



*Caring for
someone's
child?*

KINSHIP NAVIGATOR

What is kinship care?

Kinship care refers to a temporary or permanent arrangement in which a grandparent or relative is responsible for the full-time care of a child.

What is Kinship Navigator?

Kansas Children's Service League's (KCSL) Kinship Navigator is designed to help meet the needs of grandparents, relatives or family friends raising children. This program provides a case manager dedicated to connecting caregivers with the services and benefits needed to care for the children in their home, helping them overcome the issues and barriers they may face when parenting the second time around.

How do I receive Kinship Navigator services?

Kinship Navigator is offered to grandparents, relatives or family friends in the Wichita area who are raising children and need help and guidance in parenting.

All services are FREE and confidential.

Common Kinship Caregiver Concerns

- Loss of freedom
- Change in lifestyle
- Increased financial obligations
- Exhaustion and health problems
- Frustration with social services and the courts
- Child-rearing challenges
- Difficulty finding child care and professional help
- Anger towards the child's parents
- Feelings of guilt
- Legal issues

For more information, call KCSL at 316-942-4261.



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