



Barton County

Parent Resource Sheet

Average Cost of Child Care

Age Group	Family Child Care	Child Care Center	School Age Program Day Shift	Preschool
	Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Weekly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Monthly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
Under 1 year	107.00	128.00		
12-17 months	108.00	100.00		
18-23 months	97.00	100.00		
2 years	97.00	98.00		
3 years	97.00	95.00		
4 years	97.00	95.00		
5 years	93.00	95.00		
6 years and older	95.00	95.00		

Parenting Information

Resource	Contact	Contact Information
Parents as Teachers (PAT)	USD 428 Great Bend Parents as Teachers	(620)793-1518 Usd428.net
Infant-Toddler Services (Tiny-k)	Sunflower Early Education Center, Sunflower Diversified Services	(620)792-4087 Sunflowerdiv.com/Early Education.htm
Head Start	CDI Serving South Central Kansas	(620)241-2000
Screening Services	Sunflower Early Education Center, Sunflower Diversified Services	(620)792-4087 Sunflowerdiv.com/Early Education.htm
Mental Health Services	Center for Counseling and Consultation	(620)792-2544 Thecentergb.com



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Local Community Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
Department for Children and Families Services	www.dcf.ks.gov	Child care assistance, child support enforcement, food assistance, Successful Families Program, health services, and more.
Health Department	Barton County Health Department 1300 Kansas Avenue, Suite B Great Bend, KS 67530 www.bartoncounty.org	Health assessments, home health, child care licensing, clinical services, immunizations, Kan-Be-Healthy (Medicaid program for children, teenagers, and young adults), Women, Infants & Children (W.I.C.) supplemental food program, and more.
K-State Research & Extension Office (Local Agent)	(620)793-1910 www.ksre.ksu.edu	Nutrition education, youth development, family financial planning, family life, healthy living, and more. <i>Services vary by county, please call your county agent for details.</i>
American Red Cross of Central and Western Kansas (Local Chapter)	(316)219-4000 www.redcross.org/ks/	Community services that help the needy, support for military members and families, educational programs that promote health and safety, blood collection, and more.
Great Bend Public Library Hoisington Public Library	(620)792-2409, Greatbendpl.info (620)653-4128, hoisingtonks.org/Hoisington-public-library.htm	Books, Classes, community information, internet access, children's programs, adult programs, and more. <i>Services vary by location; please contact your local library for details.</i>
Barton County Emergency/Risk Management	(620)793.1919 Bartoncounty.org	Provides information on how to prepare for a disaster or an emergency.
Great Bend Regional Hospital	(620)792-8833 Gbreional.com	Resource for health care needs, Heartland's Women and Children Center; physical, occupational, speech therapy; pharmacy; emergency; urgent care; more.
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Barton and Pawnee County	(620)797-5005 Barton.kansasbig.org	Helps boys and girls through long-term personal relationships

State/National Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
KanCare	(866) 305-5147 www.kancare.ks.gov	Low cost or no cost health insurance for families and children
United Way 2-1-1 of Kansas	Call 2-1-1 www.211kansas.org	Food pantries, counseling, mentoring, after-school programs, disability services and much more
Parent Help Line (Kansas Children's Service League – Healthy Families)	(800) 244-5373	A 24-hour help line for parents in stress or in need of other services
Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline	(800) 922-5330	If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected, please call
Kansas Resource Guide	www.ksresourceguide.org/	Collaborative effort to connect consumers and service providers with resources and services for women, infants, children, youth, and people with disabilities in Kansas.



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