



Elk 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	90.00			
12-17 months	90.00			
18-23 months	97.00			
2 years	97.00			
3 years	97.00			
4 years	97.00			
5 years	97.00			
6 years and older	97.00			

Parenting Information

Resource	Contact	Contact Information
Parents as Teachers (PA T)	USD 282 West Elk Parents as Teachers	(800)554-3412 westelk.us
Infant-Toddler Services (Tiny-k)	Southeast KS Birth to Three Program, Southeast KS Education Service Center	(620)249-7149 Greenbush.org/early-learning.html
Head Start	SEK-CAP	(620)724-8204 Sek-cap.com
Mental Health Services	Four County Mental Health	(620)331-1748 Fourcounty.com
Developmental Screening	West Elk Schools Special Services	(620)374-2113



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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.
Elk County Health Department	(620)374-2277 127 N. Pine Street Howard, KS 67349 Elkcountyks.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)	Rolling Prairie District 8 (620)374-2174 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 Midway Kansas (Local Chapter)	(316)219-4000 www.redcross.org	Community services that help the needy, support for military members and families, educational programs that promote health and safety, blood collection, and more.
Howard City Library Moline Public Library	(620)374-2890, howardlibrary.org (316)647-8178	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>
Elk County Emergency Management	(620)374-3597 Elkcountyks.org	Provides information to prepare for a disaster or an emergency.
Community Access Center	(620)331-5115 Communityaccesscenter.com	Food basket program, short term financial assistance, Salvation Army, Kansas Children's Service League
Safe Kids Montgomery and Elk County	(620)332-1912 Safekids.org/coalition/safe-kids-montgomeryelk-county	Educate families, provide safety devices to families in need, advocate for better laws to help keep children safe and healthy.

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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