Who do I contact for Caregiver services?

To find out more about the available Caregiver services in your area call:

Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging

CHEYENNE
DECATUR
ELLIS
GRAHAM
GOVE
LOGAN
NORTON
OSBORNE
PHILLIPS

RAWLINS
ROOKS
RUSSELL
SHERIDAN
SHERMAN
SMITH
THOMAS
TREGO
WALLACE

(785) 628-8204 Or 1-800-432-7422

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The Caregiver Support Program

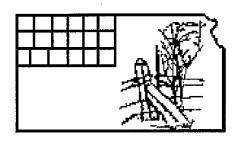
is administered by the Northwest Kansas Area Agency

on Aging, Inc.,

serving the following counties in

northwest Kansas:

Caregiver Support Program



"Serving 18 counties in Northwest Kansas"

Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging

510 W. 29th St., Ste. B P.O. Box 610 Hays, Kansas 67601

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Family Caregiver Program



Do you or someone you know provide care for an older loved one?

The Older Americans Act established what is called the National Family Caregiver Support Program (NFCSP), to provide services to our nations caregivers.

For the purpose of the program the definition of a CAREGIVER is: "an adult family member or another individual who is an informal provider of inhome and community care to an older individual."

Eligibility Requirements for the Caregiver Support Program:

The care receiver must be 60 years of age or older and a need for assistance must exist.

Priority for services will be given to older individuals with the greatest social and economic need, with particular attention to low income older individuals.



Caregiver The Support Program services that are available through the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging are as follows:

Information to caregivers about available services

Assistance to caregivers in gaining access to services

Caregiver Training on various topics of importance to family caregivers

Respite Care to enable caregivers to be temporarily relieved from their caregiving responsibilities.

Supplemental Services to complement the care provided by caregivers. Attendant and/ or personal care, bathroom items, chore services, homemaker, nutrition counseling, repair/maintenance/renovation.