

FOOD BANKS & PANTRIES/MEALS TOPEKA LISTING

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CLIENT TRACK Agencies: Upon receiving food assistance from any designated agencies, a mandatory 60-day waiting period will be in effect before clients are eligible to seek assistance from the same provider or any other agency within the Client Track system.

PANTRIES:

ORGANIZATION NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	DAYS & TIMES
Catholic Charities of NE KS (Apricot) - Picture ID required - Monthly assistance	234 S. Kansas Avenue	785-233-6300	Mon, Tues & Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Wednesday 12:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.
Doorstep (Client Track) Clothing Bank (Tuesday & Friday)	1119 SW 10 th Avenue	785-357-5341	<u>Clothing:</u> Tues, Wed & Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M. <u>Food Intake:</u> Mon 10:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M. Tues – Fri 9:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.
Breadbasket Food Pantry (Client Track) No ID is needed	708 SE Lime Street	785-438-8850 785-354-7262	Mon, Wed, Fri 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
I Care (Client Track) - Serving neighbors who reside south of 6th St. & east of KS Ave. - A current piece of mail with the date showing the current address. - Social security card for each household member	2914 SE Michigan Avenue	785-267-5910	Mon – Fri 8:30 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.
Let's Help (Client Track) - Picture ID - Social security card for each household member	245 SW MacVicar Avenue	785-234-6208	<u>Food Boxes:</u> Mon, Wed , Fri 9:00 A.M. – 11 A.M. & 1:00 P.M. – 2:30 P.M. Friday

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			9:00 A.M. – 11 A.M.
Salvation Army (Client Track) - Name - Picture ID - Date of Birth	1320 SE 6 th Avenue	785-233-9648	<u>Pantry:</u> Mon, Wed & Friday 9:00 A.M. – 11 A.M. & 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. (A small amount of food, enough for a couple of days.) <u>TEFAP:</u> Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 11 A.M. & 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. (Ideally enough food to last 30 days. Available every 30 days.) Friday 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
Topeka Rescue Mission (Client Track) - Picture ID - Social security card for each household member	Distribution Center: 401 NW Morris	N/A	<u>Food Boxes:</u> Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 2 P.M. (This is a drive-thru at the NW end of the building.)
Boys & Girls Clubs of Topeka Name & Number of household members	Teen Center: 1112 SE 10 th Avenue	785-234-5601	Teen Center: 2 nd & 4 th Wed 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Bods Feeding Bods Washburn University's food and commodities pantry.	Kuehne Hall Room 101	785-670-1950 For more information or to make an appointment, please contact the LinC	Fall and Spring Semester Monday – Saturday 1:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

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The services of the pantry are available to any member of the Washburn community with an active i-card.		Office (Benton Hall 208).	
East Topeka Senior Center (Harvesters Commodity Distribution) Application submission & approval	432 SE Norwood Street	785-232-7765	Monday – Friday 10:00 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.
Family of God Church – Randel Ministries	1231 NW Eugene Street	785-234-1111	2 nd & 4 th Thursday 10:30 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. (1 visit every 30 days)
The Topeka Public Schools Community Cupboard The cupboard is a food, clothing, and hygiene pantry for all students and families in the USD 501 school district. To access, please contact your student's school counselor or social worker.	Your student's school.	Various	Please contact your student's school counselor or social worker.
Southside Filling Station	455 SE Golf Park Blvd	785-783-2535	Thursdays from 3:30 – 7:30 pm

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MOBILE FOOD PANTRIES:

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Angel Wings	2801 SE Indiana Avenue	785-766-3924	3 rd Thu, 4:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.
First Christian Church	1880 SW Gage Boulevard	785-272-4290	1 st Mon, 1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.
First Presbyterian	817 SW Harrison Street	785-233-9601	2 nd Wed, 5:00 P.M. 4 th Fri, 11:00 A.M.
Town & Country Christian Church	<u>KS Neurological Institute</u> 3107 SW 21 st Street	785-272-9009	1 st Thu, 9:30 A.M. – until the food runs out
Robinson Middle School	1125 SW 14 th Street	785-295-3770	1 st Fri, 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Trinity Presbyterian Church	4746 SW 21 st Street	785-633-5491	2 nd Mon, 12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Central Topeka Turnaround Team	<u>Stormont Vail Event Center</u> 1 Expocentre Drive South parking lot	785-234-2883 or 785-215-0205	2 nd Tue 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.
Jardine Middle School	2600 SW 33 rd Street	785-274-6330	2 nd Sat, 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.
Hope House Ministries	939 NE Oakland Avenue	785-232-0142	2 nd Sat, 1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.
Community Resources Council, Inc. • First name • Zip code • # of children, adults, and seniors in the household.	Avondale East NET Center 455 SE Golf Park Boulevard	785-233-1365	3 rd Fri, 3:00 P.M. - until the food runs out
St. John African American Methodist Episcopal Church	701 SW Topeka Boulevard	785-233-3656	3 rd Sat, 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. No mobile distributions Nov - Feb
Bread of Life	234 SE Lime Street	785-925-6412	Sunday 1:30 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.
The Salvation Army	1320 SE 6 th Street	785-233-9648	Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. & 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.
RMI, Randel Ministries, Inc.	1231 NW Eugene	785-234-1111	2 nd & 4 th Thursday 10:30 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

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Capitol City School	Hummer Park Football Field 500 SW Tuffy Kellogg Drive (East Parking Lot)	N/A	4 th Friday 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.
Topeka First Free Methodist Church	3450 SE Indiana Avenue	785-266-6610	4 th Sat, 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. <u>Distributions:</u> <i>Jan, March, May, July, Sep & Nov</i>
Indiana Avenue Church of Christ	3510 SE Indiana Avenue	785-266-7788	4 th Sat, 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. Every other month. <u>Distributions:</u> <i>Feb, April, June, & Aug, Oct, Dec</i>
Lois Curtis Center	1921 SE Indiana Avenue	785-233-4572	9:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M. No limitations
New Mount Zion	2801 SE Indiana St.	785-267-6312	1 st Sat 10 A.M. – 11 A.M.
First Christian Church	1880 SW Gage Blvd	785-272-4290	1 st Mon 1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.
Oakland Church of the Nazarene	939 NE Oakland	785-232-0142	2 nd Sat 10 A.M. – 11 A.M.
Antioch Missionary Baptist Church	1100 SW Washington St.	785-640-2616	4 th Sat 11 A.M. – 12 P.M.

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HOT MEALS:

ORGANIZATION NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	DAYS & TIMES
Meals on Wheels Eastern Kansas www.mowks.org <u>Home Delivered Meals:</u> Fee: Home-delivered meals are based on a sliding scale and donations are encouraged. Funding may be available for some individuals. Donations may be cash, check, credit card, or Vision card. <u>Eligibility:</u> • Person 60 years and older who is homebound (Experiencing difficulty leaving the home unassisted.) • Person 60 years of age or older who is isolated. • A person 60 years of age or older who is a caretaker, as long as it is in the participant's best interest • Spouse of eligible participant as long as it is in the participant's best interest. • Disabled of a dependent individual who resides in a non-institutional setting with an eligible participant and it is in the participant's best interest. • Registered congregated meal participant who needs a home-delivered meal(s) due to an illness or health condition.	2134 SW Westport Drive	785-430-2186	N/A

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CONGREGATE MEAL SITES:

Meal sites for age 60 & over or disabled. Donations are encouraged but there is no set fee. Noon meal with reservations the day before by 3:00 p.m. at the site or by calling 785-430-2186. The spouse of an individual over 60 who accompanies them to the center. Or, if under the age of 60, you must pay full price for the meal.

60 & OVER:

East Topeka Senior Center	432 SE Norwood Street	785-232-7765
First Apartments	3805 SW 18th Street	785-272-6700
Highland Park United Methodist Church	2914 SE Michigan Avenue	785-266-6555
Papan's Landing Senior Center Potluck luncheon every Thursday @ 11:30 AM Only need proof of being age 60+ Regular hours are 8 AM to 3 PM Monday through Friday	619 NW Paramore Street	785-232-1968
Madison Street Apartments	600 SE Madison Street	785-234-3386
Tyler Towers Apartments	600 SW 14 th Street	N/A

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OTHER OPPORTUNITIES:

ORGANIZATION NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	DAYS & TIMES
Lotus House - Only for members of the clubhouse for breakfast and lunch. - Membership is required.	1201 SW Van Buren	785-232-6960	Monday – Friday Call for more details.
Hands of Hope Ministry Provides a hot evening meal.	222 NW Jay Street	N/A	Monday's 5:30 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.
Let's Help	245 SW MacVicar	785-234-6208	<u>Food Boxes:</u> Mon, Wed & Fri 11:30 A.M. -12:30 P.M. <u>Clothing Bank:</u> Mon, Wed & Fri 9:00 A.M. -10:45 A.M.
Silverbackks Inc. - Silver Supper Serving children up to age 18.	Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay Hillcrest Community Center 1800 SE 21 st Street	N/A N/A	Monday – Thursday 5:30 P.M. Monday – Thursday 5:45 P.M.
Sivlerbackks, Inc. - Silver Sunday Free meals for any age	1020 NE Forest Ave	N/A	Every Sunday 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
The Salvation Army A sack lunch is provided along with the hot meals. On Fridays, we only serve sack lunches.	1320 SE 6 th Street	785-233-9648	Monday – Thursday 12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.

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Topeka North Outreach Operation Backpack Weekend Food Sacks	North Topeka, Oakland area, Garfield, and Oakland Community Centers	785-286-1370	Call for more details.
Topeka Rescue Mission	600 N. Kansas Avenue	785-354-1744	A sack with breakfast & dinner (Served at the back door.) Monday – Friday 6:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M. Saturday & Sunday 5:00 P.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Corita's Corner Sandwich Ministry	234 S. Kansas Avenue The window is located on the east side of the building (The back of the building.)	N/A	Monday – Friday 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Downtown Topeka Farmer's Market • Accepts SNAP & EBT • Please come to the information booth to get tokens to spend at our vendors.	6 th & SW Harrison Avenue	785-249-4704	Every Weekend during spring and summer.

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OTHER RESOURCES & TOOLS:

ORGANIZATION NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	DAYS & TIMES
WIC The WIC program is a supplemental food program for pregnant, recently delivered, and breastfeeding women, infants, and children up to age 5.	Shawnee County Health Department	785-251-5607	Monday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 A.M. – 5: 00 P.M. Tuesday 10:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. Wednesday 8:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. & 2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Baby Closet Blankets, clothes, diapers, formula, wipes, and other items are available for FREE for newborn to 5-year-old children.	Westside Baptist Church 1008 SW 4 th Street	785-233-4241 ext. 4	Monday 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. Wednesday 3:30 P.M. – 6:30 P.M. Thursday 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.
CHAMPSS Locations	<u>Dillon's grocery stores:</u> (Topeka locations) 6829 SW 29 th Street 2010 SE 29 th Street 4015 SW 10 th Street 800 NW 25 th Street 5311 SW 22 nd Place <u>Hy-Vee grocery store:</u> 2915 SW Wanamaker Road Millennium Café locations: 1515 SW 10 th Avenue 2127 SW Westport Drive	785-235-1367 Call for more information.	Open 7 days a week, lunch and dinner.

United Way: help line 2-1-1 or 888-413-4327

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SNAP Hotline (Food stamps):

Harvesters can assist with eligibility, & application questions.

SNAP Outreach Team for more information.

snap@harvesters.org

Harvesters Customer Care: 877-653-9519 or visit www.harvesters.org. Click on 'Get Help' link & use the agency locator tool to find programs in your area.