

## FINANCIAL

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### **Kansas Department for Children and Families (DCF)**

616 Brown Ave

Osawatomie, KS 66064

Phone: 913-755-2162

Website: <http://www.dcf.ks.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

#### **Description:**

The Kansas Department for Children and Families (DCF) provides a number of services formerly offered by SRS. These include public benefit programs such as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), formerly known as the Food Stamp Program, and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). DCF oversees protective services for children and vulnerable adults. Vocational rehabilitation services encompass assessment of vocational skills, development of plans for employment, and arrangement for services to become employed. Disability determination services are available. The department is also responsible for determining Medicaid eligibility.

**Contact info:** Deb Miller

### **Kansas Legal Assistance Office**

400 State Ave., Suite 1015

Kansas City, KS 66101

Phone: 913-621-0200

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

#### **Description:**

Kansas Legal Services is a statewide non-profit organization with office locations throughout the state. It provides civil legal advice and representation at a reduced cost to income eligible individuals. Services may be impacted by the type of need (priority) and the agency's available funding at the time.

**Contact info:** Kim Sharitz

### **Miami County ECKAN Community Center**

1004 S. Pearl, Ste. 18

Paola, KS 66071

Phone: 913-294-5130

Website: [http://eckan.org/community\\_centers/miami.html](http://eckan.org/community_centers/miami.html)

#### **Description:**

East Central Kansas Economic Opportunity Corporation (ECKAN) assists survivors of TBI and/or caregivers in identifying available resources that will enable individuals and families to attain critical skills, knowledge and attitudes to achieve self-sufficiency. ECKAN in Miami County provides case management, food commodities, weatherization services, Section 8 Housing, budgeting assistance, and offers career counseling for those looking for employment or advancement.

**Contact info:** Brandi Lopez, Human Services Coordinator, [blopez@eckan.org](mailto:blopez@eckan.org)

**Working Healthy Program**

Pittsburg SRS Service Center

320 South Broadway

Pittsburg, KS 66762

Phone: 620-231-5300, ext. 330

Website: <http://www.kdheks.gov/hcf/workinghealthy/index.htm>

**Description:**

Working Healthy (WH) is a Kansas Medicaid Buy-In insurance program for persons with disabilities. The WH program allows people with disabilities to return to or increase their work effort without losing critical Medicaid coverage. The WORK (Work, Opportunities, Reward, Kansas) program provides personal assistance and other services for consumers eligible for Working Healthy whose functional limitations would otherwise make them eligible for the Developmental Disability, Physical Disability or Traumatic Brain Injury waivers.

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