

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services
1-800-432-3535,  1-785-296-4986

Kansas Guardianship Program
1-800-672-0086,  1-785-587-8555

Kansas Insurance Department
1-800-432-2484,  1-785-296-7829

Kansas Housing Resources Corporation
(Sec.8, Sec 42 Concerns)
1-800-752-4422,  1-785-217-2001

Kansas State Library & Legislative Hotline  1-800-432-3924

Kansas State Extension Office
Johnson County  913-715-7000

Long Term Care Ombudsman
1-877-662-8362,  913-236-9385

Medicaid  1-855-200-2372
KanCare Application  800-792-4884
KanCare Ombudsman  855-643-8180

Medicare  1-800-633-4227

Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas (SHICK)
Trained volunteers can help with your Medicare questions.  1-800-860-5260

Silver-Haired Legislature
(Johnson County)  913-715-8860

Social Security  1-877-445-9978

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RESOURCE CENTERS (ADRCs)
Kansas Planning & Service Areas
1-855-200-2372

PSA 01 – Wyandotte Leavenworth
ADRC Kansas City, KS
913-573-8531/ 888-661-1444

PSA 02 – Central Plains ADRC
Wichita 316-660-5120, 800-367-7298

PSA 03 – Northwest Kansas ADRC
Hays 785-628-8204, 800-432-7422

PSA 04 – Jayhawk ADRC
Topeka 785-235-1367, 800-798-1366

PSA 05 – Southeast Kansas ADRC
Chanute 620-431-2980, 800-794-2440

PSA 06 – Southwest Kansas ADRC
Dodge City 620-225-8230
800-742-9531

PSA 07 – East Central Kansas
ADRC Ottawa 785-242-7200
1-800-633-5621

PSA 08 – North Central Flint Hills
ADRC Manhattan 785-776-9294
800-432-2703

PSA 09 – Northeast Kansas ADRC
Hiawatha 785-742-7152
800-883-2549

PSA 10 – South Central Kansas
ADRC Arkansas City 620-442-0268
800-362-0264

PSA 11 – Johnson County ADRC
Olathe 913-715-8861
888-214-4404