

Community Resource Guide



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

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

Medical

Local Health Services/Clinics

Stafford County Health Department, St. John (immunizations, WIC, medical).....	(620) 549-3504
Stafford County Hospital, Stafford.....	(620) 234-5221
Salvation Army, Great Bend (health services and prescription costs).....	(620) 792-4299
Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (prescription assistance)	(620) 792-1393
Heart of Kansas Family Health Care Inc., Great Bend (prescription, medical, behavioral)	(620) 792-5700

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

Heart of Kansas Family Health Care Inc., Great Bend (behavioral health).....	(620) 792-5700
The Center, Great Bend (substance abuse, mental health, counseling).....	(620) 792-2544
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(800) 539-2660
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....	(800) 273-8255
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Helpline	(866) 645-8216
Substance Abuse Helpline (SAMHSA)	(800) 662-4357
Veteran’s Crisis Line	(800) 273-8244
Keys for Networking (for families with children with BH concerns).....	(800) 499-8732
Mobile Crisis Helpline (for Kansans 0-20 yrs. old and foster care children, current and past)	(833) 441-2240
Kansas Ag Stress helpline	(800) 447-1985
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(800) 539-2660
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....	(800) 273-8255
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Helpline	(866) 645-8216
Substance Abuse Helpline (SAMHSA)	(800) 662-4357
Alcoholics Anonymous in Kansas	https://alcoholicsanonymous.com/aa-meetings/kansas/
Support groups in Kansas.....	https://supportgroupsinkansas.org/support-groups

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

- Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence (785) 232-9784
 - [Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)
- Kansas Sexual and Domestic Violence Service Providers – Find Services Near You.
[Kansas Sexual and Domestic Violence Organizations – Find on Map | Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)
- Safety Plan for Victims [Safety Plan for Victims of Domestic Violence | Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence \(KCSDV\)](#)
- Kansas Crisis Hotline (888) 363-2287
- National Domestic Violence Hotline (800) 799-7233
..... SMS: Text START to 88788

Dental Services

- Heart of Kansas Family Health Care Inc., Great Bend (dental services) (620) 792-5700
- Kansas Donated Dental Services (785) 273-1900 or (888) 870-2066
- Kansas Donated Dental application <https://dentallifeline.org/kansas>
- Smiles Change Lives (discounted braces)..... <https://www.smileschangelives.org/>
- Smiles for Success <https://smilesforsuccess.org/>

Eye Care

- Stafford County Health Department, St. John (vision screenings)..... (620) 549-3504
- Central Kansas Eye Care, Great Bend (620)792-3535
- International Lions Club (provides free eye exams and eyeglasses to qualified participants)..... (316) 773-2100
- Kansas Dept. for Aging and Disability Services (Blind and Visually Impaired)..... (866) 213-9079
- Vision USA (620) 231-4230
- EyeCare America (877) 887-6327
- See To Learn (3 year-olds) (800) 960-3937

Prescription Services

- Salvation Army, Great Bend (health services and prescription costs)..... (620) 792-4299
- Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (prescription assistance) (620) 792-1393
- Heart of Kansas Family Health Care Inc., Great Bend (prescription, medical, behavioral) (620) 792-5700
- Prescription Assistance Program..... www.KansasDrugCard.com
- Needy Meds (helps with cost of medicine) www.needymeds.org
- Rx Assist..... www.rxassist.org

Assistive Equipment

- Assistive Technology for Kansans, Stafford County (316) 942-5444

Kansas Equipment Exchange (supply or exchange medical equipment for adults and children)..... (800) 526-3648
 K-Loan (620) 421-6554

Other Health Services

KanCare/Medicaid eligibility and renewal, KanCare Clearinghouse (800) 792-4884
 KanCare application, benefits and assistance www.kancare.ks.gov
 KanCare Ombudsman office..... (855) 643-8180
 www.KanCareOmbudsman.ks.gov
 Ryan White Outreach Program (HIV/STI help) (www.kdheks.gov/sti_hiv/ryan_white_care.htm)..... (316) 293-2652
 Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas (SHICK) Medicare help (620) 225-8230
 Medicare (800) 633-4227
 Early Detection Works (for breast and cervical cancer issues) (877) 277-1368
 Community Care Network of Kansas www.communitycareks.org (785) 233-8483
 Kansas Special Health Care Needs (SHCN) Program (infants to age 21)..... (785) 826-6600
 Kansas State Farmworker Health Program, Topeka (785) 296-2671

Information and Referral

Local Resources

Stafford Community Senior Center, Stafford (620) 234-5817
 United Way, Great Bend (620) 792-2403
 Salvation Army, Great Bend..... (620) 792-4299
 Rosewood Roots and Wings Foundation, Great Bend (disability services & support)..... (620) 796-2242
 Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (assistance, food, prescription)..... (620) 792-1393

Regional/State Organizations

Prairie Independent Living Resource Center (620) 663-3989
 Department of Children and Family Services..... (620) 792-5324
 Kansas Department for Children and Families, Hutchinson (www.dcf.ks.gov) (620) 663-5731
 Southwest KS Area Agency on Aging, Great Bend..... (620) 793-6633
 Services for Kansans who are Blind or Visually Impaired (620) 663-3989
 Envision Vision Rehab Center, Wichita..... (316) 440-1600
 SW Developmental Services-CDDO (for people with developmental disabilities)..... (620) 275-7521
 SW Aging and Disability Resources (620) 793-6633
 Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs, Hutchinson (Stafford County)..... (620) 665-8647
 Social Security, Hutchinson (877) 846-8333
 Long Term Care Ombudsman, Stafford County..... (620) 225-2439
 Elder Hotline (legal assistance for elders)..... (888) 353-5337
 Kansas Legal Services, Hays (785) 625-4514
 Disability Resource Center..... (785) 273-9661
 Families Together (for families with children with disabilities in school)..... (620) 276-6364

Food

Stafford Meals on Wheels, Stafford	(620) 234-5208
First Christian Church, Stafford (food pantry).....	(620) 234-5449
Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (assistance, food, prescription).....	(620) 792-1393
Eldercare Inc, Great Bend.....	(620) 792-5942
Salvation Army, Great Bend	(620) 792-4299
Mom's Meals Nourish Care (www.momsmeals.com)	(877) 508-6667
Hungry Heart Soup Kitchen, Great Bend	(620)282-4014
Community Food Bank, Great Bend	(620)792-4001

Transportation

Salvation Army, Great Bend	(620) 792-4299
Catch-A-Ride, Great Bend	(620) 792-7797

Shelter

Homeless Shelters/Transitional Housing

United Way of Central KS, Great Bend, (housing assistance/help).....	(620) 792-2403
Salvation Army, Great Bend.....	(620) 792-4299
Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (housing assistance)	(620) 792-1393
VASH Voucher Program for Veterans.....	(620) 624-0280 x23
Homeless Veterans	(877) 223-8387

Rent & Utilities

Kansas Department for Children and Families, Great Bend (www.dcf.ks.gov).....	(620) 792-5324
United Way of Central KS, Great Bend, (financial assistance).....	(620) 792-2403
Salvation Army, Great Bend	(620) 792-4299
Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas, Great Bend (financial assistance).....	(620) 792-1393
Harvest America, Hays	(785) 746-4321
VASH Voucher Program for Veterans.....	(620) 624-0280 x23
LIEAP – Low Income Energy Assistance Program; http://www.dcf.ks.gov/services/ees/Pages/EnergyAssistance.aspx	

Landlord Issues

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

Housing

Stafford Housing Authority, Stafford.....	(620) 234-6929
Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (includes weatherization assistance)	(785) 217-2001
.....	www.kshousingcorp.org
Kansas Rural Development, Hutchinson	(316) 283-0370

Other Resources

Military/Veteran Employment<https://www.vetjobs.com>
[Kansas Commission on Disability Concerns \(KCDC\)](#) Choose “Life Resources” or “Youth” at top of page.