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Kansas City Mutual Aid Community Assistance Offers

[Feedin' Folks](#) - Feeding families a weekly healthy, fresh meal.

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GROCERIES/FOOD

FOOD PANTRIES

- Food Resources found by KCMA (hot meals, pantry hours, community meals) <https://tinyurl.com/KMCA-Food-Calendar>
- Find your local pantry thru [Harvesters](#) food assistance page.
- [Food resources in Eastern KS & Western MO](#) - list managed by Lauren Sobchak (lauren@madpmo.org)
- Community Services League [food pantries](#)
- [Bishop Sullivan Center](#) - Food pantry
 - 3936 Troost - (816) 561-8515
 - 6435 Truman Rd - (816) 231-0984
- Community Action Agency of Greater Kansas City - [Food & toiletry pantry directory](#) (Jackson, Platte, & Clay Counties)
- [HUNGR Games food news](#): Weekly video Thursdays 8pm on <http://the5iveradioxl.com/> and on Facebook

[Jewish Family Services](#)

- “Please let us help you stretch your food budget and connect you

with additional resources if you need them. Call 913.327.8250 to talk to someone at JFS about the resources that may be available for you.”

KC Farm School

- Pay-what-you-please farmers market
 - 4223 Gibbs Road, Kansas City, KS, 66106 (Wyandotte County)

St. Paul’s Episcopal Church

- “The St. Paul's Food Ministries are working to bring healthy food to all who need it. Our Food Pantry is open Tuesday and Friday mornings from 10:00 to noon, Wednesday evenings from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. In addition, we have The Emergency Food Assistance Program on the 3rd Saturday morning of every month, Meals on Wheels weekly, BackSnacks to distribute during the school year, and Senior Commodities boxes.”
 - 11 E 40th St, Kansas City, Missouri 64111
 - (816) 931-2850

Flora Crookhat’s farm: community-supported agriculture (CSA) program and online order deliveries.

- In April, Flora offered to bring a free or donation based weekly veggie box to anyone who is older or has underlying health conditions and has limited income. This offer stands, as of July 7th 2020. Email floraandthefarm@gmail.com to arrange.

EBT & WIC

The Family Support Division [extended food stamp benefits](#) for

recertification in March, April, and May by 6 months automatically.
Contact FSD with questions:

- 855-FSD-INFO (855-373-4636)
- mydss.mo.gov

If you need assistance applying for or understanding SNAP, contact Harvesters SNAP Outreach Line:

- 877-653-9522
- snap@harvesters.org

USDA Approves [Missouri SNAP Online Grocery Shopping](#) through Amazon and Walmart, start date to be announced.

WIC programs ([Kansas](#) and [Missouri](#)) are continuing benefits and processing new applications. "Physical presence requirements" have been waived in both states.

- In KS, visit the [WIC website](#) to find your local office.
- In MO, call 800-TEL-LINK (800-835-5465) or visit the [website](#) for qualifying, enrollment, & local office information.

FREE MEALS FOR KIDS

- [TAGS Free Lunch](#) is providing free lunches to children age 3-18 at pick up locations around Kansas City from 11am-12pm M-F. Visit the website to sign up for lunches.

[Children's Mercy Northland](#) participates in the USDA Summer Food Service Program and will provide free lunch to children ages 1-18 this the summer through August 7th.

- Visit or share the website www.childrensmercy.org/kidseatfree for information on all participating locations.



KIDS EAT FREE!

Sack Lunch and Allergy Free Lunch
M-F 11:30am-1pm
Fridays fresh bag of produce while supplies last

Children's Mercy Broadway
3101 Broadway Boulevard
Kansas City, MO 64111
Don Chisholm Building
610 E. 22nd Street
Kansas City, MO 64108

Meals for children ages 1-18;
Parent may take one meal
per child if child not present

Shelf Stable Meal

Children's Mercy East
M-F 12:30pm-3pm
20300 E. Valley View Parkway
Independence, MO 64057

Children's Mercy Northland
M-F 12pm-1pm
501 N.W. Barry Road
Kansas City, MO 64155

Fresh Sack Lunch
M-F 11:30am-1pm

Children's Mercy West
4313 State Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66102

NOW PARTNERING WITH KC PARKS AND RECREATION!

***WHILE SCHOOL IS OUT!**

FREE MEALS

OUR LOCATIONS:

- 1. KANSAS CITY NORTH COMMUNITY CENTER**
3950 N.E. ANTIOCH RD. KCMO 64117
12 PM-2PM
- 2. GREGG KLICE COMMUNITY CENTER**
1600 JOHN BUCK O'NEIL WAY
KCMO 64108
1 PM-3PM
- 3. SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY CENTER**
4201 E. 63RD. ST. KCMO 64130
12 PM-2PM

OPEN TO AGES 18 AND UNDER

HOT LUNCH AND SNACK TO-GO!

MONDAY-FRIDAY

NO SCHOOL ID REQUIRED!

STARTING MONDAY, MARCH 30, 2020

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Missouri House District 23

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CONTACT US AT (800) 825 0490

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International Progressive Ministries
The Justice & Dignity Center
2908 Indiana Kansas City, MO 64128

FEEDING KANSAS CITY

Breakfast 8am Lunch 12pm Dinner 5pm



Join International Progressive Ministries and the Justice & Dignity Center for breakfast, lunch, and dinner! We know it is tough in these times, but we are here to help. Beginning October 5, 2020 we will provide breakfast, lunch, and dinner EVERYDAY!

For more information contact Bishop Ernest Jefferson at 913-226-8481.

Helpful Information

Food Pantries

The Salvation Army	420 E Santa Fe, Olathe, KS 913-782-3640	M-T 9-11 and 1-3 F 9-11 closed on Wed and Thu
The Salvation Army at College Church of the Nazarene	2020 E Sheridan, Olathe, KS 913-489-6262	T-W-Th 9:30 - 12 and 1 - 3
First Christian Church	200 E Loula, Olathe, KS 913-764-3555	M-W-Th 9 - 12 Wed night 6:30 - 7:30
Fellowship Baptist	1325 S Ridgeview, Olathe, KS 913-563-2574	Call Fri 10:15am-11:30am for an appointment at noon. Bring a box or cloth bag for food
New Hope Food Pantry	13310 S Black Bob Rd, Olathe, 913-782-0955	M-T-W-Th-F 1pm-6pm
Catholic Charities	333 E Poplar, Olathe, KS 913-782-4077 9806 W 87 St, OP, KS 913-384-6608	M-T-W-Th-F 9am-4pm
Westside Church of the Nazarene	1700 W Santa Fe, Olathe, KS 913-764-1445	Every Sunday Evening: 5:30pm to register, stay for church service at 6pm, then pick up groceries after service is over
Central Church of Nazarene	12600 W 87 St, OP, KS 913-541-2600	W-Th 9-Noon
First Baptist Church of Stilwell	19950 Broadmoor Ln, Stilwell, 913-449-6601 Ext #1-Donna	M-F 2pm-4pm, Th 6pm-7pm Can come once a week
Village Presbyterian Church	9960 Mission Rd, OP, KS 913-671-2315	M-T-W-Th-F 9:30-2:30 Th 6pm-7:30pm Sat 10am-11:30am Bring Social Security card and proof of income
Shawnee Community Services	11110 W 87 St, Shawnee, KS 913-268-7746	M-T-W-Th-F 8am-5pm Sat 8am - 4pm Walk in for mostly bread products. Pantry box available by appointment.
Antioch church	5201 Antioch, Shawnee, KS 913-432-4300	T and Th 1p.m. - 4p.m.
Nexus Church Food Pantry	15101 College Blvd, Lenexa, KS 913-815-1228	M-T-W-Th 10am - 6pm Walk in or schedule on line at: https://Calendly.com/nexusfoodpantry
Southwood Christian Church	16110 Metcalf Ave, OP, KS 913-681-5100	Saturday 10a.m. to Noon
North Central MultiService Center	12425 W 87 St, OP, KS 913-715-6650	M-W 9:30 am to noon & 2:30-4:30 F 2:30 - 4:30 only
North East Multiservice Center-	6000 Lamar Ave, Shawnee, KS 913-826-5510	By Appointment Only
St Marks United Methodist	6422 Santa Fe Dr, Shawnee, KS 913-722-2310	M 9-11 and 5-7

Photo ID and proof of residency required at some pantries. Call the pantry if you have any questions.

Free Meals available at the following locations:

Day	Where	Time
Sunday	Olathe Downtown Library 201 E Park St	1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
Monday	Mill Creek Park, 320 E Poplar St, Olathe	5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
Tuesday	103 Park St, Olathe, KS (just west of the Olathe Library)	5:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Wednesday	Center of Grace, 520 Harrison, Olathe, KS	5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
Thursday	Center of Grace, 520 Harrison, Olathe, KS	5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
Friday	Olathe Downtown Library 201 E Park St	1:00 am to 12:30 pm
2 nd Sat of month only (+haircut)	134 S Clairborne Rd, Olathe, KS (Starfish)	10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Medical, Dental and Mental Health: Johnson County Health Partnership 407 S Clairborne Suite 104 Olathe, KS 66062 (913) 648-2266 Showers: The Salvation Army 913-782-3640 Mon through Friday 9am – 11am and 1pm – 3pm (no charge) The Community Center 1205 E Kansas City Road Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 971-8563 Single day pass: \$8/Olathe Residents \$9/non-residents Street Outreach: Community Resources/Shelter referrals/VAT Screening/other referrals Call Jenn @ 913-295-7067 Catholic Charities 333 E Poplar Olathe, KS 66061 913-782-4077 Pantry / Clothing / homeless case management/referrals/VAT screening at the Overland Park Location Johnson County Mental Health 1125 W. Spruce Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 826-4200 Mental health services / VAT screening at the Shawnee Location Center of Grace 520 Harrison Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 764-1353 Meals / Clothing Closet / High School Diploma classes / ESL classes	The Salvation Army 420 E Santa Fe Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 782-3640 Pantry/showers/VAT Screenings/referrals/showers Shelter for Johnson County Residents w/minor children application process – not a drop in shelter Mobile Integrated Health Care w/Olathe Fire Department (913) 334-8228 The Mobile Health Care will come to you! Starfish Project 134 S. Clairborne Rd, Suite B Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 839-8576 Day shelter / Hygiene products Interfaith Hospitality Network (913) 345-2121 Shelter for families – application process EMERGENCY SHELTER: 10/20 Shelter – drop in shelter The Branches Church 13020 S Black Bob Rd Olathe Open nightly from 7p.m. to 8:a.m. No admittance after 9:00 p.m. ☐ For Transportation Call Barb at 913-219- 3347 Helpful Websites and phone numbers: www.ridekc.org - the Jo and KC Me tro bus schedules www.myresourceconnection.org - local resource guide for a variety of needs Cypress Recovery: 913-764-7555 Johnson County Health Department: 913-477-8330 DFS/Food Stamps/Medical: 913-826-7300 SafeHome/Domestic Violence Shelter: 913-262-4559
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Social Security Office: 877-445-9978

CLOTHING

Material Resources found by KCMA (events related to clothes, pets, tools, school supplies...) <https://tinyurl.com/KCMA-Material-Calendar>



RENT & UTILITY BILL ASSISTANCE

[NATIONAL EVICTION MORATORIUM - JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI](#)
FAQ by [KC Tenants](#)

Douglas County, KS - [Housing Stabilization Collaborative rent assistance](#)

Shelter Resources found by KCMA (events related to housing, employment, safety, utilities)

<https://tinyurl.com/KCMA-Shelter-Calendar>

RENT ASSISTANCE

Community Services League [rent, mortgage, & utility assistance directory](#) & information guide

- CSL provides employment support, housing counseling, or financial coaching for any person regardless of income level or city of residence. Call to make an appointment. Check eligibility and prepare for a visit here:

<https://www.cslcares.org/eligibilityresources>

- 404 North Noland Road Independence, MO 64050 plus 9 more Jackson County locations
- 816.254.4100
- info@cslcares.org

[Housing Information Center - Rent](#)

- COVID-19 UPDATE: Calls are taken from 12pm-2pm each day.
- Services: Rent Payment Assistance
 - 3200 Wayne
 - Mohart Center
 - Kansas City, MO 64109
 - (816) 931-0443

[Cross-Lines Community Outreach](#)

- 736 Shawnee Ave, Kansas City, Kansas 66105. [\(913\) 281-3388](tel:9132813388). Provides rent & utility assistance, help with medication, re-housing, & case management. Wyandotte Co. residents.

[Northland Neighborhoods, Inc.](#)

- To receive RENT, MORTGAGE or UTILITY ASSISTANCE: You must be a resident of KCMO and live in Clay County. 4420 NE Chouteau Trafficway, Kansas City, Missouri 64117 | Phone: (816)

454-2000

Northland Assistance Center

- (Clay & Platte County residents): The NAC is a faith and community based collaborative providing emergency assistance services to Northland families living in Clay or Platte counties in Missouri. 2018 Gentry St. | 816-421-2243

Community Assistance Council - Utility And Rent Assistance ([Jackson, Clay, Platte](#)) ([Cass](#))

- COVID-19 UPDATE: For emergency rent or utilities assistance, call 816-763-3277 x 108 and leave a message.
- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance. Medication payment assistance.
 - 10901 Blue Ridge
 - Kansas City, MO 64134
 - (816) 763-3277 x108

Catholic Charities KCSJ - Emergency Assistance

- As of 1/7/21 there is an issue with the "I need help" section of the website. Probably best to call instead for now. (800) 875-4377
- Services: Dental Care Expense Assistance, Diapers, Electric Service Payment Assistance, Eye Care Expense Assistance, Food Pantries, Food Stamps/SNAP Applications, Formula/Baby Food, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Legal Counseling, Local Transit Passes, Personal/Grooming Supplies, Prescription Expense Assistance, Religious Literature Distribution, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance, Wheelchairs/Wheeled Mobility

- 4001 Blue Pkwy, Suite 250
- Kansas City, MO 64130
- (816) 221-4377

[Metro Lutheran Ministry](#) - Central - Emergency Assistance

- Services: Case/Care Management, Commodity Supplemental Food Program, Diapers, Electric Service Payment Assistance, Food Pantries, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Packed Lunches/Dinners, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance
 - 3031 Holmes
 - Kansas City, MO 64109
 - (816) 931-0027

[Della Lamb Community Services](#) - Emergency Assistance and Social Services

- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Food Pantries, Gas Service Payment Assistance, General Clothing Provision, Language Interpretation, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance
 - 500 Woodland Avenue
 - Kansas City, MO 64106
 - (816) 842-8040

[Grandview Assistance Program](#) - Emergency Services

- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Food Pantries, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Mortgage Payment Assistance, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance, Winter Clothing
 - 1121 Main St

- Grandview, MO 64030
- (816) 761-1919

Harrisonville Ministerial Alliance (Cass County residents)

- Can assist with utilities, rent or mortgage payments, motel vouchers, medicine and food. Call to check if funds are available.
 - (816) 380-3505
 - 1405 S. Commercial Street, Harrisonville, MO 64701

KCMO Emergency Rental Assistance Program

- For Rental Assistance (may provide other services too)
 - Greater Kansas City Housing Information Center (816) 931-0443
 - Guadalupe Center (816) 421-1015
 - Journey to New Life (816) 960-4808
 - Metro Lutheran Ministries (816) 285-3137 (North) | (816) 285-3139 (South)
 - Save, Inc. (816) 531-8340

Department of Social Services

- The Missouri Services Navigator has information on over 2,800 programs and services available in the state. Missourians in need of information on Low Income Home Energy Assistance program (LIHEAP), Food Stamp, Medicaid, Child Care Subsidy, or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families benefit programs can visit dss.mo.gov. Missourians can also apply for those services 24/7 online by visiting MyDSS.mo.gov, or sending completed applications and verification documents by email to

FSD.Documents@dss.mo.gov, or by fax to 573-526-9400.

ENERGY/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

[KCMO Emergency Utility Assistance Program](#)

- **City of Kansas City Missouri Tenant Rights/Evictions/Fair Housing Section** (information regarding rent/utility assistance and legal services for evictions)
 - (816) 513-3026 or **Contact Tiffany Drummer**
- **Heartland Center for Jobs & Freedom** (legal services for evictions) (816) 278-1092
- **Mattie Rhodes Center** (homeless prevention) (816) 471-2536
- **reStart Inc.** (homeless prevention, rapid rehousing) (816) 472-5664

[Missouri Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program \(LIHEAP\)](#)

- extended for those who have not yet applied. Low-income Missourians may also qualify for the Energy Crisis Intervention Program (ECIP) that helps pay fuel bills when a household's energy is shut off, threatened to be shut off, or if the household is in threat of disconnection, but may not have received a disconnection notice. Visit the [MO DSS website](#) for more information and to apply.

[Kansas Low Income Energy Assistance Program \(LIEAP\)](#)

- may reopen their application period. Visit the [KS DCF website](#) to apply.

[West Central Missouri Community Action Agency](#)

- (660) 476-2185. Case managers will offer referrals, applications to programs, and more. [Energy assistance application](#)

Salvation Army - [search by zip](#)

- Services: Air Conditioners, Burial/Cremation Expense Assistance, Case/Care Management, Electric Service Payment Assistance, Fans, Food Pantries, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Religious Literature Distribution, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance, Winter Clothing
 - Blue Valley location: 6618 E Truman Rd
 - Kansas City, MO 64126
 - (816) 241-6488

[Raytown Emergency Assistance Program](#)

- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Food Pantries, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Personal Financial Counseling, Rent Payment Assistance, Sewer Service Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance
 - 9300 E 75th St
 - Raytown, MO 64138
 - (816) 356-0054

[Kansas Lifeline Program- Cell Phones](#)

- Services: Lifeline connects low-income families and individuals to the services they need to live, learn, earn and participate fully in their communities.
- Phone and internet discounts of up to \$17.02 per month are available.

Missouri Lifeline Program- Cell Phones

- Services: Lifeline connects low-income families and individuals to the services they need to live, learn, earn and participate fully in their communities.
- Free cell phones may also be available.

Internet Access Support Program- Kansas City

- Services: This program is open to people who live in the greater KC region. It can help people of all ages:
 - Find affordable internet service
 - Pay off an old balance
 - Get caught up on your current internet service
 - Pay for internet service for six months

Community Services League - 39th Street

- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Food Pantries, Rent Payment Assistance, Winter Clothing
 - 14506 E 39th St
 - Christ United Methodist Church
 - Independence, MO 64055
 - (816) 254-8209
- Blue Springs
 - 200 SW 10th St
 - Blue Springs, MO 64015
 - (816) 229-0033
- Oak Grove
 - 1408 SE Austin St

- Oak Grove, MO 64075
- (816) 690-8213

OTHER ASSISTANCE

[Missouri Assistive Technology](#)

- Services: Programs provide individuals with appropriate assistive devices and additionally Missourians participate in training, receive AT demonstrations, borrow devices through our loan program, or receive AT guidance.

[PCs for People](#)

- Low-cost desktop & laptop computers, computer accessories
- Internet devices and subscriptions
- Computer repairs
- Digital learning
- Tax preparation assistance
- Individual electronics drop-off

[Bishop Sullivan Center - Troost - Emergency Assistance](#)

- Services: Electric Service Payment Assistance, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Rental Deposit Assistance, Rent Payment Assistance, Water Service Payment Assistance
 - 3936 Troost
 - Kansas City, MO 64110
 - (816) 561-8515

[SAVE, Inc.](#)

- Services: Low Income/Subsidized Private Rental Housing, Rent

Payment Assistance to people with HIV/AIDS, chronic mental illness, or substance abuse issues.

- PO Box 45301
- Kansas City, MO 64171
- (816) 531-8340

[Uriel E. Owens Sickle Cell Disease Association of the Midwest](#)

- Services: For persons with Sickle Cell Disease and their families. Disease/Disability Information, Electric Service Payment Assistance, Gas Service Payment Assistance, Local Transit Passes, Prescription Expense Assistance, Scholarships
 - 444 Minnesota Ave, Suite 300
 - Kansas City, KS 66101
 - (913) 735-2622

[Fosteradopt.org Family Advocacy](#) is for any foster, adoptive, relative, kinship, guardian, or bio parent involved in child welfare. We can do anything from answer questions to push for the client and child's best interests to be met. We serve folks from any agency in Kansas or Missouri. <https://www.fosteradopt.org/family-support/advocacy/>

FosterAdopt.org [Kinship Navigator](#) is specifically for relatives and kinship families. They help guide clients through the child welfare system and provide direct supports as well, from finding housing and furniture to paying bills.

<https://www.fosteradopt.org/family-permanency/kinship-navigator/>

HEALTHCARE

Health Resources found by KCMA (clinic hours, drive-thru events)

<https://tinyurl.com/KCMA-Health-Calendar>

COVID-19 RESOURCES AND TESTING

- [Kansas City Medical Resources during COVID-19](#) - RESOURCE DOC
- [Kansas City Metro Covid-19 Resource List](#) created by Emma Leigh Shanklain (elshankland@gmail.com)
- [Current COVID-19 Test Locations & Times](#) from KC CARE Health Center
- [GoGetTested](#) - enter “Kansas City” location to search for local test locations and get signed up
- [Wyandotte County test sites and more](#): all tests are really free!
- [Jackson County test sites and events](#): all tests are really free!

MEDICATIONS & SUPPLIES

- [Kansas City's Medicine Cabinet](#) - Providing short-term emergency medical assistance to those in need.
- Restored Images - Specializing in ostomy, wound care, compression and incontinence supplies; [816-454-2900](tel:816-454-2900)
- Center of Grace, Olathe: medical equipment/assistive devices available for a \$20 deposit. Call Melvin at [913-782-1631](tel:913-782-1631) or [913-764-1353](tel:913-764-1353) to arrange pickup.
- [Cross-Lines Community Outreach](#): 736 Shawnee Ave, Kansas City, Kansas 66105. [\(913\) 281-3388](tel:913-281-3388). Provides rent & utility assistance, help with medication, re-housing, & case management.
- For some medical purchases that you would normally buy over

the counter, if you have gov insurance and can contact a doctor for a prescription, the cost may be covered by insurance. List of covered over-the-counter products for MO HealthNet (website <https://dss.mo.gov/mhd/cs/pharmacy/>, download https://dss.mo.gov/.../pharmacy/pdf/otc_coveredproducts.pdf)

MEDICAL SERVICES

- [Sojourner Health Clinic](#) - free clinic thru UMKC. Students see patients every Sunday at Grand Ave Temple, 205 E 9th St, KCMO
- [KC Care Health Center](#)- Dedicated to providing quality care, access, research and education to the underserved and all people in our community - whether you have private insurance, Medicaid, Medicare or are uninsured.
- [Medicaid \(Mo HealthNet\)](#) - Health care services for low income and vulnerable citizens of the State of Missouri.
- [Medicare Counseling](#) (Shepherd's Center) - Medicare counseling helps individuals and families understand how to utilize Medicare and insurance to meet the changing needs of their lives.
- [Samuel U. Rodgers Health Center](#) - Health, wellness and education for the Kansas City community.
- [Visiting Physicians Association](#) - House call medicine and geriatric home health care.
- The [Kansas City Free Eye Clinic](#) helps low-income and homeless people in the metro area with access to preventive eye exams and glasses ensuring that sight-robbing eye disease and blurry vision don't prevent someone from taking advantage of every opportunity.

ACCESSIBILITY

- [Accessibility and Disability Resources](#) - KCMO strives to be one of the most welcoming and accessible cities in the nation for people with disabilities. They invite you to explore these web pages that showcase and promote accessibility and disability resources and information for city government, facilities, and local programs and organizations here in the Heart of America. Link includes: City ADA Compliance Information, City/State Services Requests, Independent Living Resources, Entertainment/Activity Resources, link to Nonprofit Agency Resources and the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities.
- For more information or for questions regarding Kansas City's ADA compliance, please contact the City's Director of ADA Compliance [Meg Conger](#) at [816-513-6589](tel:816-513-6589).
- [Community Assistance Council](#) - Empowering individuals to achieve self-sufficiency through the delivery of direct emergency assistance, education and advocacy.
- [Disabled On-street Parking Request Process](#) - Link to information on the KCMO 311 Action Center.
- United Seating and Mobility - Provider of mobility products; [\(816\) 761-2526](tel:816-761-2526).
- [KC Accessible](#): Helping families of the uniquely-abled access the resources available in KC and surrounding areas.

MENTAL HEALTH

- [NAMI](#): COVID-19 Resource and Information Guide from the National Alliance of Mental Health
- [Reconciliation Services](#) - social and mental health: essential social services, case management, and therapeutic services. 3101

Troost Ave., KCMO (31st St. side of building) | 816-931-4751 ext. 1 to make appt. | Mon - Thu: 9AM - 5PM, Fri 9-4, closed 1-2pm daily

- [Kansas City's Community Mental Health Centers](#) directory
 - [Sexual & Mental Health resources](#) (LGBTQ+)
 - [Wyandot Center's Crisis Clinic](#)- Wyandot Center is the designated community mental health center serving Wyandotte County, Kansas. We provide a comprehensive list of services, including individual and group therapy, psychiatric services, community support for those living with severe and persistent mental illness, crisis stabilization services, housing and employment support and resources, homeless outreach, and community education.
- Call 913-328-4600

HOUSING

- [Uplift Organization Inc](#): Community volunteers who hand out clothing and food to the houseless community.
- Free Hot Soup KC: The greater metro and local chapters can be found on Facebook. They provide food, medical and warming supplies, tents, blankets, and clothing to the houseless community.
- [COVID STREET SHEET](#): 2/3/21 Updated weekly for folks living on the street - drop-in centers, shower locations, restrooms & resources. Learn more [here](#). The download URL changes each week. Get an updated copy straight to your email by signing up [here](#).
- [Kansas City Regional Youth Transitional Living Programs Application](#) - a partnership between Drumm Farm, Hillcrest

Kansas, Hillcrest Platte County, reStart, Steppingstone, Synergy, and youthStart KS. This application allows youth who are struggling with homelessness to apply for one or more transitional living programs by completing the following questions. Youth will be added to waiting lists for each program that they choose.

- [Unoccupied buildings](#) (KCMO)
- Greater Kansas City Coalition to End Homelessness - [Resource Guide](#)



The flyer features a vertical image of a multi-story apartment building with blue balconies and railings. A large, bold, white text 'Homeless Housing Help' is overlaid vertically on the right side of the building image. To the left of this text, there is a yellow arrow pointing upwards. The flyer is titled 'HOMELESS HOUSING PROGRAM ACCESS Coordinated Entry System'. It includes a section 'WHAT IS COORDINATED ENTRY?' explaining the system's purpose. Below this is a 'HOW TO GET STARTED' section with four numbered steps: 01 Call, 02 Schedule, 03 Intake, and 04 Referral, each with a brief description and an icon. A 'WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?' section follows, detailing the next steps after a referral. At the bottom, there is a disclaimer and contact information for GKCCEH, including social media icons, the website URL, and a phone number.

HOMELESS HOUSING PROGRAM ACCESS
Coordinated Entry System

WHAT IS COORDINATED ENTRY?
The Coordinated Entry System (CES) facilitates the coordination and management of resources and services through our community's crisis response system. CES works to connect the highest need, most vulnerable persons in the community to available housing and supportive services equitably.

HOW TO GET STARTED:

- 01 Call**
Call 211 to complete an initial screening over the phone.
- 02 Schedule**
If eligible, you will receive a call or email to schedule a housing intake.
- 03 Intake**
Households still in-need of help after the intake will receive a full CE assessment and be placed on the community housing list.
- 04 Referral**
If a housing option is available, household is referred to a provider to begin the housing process.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?
Based on your discussion, the access site staff will help connect you with community resources and/or make a referral for housing based on resource availability.

••Please note that this is not a guarantee of housing assistance, nor is it program enrollment. It is strongly recommended that you continue to explore other housing opportunities

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DIAL UNITED WAY'S 211 FOR SCREENING & TO SCHEDULE INTAKE. QUESTIONS? EMAIL PROGRAMSTAFF@GKCCEH.ORG

- [Cross-Lines Community Outreach](#): 736 Shawnee Ave, Kansas City, Kansas 66105. [\(913\) 281-3388](#). Provides rent & utility assistance, help with medication, re-housing, & case management.
- [Community LINC](#) - Providing housing and supportive services for homeless families in Kansas City.
- [Hillcrest](#) - Helping families get back on their feet after homelessness.
- [Phoenix Family Housing](#) - Empowering people living in low-income housing communities with the on-site support they need to gain stability and achieve self-sufficiency.
- [Street Medicine KC](#) - Street Medicine KC provides medical and behavioral care to people living and sleeping on the streets while also working with clients in the clinic.

DO YOU NEED A PLACE TO CALL HOME?

NICE PRIVATE BEDROOMS
3 MEALS A DAY
CLEAN RESTROOMS
LAUNDRY FACILITIES
HELP WITH GRADUATION AND BEYOND
COUNSELING
CAREER, COLLEGE, AND PERMANENT HOUSING SOLUTIONS
ACTIVITIES, AND MORE!

- Are you a female in Wyandotte County with no place to call home?
- Are you between the ages of 16-24?
- If so, please call our hotline at 913-521-9951

Avenue of Life
"ending the cycle of poverty through community development"

KANSAS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

the footprint MISSION

EMERGENCY SHELTERS

- Emergency Shelter referral: Dial 211
 - Shelter Hotline: 816.474.4599
- [City Union Mission](#)
 - 1108 E. 10th Street, Kansas City, MO (men only)
816.474.9380
- City Union Mission Family Center: 816.474.9380 ext. 1460
- [PRIDE Haven](#) is a judgement-free drop-in center for all young adults, ages 18-24, who are facing homelessness.

DROP IN/SHOWERS ([STREET SHEET](#))

- [Cherith Brook Catholic Charity House](#)
 - 3308 E. 12th Street, Kansas City, MO 64127. (816.241.8047)
cherithbrookkcmo@gmail.com
- [Hope Faith Ministries](#)
 - 705 Virginia Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64106 (816.471.4673)
- [KC Rescue Mission](#)
 - 1520 Cherry Street, Kansas City, MO 64108 (men:
816.421.7643) (women: 816.348.3287)
- [Cross-Lines Community Outreach](#)
 - 736 Shawnee Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas 66105
(913.281.3388)
- [Swope Health Services](#)
 - 3801 Blue Parkway, Kansas City, MO 64130 (816.474.9380)
- [City Union Mission Family Center](#)
 - 1310 Wabash Ave, Kansas City, MO 64127 (816.474.9380 ext.
1460)
- [Frank Williams Resource Center](#)
 - 1201 N. 7th Street, Kansas City, KS 66101 (913.233.3329)

- [Salvation Army](#)
 - Grandview: 816.966.8300
 - Independence: 816.242.3200
- [re-Start, Inc.](#) - 816.472.5664
- [True Light Ministries](#)
 - 816.381.9310 (women only)

BABY & CHILD CARE

- [Missouri Department of Social Services](#) - Child care services provide reimbursement to parents or direct payment to eligible child care providers. The purpose of the program is to assist families with child care expenses to allow the parents to work or to attend school or training programs.
- Material Resources found by KCMA (events related to clothes, pets, tools, school supplies...)

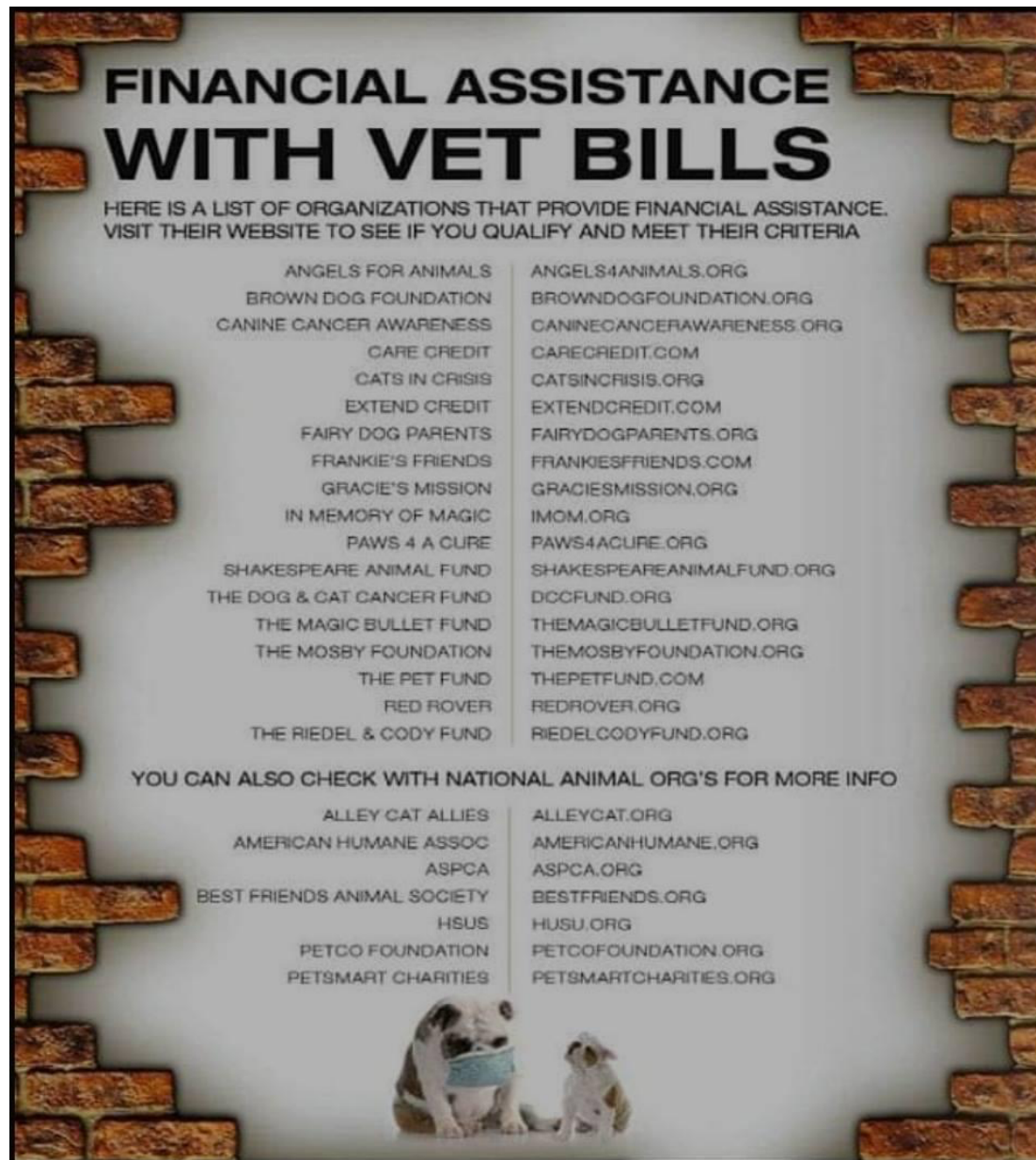
<https://tinyurl.com/KCMA-Material-Calendar>
- [Happy Bottoms](#) - Kansas City's Diaper Bank. Our mission: working with our partners to provide diapers to low-income families through donations, both financial and in-kind while raising awareness of the need for diapers.
- [Sleepyhead Beds](#) - Sleepyhead Beds improves the quality of life for children and their families by providing clean, recycled beds and bedding. And we contribute to the health and environment of our community by sanitizing beds and keeping them out of landfills.
- [Sleep in Heavenly Peace](#) - We build and deliver new twin sized beds to families who have children sleeping on the floor or in

other uncomfortable situations. If you or a family you know are need you can request a bed at the link below. We have beds ready to go! <https://www.shpbeds.org/request-free-twin-bed>

- [Smiles Change Lives](#) - Smiles Change Lives (SCL) promotes increased self-esteem and improved oral health for children from low-income families in need of orthodontic treatment. Our goal is to help families, who cannot afford the full cost of braces, secure treatment for their children by connecting them with orthodontic providers willing to donate their services to deserving patients.
- [Uzazi Village](#): 4232 Troost Kansas City, MO 64110. [816-541-3718](tel:8165413718). Free clothes closet for infant/toddler including diapers. Childbirth & parenting classes.
- [Jewish Family Services](#): Diapers available in food pantry (as of 6/2020, by appointment) 913.327.8250 | <https://www.jfskc.org>
- [Childcare for essential employees from the YMCA](#): The Y is offering child care for children of essential employees during the coronavirus pandemic at several locations in the metro. Free YMCA summer programs, including essential child care and YMCA Summer Day Camp, are available to employees of select health care and behavioral health organizations, thanks to scholarship funding from the Health Forward Foundation. | [PDF application](#)

PETS/PET SUPPLIES

- [Pet Resource Center Kansas City](#) (1116 E. 59th Street Kansas City, MO 64110): Low cost vaccinations and spay/neuter, food pantry, mobile vet visits (house calls) for homebound/transportation-limited people, and pet supplies.
“We can also subsidize the cost of services -- we work one-on-one with people to make services accessible/affordable.”
- Material Resources found by KCMA (events related to clothes, pets, tools, school supplies...)
<https://tinyurl.com/KCMA-Material-Calendar>
- [The Rescue Project](#) - can help with pet food & supplies delivery
- [Wayside Waifs](#) - has a program that provides pet food to families in need; services may vary during COVID
 - 3901 Martha Truman Road,
 - Kansas City, MO 64137
 - 816-761-8151



CASH/MATERIAL ASSISTANCE

- [St. Mary's Urban Necessities Project](#)- Offering non-food necessities including toiletries and household items.

- [Midwest Special Needs Trust](#) (211 listing) [Midwest Special Needs Trust](#) (website)- Grants and financial planning for people with disabilities in Missouri
- [Missouri Restaurant Association Workers Benefit Fund](#) - Grants for restaurant workers in Missouri
- [Support for Service Workers](#) - Grants for tipped workers and service workers across the US
- [KCMO Mutual Aid Collective](#) fund - direct financial aid for groceries & medications.
- [Wyandotte County Mutual Aid](#) group
- [Kansas City Heroes](#) - pay it forward group
- [Adopt a Server](#) - KC: FB group to provide assistance for essentials thru Amazon to people whose income was impacted by COVID-19
- [The Merry Outlaw](#): This grassroots program is available to serve Greater Kansas City residents whose income streams have been impacted by the Covid-19 crisis. We encourage residents who have jobs that have remained relatively stable to support these requests if possible.
- [Kansas City Radical Solidarity Fund](#): The Kansas City Radical Solidarity Fund will use public donations to help those deeply affected by the COVID-19 outbreak. We will prioritize helping Black, brown, LBGTQIA+, undocumented persons, persons with disabilities, and persons from otherwise marginalized communities. The fund will pay rent and bills directly to their collector, and will purchase gift cards for other types of expenses.
- Topeka:
 - [Everything FREE group](#)

- [Topeka Mutual Aid](#) page
- [Topeka KS Community Aid](#) group
- Lawrence:
 - [Lawrence Mutual Aid Network](#) page
 - [Pay it forward](#) group
 - [Lawrence KS - Pay it forward](#) (2) group
 - [Neighbors helping neighbors](#) group
 - [Douglas county daycare providers & babysitters](#) group

TRANSPORTATION

- MISSOURI STATEWIDE Transportation Services Catalog can be found [HERE](#).
- [The Church of the Resurrection](#): Car Repair Ministry
 - Members: contact [Jennifer Creagar](#) or call 913-544-0739.
 - If you are not a member and need car repairs, contact [Roberta Lyle](#) or call 913-544-0254.
- [Flex Service](#) - Flexible, on-demand bus service that operates like a taxicab for the same cost as fixed-route service in a set boundary.
- [IndeBus](#) - Bus system in Independence, Missouri.
- [KCATA](#) - The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA) is a public transit agency in metropolitan Kansas City. It operates the Metro Area Express (MAX) bus rapid transit service in Kansas City, Missouri, and 69 local bus routes in seven counties of Missouri and Kansas.

- [RideKC Freedom](#) - Transportation program that provides specialized origin to destination service for individuals whose disability prevents them from independently using fixed-route bus service.
- [ZTrip](#) - KC Metro Area - wheelchair accessible vehicles available, for those that may or may not need assistance with getting in and out of the vehicle. Their prices are the same for these vehicles.

LEGAL RESOURCES

[Missouri Free Legal Answers](#): Free legal forms and assistance.

[Kansas Legal Services](#): free legal forms & assistance. [913-621-0200](#)

[Legal Aid of Western Missouri](#): 816-474-9868, [CARES Act hotline](#) (includes unemployment questions) 1-800-990-2907 | M-F 9 am-4 pm

HOUSING

- [KC Tenants](#): Report incidents related to housing, homelessness, eviction, & COVID-19

VIOLENCE/ABUSE

- Metro Hotline: 816-HOTLINE/ [816-468-5469](#).
- National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-SAFE/
[1-800-799-7233](#).
- [Metropolitan Organization to Counter Sexual Assault \(MOCSA\)](#) - Therapy, support and advocacy for victims of rape and sexual assault, for sexually abused children and families, for adult survivors of child sexual abuse, and for others touched by

sexual violence.

- [New House](#) - Working to break the cycle of domestic violence by providing the tools which allow women to make positive choices and lead self-sufficient lives.
- [Rose Brooks](#) - Emergency shelter to women and children escaping life-threatening abuse.
- [Synergy Services](#) - Safe place for victims of violence, to empower survivors to rise above their circumstances and to educate the entire community.

IMMIGRATION

- [National Immigration Legal Services Directory \(MO\)](#)
- [National Immigration Legal Services Directory \(KS\)](#)
- [AIRR \(Advocates for Immigrant Rights & Reconciliation\)](#) - KC resources for immigrants, refugees, and asylum seekers during shutdown. Contact Angela Ferguson at 913-608-7742.
- [Immigrant Justice Advocacy Movement](#) 3801 Strong Ave., Kansas City, KS 66106. Phone: 816-560-4616. Executive Director: [Laurie Anderson](#)
- [Refugee & Immigrant Services & Empowerment \(RISE\)](#) connects immigrant populations with the quality services, resources and lifelong learning opportunities of the Library through outreach, education, and advocacy. 816.701.3766 or [email](#)

LGBT

- [Lambda Legal Missouri](#)
- [Lambda Legal Kansas](#)