



Resources for Family Caregivers

Community Care Coalition

A non-profit organization that offers free resources, programs, and advocacy for caregivers who deal with ongoing chronic illness. Serves the entire Kansas City area and functions as a partnership of many agencies whose focus is on the family caregiver.
3756 West 95th Street • Leawood, KS 66206
913-649-2121

National Family Caregiver's Association

The National Family Caregivers Association (NFCA) exists to support family caregivers and to speak out publicly for caregivers' needs. Website offers support, access to resources, education and information.
800-896-3650 • www.nfcacares.org

Skill Builders

Education and support for widows, widowers and caregivers
913-649-1265

Turning Point

Helps individuals who are ill and their families, understand, prepare for and respond to the physical & emotional changes brought on by illness; classes, support groups, community outreach, etc.
913-649-7555.

American Red Cross

Home Care: Skills for the Family Caregiver; *a course that teaches lay caregivers proper skills and techniques to help safely care for a family member or friend in the home. Through discussion and practicing skills on a mannequin, participants learn about safety, infection control, personal care, positioning and transferring, physical conditioning and self care for the caregiver.*
816-931-6662 x7030 • www.kcredcross.org

Strokes of Support

A non profit organization that offers free programs throughout the Kansas City area for stroke survivors and their family members.
913-649-7555

Cancer Action

Assists cancer patients and their caregivers by providing direct services and education, is an independent, non-profit agency serving the Greater Kansas City metropolitan area, promotes prevention and early detection.
13905 E 39th St • Independence, MO
816-350-8881 • 913-321-8880 • www.canceractionkc.org

Alzheimer's Association • Heart of America Chapter

Main Office: 913-831-3888 or 800-733-1981
Hosts multiple support groups, education classes for families and others, and is involved with advocacy efforts to improve quality of life for those with Alzheimer's disease and their families. 3846 West 75th St • Prairie Village, KS 66208
800-733-1981 Helpline • 913-831-3888 or 800-733-1981 Main Office • 913-831-1916 Fax
913-831-0003 or 888-293-8636 • www.alz-heartofamerica.org • www.kcalz.org

Mid-America Regional Council • Department of Aging

300 Rivergate Center • 600 Broadway • Kansas City, MO 64105-9990
816-474-4240 • 816-421-7758 • 800-593-7948 • www.marc.org



Midwest Geriatric Care Managers Association

A Chapter of the National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers (GCM)

An association of professional practitioners whose purpose is the development, advancement, and promotion of humane and dignified social, psychological, and health care for the elderly and their families through counseling, treatment, and the delivery of concrete services by qualified, certified providers. GCM is committed to working towards the highest quality of care for the elderly and their families through education, advocacy, and high standards of professional practice.

www.midwestgcm.org

AARP

AARP Missouri State Office

700 W 47th St • Suite 110 • Kansas City, MO 64112
888-389-5627 • 816-561-3107 Fax

AARP Kansas State Office

555 S Kansas Ave • Suite 201 • Topeka, KS 66603
866-448-3619 • 785-232-8259 Fax

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Kansas • Meals on Wheels

Johnson County Area Agency on Aging • 913-477-8120
