

Resources for Parents

Emergency/Crisis

1. **Crisis Center Hotline** Junction City: 762-8835; OR 1-800-727-2785 (both answered 24/7)
Hotlines, Crisis interventions, food and shelter, referrals, support groups, etc.
2. **Pawnee Mental Health Services** 762-5250 (after hours emergency: 1-800-609-2002)
Provides a range of outpatient services for children, adolescents and adults experiencing emotional, mental health, or substance use issues.

Vocational/Educational

1. **Junction City Workforce Center** 762-8870
Services for career seekers and workers who have disabilities
2. **Geary County Learning Center** 223-6691
Adult Diploma Completion Center
Also check out: <http://www.jclib.org/adult%20education.htm>
3. **Dorothy Bramlage Library** 238-4311
Tutoring, books, audiobooks/ebooks, adult programs, child programs, book discussions
2014 Community Information Directory:
<http://www.jclib.org/Community%20Information%20Directory%202014.pdf>
4. **K-State Research and Extension** Geary County & Fort Riley 238-4161
Classes for families on health, nutrition, parenting and family life as well as classes on horticulture, agriculture, natural resource management, etc.

Children, Childcare, and Parenting

5. **Boys and Girls Club** USD 475: 717-4900
Before and after-school programs for children in Kindergarten through 12th grade
6. **Child Care Aware** 357-5171 or 1-800-279-2372
Child care resources and referrals
7. **Geary County Infant Toddler Services** 717-4130
Early intervention services for infants and toddlers from birth to age 3, with special needs
8. **Parents as Teachers** 717-6910
Trained educators offer suggestions for learning activities for birth to age 5, provide various screenings as early as 2 months, and provide agency referrals if needed. Free to all families in USD 475.
9. **Fort Riley Child, Youth, and School Services (CYSS)** 239-9885 and
School Age Service (SAS) 239-9220
Supports military readiness by reducing the conflict between a Soldier's mission requirements and his or her parental responsibilities through programs for children
10. **Delivering Change** 238-0301
Resources, courses, and information for new and expecting mothers
11. **Parent Help Line** 800-245-3736
A 24-hour help line for parents

Children, Childcare, and Parenting (cont.)

12. **Geary County Health Department** 762-5788

Immunization, family planning, STD and HIV/AIDS screening, women infant and children (WIC) services, Junction City Youth clinic (JCYC) services, physicals, etc.

13. **Modern Parenting Initiative** 238-4161 (located at the Geary County Extension Office)

Quarterly Strengthening Families 7-17 class offered for families desiring to build the family unit through improving communication, showing respect, establishing boundaries, and spending intentional quality time together.

Housing, Food, Clothing

14. **Open Door** 238-3599

Temporary lodging, food and necessities for individuals and families who lack adequate housing

15. **Junction City Community Partnership** 238-4428

Free clothing and food, free basic medical care, free chiropractic care, free case management, assist with referrals, civil education, and training

16. **Junction City DCF Service Center** 762-5445

General Assistance (medical benefits for persons who are disabled), food assistance, and energy assistance

17. **Junction City First United Methodist Church** 238-2156

Emergency food pantry services available weekly Tuesday thru Friday from 9am-3pm.

18. **Junction City Housing Authority** 238-5882

Administers both a public housing and Section 8 housing voucher program. The housing authority owns and manages 118 affordable rental units

Check out: http://www.lowincomehousing.us/KS/junction_city.html

19. **Wheels of H.O.P.E.** 717-4581

Families with children enrolled in USD 475 must call to be screened by the coordinator of the McKinney-Vento program to receive food assistance. Ask for Marty Rombold.

20. **House of Hope** 762-4402

Provides clothing and some furniture to people of any age

Arts and Recreation

21. **YMCA**, Junction City 762-4780

Recreational activities, youth sports, fitness, swimming pool, and other programs

22. **Opera House** 238-3906

High quality arts and cultural entertainment

23. **12th Street Community Center** 238-PLAY (7529)

<http://www.junctioncity-ks.gov/pView.aspx?id=1686&catid=2>

Recreation facilities, exercise classes, adult learning opportunities, child classes, etc.