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### Helpful Toll-Free Numbers

The Eldercare Locator	800-677-1116
Kansas University Transportation Center	800-248-0350
U.S. Bureau of Transportation Statistics, Statistics Information	800-853-1351
National Transit Resource Center	800-527-8279
State of Kansas (agency)	
• Disability Resource Info Network (KDHE)	800-332-6262
• Committee on Disability Concerns ADA Info (KDHR)	800-295-5232
• Highway Road Conditions (KDOT)	800-585-7623
• Aging Services (KDOA)	800-432-3535

### Area Agencies on Aging

• Wyandotte-Leavenworth (Kansas City)	888-661-1444
• Central Plains (Wichita)	800-367-7298
• Northwest (Hays)	800-432-7422
• Jayhawk (Topeka)	800-798-1366
• Southeast (Chanute)	800-794-2440
• Southwest (Dodge City)	800-742-9531
• East Central (Ottawa)	800-633-5621
• North Central Flint Hills (Manhattan)	800-432-2703
• Northeast (Hiawatha)	800-883-2549
• South Central (Arkansas City)	800-362-0264
• Johnson County (Olathe)	888-214-4404

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### Websites

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#### General

Library of Congress <http://www.loc.gov/library>  
National Transportation Library <http://www.bts.gov/nt>

#### Academic Institutions

Center for Urban Poverty and Social Change <http://povertycenter.cwru.edu/public.html>  
Center for Urban Transportation Studies <http://www.uwm.edu/Dept/CUTS/>  
Kansas University Transportation Center <http://kuhub.cc.ukans.edu/-pctrans>  
MIT Center For Transportation Studies <http://web.mit.edu/cts/www/index.html>  
National Transit Institute, Rutgers <http://policy.rutgers.edu/n>  
New Jersey TIDE Center  
(TIDE - Transportation Information and  
Decision Engineering) <http://www.njtide.org/links/index.html>  
North Carolina State University Center for  
Transportation and the Environment <http://itre.ncsu.edu/itre/cte/cte.htiil>  
Transportation Policy and Research Sites <http://www.pitt.edu/~jinimyd/courses/2752list.htm>  
Transportation Research Board <http://www.nas.edu/trb/>  
University of Florida Transportation  
Technology Transfer Center <http://www-t2.ce.ufl.edu/t2.htm>  
University Transportation Centers (UTCs)  
and Research Institutes <http://www.dot.gov/university.htm>

#### Organizations

Afterschool.gov transportation links (Federal  
Support to Communities Initiative) <http://www.afterschool.gov/trans.html>  
American Association of State Highway and  
Transportation Officials <http://www.aashto.org>  
American Public Transit Association <http://www.apta.com/>  
Center for Community Change <http://www.communitychange.com>  
Center for Urban Transportation Research <http://www.cutr.eng.usf.ed>  
Community Transportation Association of  
America <http://www.ctaa.or>  
<http://www.ctaa.org/welfare>

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Easter Seals Project Action	<a href="http://www.projectaction.org/">http://www.projectaction.org/</a>
Eno Transportation Foundation	<a href="http://www.enotrans.com/index.htm">http://www.enotrans.com/index.htm</a>
ITS Cooperative Deployment Network	<a href="http://www-nawgits.com/icdn.htm">http://www-nawgits.com/icdn.htm</a>
Kansas Public Transit Association	<a href="http://www.kstransit.com">http://www.kstransit.com</a>
McKnight Foundation Transportation Page	<a href="http://www.mcknight.org/welfare-reform/articles/transportation.htm">http://www.mcknight.org/welfare-reform/articles/transportation.htm</a>
Mass Transportation Home Page	<a href="http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/MassTrans/welfare.htm">http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/MassTrans/welfare.htm</a>
Mid-America Congress on Aging	<a href="http://www.mcs.com">http://www.mcs.com</a>
National Association of Development Organizations (Regional Transportation Online Resource Center)	<a href="http://www.nado.org/rtoc/index.html">http://www.nado.org/rtoc/index.html</a>
National Transit Resource Center	<a href="http://www.ctaa.org/ntrc/atj/pubs/innovative/innov6.shtml">http://www.ctaa.org/ntrc/atj/pubs/innovative/innov6.shtml</a>
Public/Private Venture	<a href="http://www.ppv.org/">http://www.ppv.org/</a>
Strategies for After-School Transportation	<a href="http://www.ctaa.org/ct/resource/funding_resources.html">http://www.ctaa.org/ct/resource/funding_resources.html</a>
Surface Transportation Policy Project / TEA-21 Updates	<a href="http://www.stpp@transact.org/stpp.htm">http://www.stpp@transact.org/stpp.htm</a>
Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21)	<a href="http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tea21/tea21new.htm">http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tea21/tea21new.htm</a>
Transportation Action Network	<a href="http://www.transact.org/">http://www.transact.org/</a>
Transportation Research Board, National Research Council	<a href="http://www4.nationalacademies.org/trbhomepage.nsf">http://www4.nationalacademies.org/trbhomepage.nsf</a>
Welfare Information Network	<a href="http://www.welfareinfo.org">http://www.welfareinfo.org</a>
<b>Federal Government Sites</b>	
Coordinating Council on Access & Mobility	<a href="http://www.ccamweb.org">http://www.ccamweb.org</a>
U.S. Dept. of Commerce	<a href="http://www.doc.gov">http://www.doc.gov</a>
Bureau of the Census	<a href="http://www.census.gov">http://www.census.gov</a>
U.S. Dept. of Education	<a href="http://www.ed.gov">http://www.ed.gov</a>
U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services Administration on Aging	<a href="http://www.os.dhhs.gov">http://www.os.dhhs.gov</a> <a href="http://www.aoa.dhhs.gov">http://www.aoa.dhhs.gov</a>
TANF General Information	<a href="http://www.aef.dhhs.gov/programs/ofa/funds2.htm">http://www.aef.dhhs.gov/programs/ofa/funds2.htm</a>
U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development	<a href="http://www.hud.gov">http://www.hud.gov</a>

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U.S. Dept. of Justice (ADA)	<a href="http://www.usdoj.go">http://www.usdoj.go</a>
U.S. Dept. of Transportation	<a href="http://www.dot.gov">http://www.dot.gov</a>
Bureau of Transportation Statistics	<a href="http://www.bts.gov">http://www.bts.gov</a>
Department of Transportation Funds	<a href="http://www.fta.dot.gov/wtw">http://www.fta.dot.gov/wtw</a>
Federal Highway Administration	<a href="http://www.fhwa.dot.gov">http://www.fhwa.dot.gov</a>
Federal Transit Administration	<a href="http://www-fta.dot.gov/">http://www-fta.dot.gov/</a>
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration	<a href="http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov">http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov</a>
Transportation Research Information Service (TRIS Online)	<a href="http://tris.amti.com">http://tris.amti.com</a>
Volpe National Transportation Systems Center	<a href="http://www.volpe.dot.gov/index.html">http://www.volpe.dot.gov/index.html</a>
U.S. Dept. of Labor Welfare to Work	<a href="http://wtw.doleta.gov">http://wtw.doleta.gov</a>
<b>State Government Sites</b>	
Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged	<a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ctd/">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ctd/</a>
Kansas Department on Aging	<a href="http://www.k4s.org/kdoa/default.htm">http://www.k4s.org/kdoa/default.htm</a>
Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services	<a href="http://www.ink.org/public/srs/">http://www.ink.org/public/srs/</a>
Kansas Department of Transportation	<a href="http://ksdot.org">http://ksdot.org</a>
State Human Resource Agencies	<a href="http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/ofa/hs_dir2.htm">http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/ofa/hs_dir2.htm</a>
State TANF Links	<a href="http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/news/welfare/stlinks.htm">http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/news/welfare/stlinks.htm</a>
<b>Local Sites</b>	
Johnson County Transit	<a href="http://www.thejo.co">http://www.thejo.co</a>
Topeka Metropolitan Transit Authority	<a href="http://www.cjnetworks.com/-toptrans/index.html">http://www.cjnetworks.com/-toptrans/index.html</a>

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### KANSAS

#### State Web: [www.state.ks.us](http://www.state.ks.us)

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Community Development Block Grant

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Web: [www.kansascommerce.com](http://www.kansascommerce.com)

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State Unit on Aging  
Ms. Thelma Hunter Gordon Secretary  
Kansas Dept. on Aging

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### TRANSPORTATION AND HUMAN SERVICE ACRONYMS

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
AAA	Area Agency on Aging
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ACF	Administration for Children and Families, US DHHS
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990
AMPO	Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations
AOA	Administration on Aging, US DHHS
APTA	American Public Transit Association
APTS	Advanced Public Transportation Systems
APWA	American Public Works Association
ATIS	Advanced Traveler Information Systems
ATMS	Advanced Traffic Management Systems
CBD	Central Business District
CDC	Child Development Center
CDL	Commercial Drivers License
CSBG	Community Services Block Grant, ACF, US DHHS
CMAQ	Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program, FHWA, US DOT
CMP	Congestion Management Program
CTC	Community Transportation Coordinator (Florida)
CTSP	Community Transportation Service Plan
DD	Developmental Disabilities, ACE, US DHHS
EMS	Emergency Medical Service
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration, US DOT
FTA	Federal Transit Administration (formerly UMTA), US DOT
GIS	Geographic Information System
GPS	Global Positioning System
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration, US DHHS
HOV	High Occupancy Vehicle
HPR	Highway Planning and Research
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration, US DHHS
ISTEA	Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act
IVHS	Intelligent Vehicle-Highway System
LTAP	Local Technical Assistance Program
LTT	Less Than Truckload
MPOI	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MOE	Measure of Effectiveness
NACO	National Association of County Officials
NARC	National Association of Regional Councils
NAS	National Academy of Sciences
NCHRP	National Cooperative Highway Research Program, TRB
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NGA	National Governors' Association
NHI	National Highway Institute
NHTSA	National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, US DOT
NLC	National League of Cities
NPTS	Nationwide Personal Transportation Study
NRC	National Research Council
NSC	National Safety Council
NTIS	National Technical Information Service
NTS	National Travel Survey
NTSB	National Transportation Safety Board
O/D	Origin/Destination



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OST	Office of Secretary of Transportation, US DOT
PTMS	Public Transportation Management System
R&D	Research and Development
ROW	Right of Way
RTAP	Rural Technical Assistance Program (now LTAP)
RTP	Regional Transportation Plan
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, US DHHS
SP&R	State Planning and Research, FHWA, US DOT
SSBG	Social Services Block Grant, ACF, US DHHS
STAA	Sur-face Transportation Assistance Act (1982)
STIP	Statewide Transportation Improvement Program, US DOT
TANF	Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, ACF, US DHHS
TCRP	Transit Cooperative Research Program, TRB
TD	Transportation Disadvantaged
TEA-21	Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century
TIGER	Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding and Referencing
TIP	Transportation Improvement Plan
TMA	Transportation Management Area
TRB	Transportation Research Board (of the NRC)
UMTA	Urban Mass Transportation Administration (now FTA), US DOT
US DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
US DOT	United States Department of Transportation