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Please contribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_ of my gift to the endowment fund.

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#### PAYMENT METHOD

Check (Payable to Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas.)

Automatic Bank Draft (Complete and return the form above and we will call for your information.)

Please mail your completed form to:

Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas  
1100 SW Wanamaker Rd., Ste. 201, Topeka, KS 66604

### How YOU can help...

Financial gifts to ERC Resource & Referral, Inc., doing business as Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas support programs and services benefiting children and their families. The agency also needs many community volunteers to assist with special projects, serve on the board of directors or committees, and to help with the annual Designers' Showhouse.

Additional donor benefit information and volunteer opportunities can be found on our website, <http://east.ks.childcareaware.org>. You are also welcome to contact us by calling 785-357-5171, 877-678-2548 toll free, or by emailing [info@east.ks.childcareaware.org](mailto:info@east.ks.childcareaware.org).

Thank you!

You can also make a gift online using a credit or debit card by visiting our website at <http://east.ks.childcareaware.org>.

Your gift is tax deductible!

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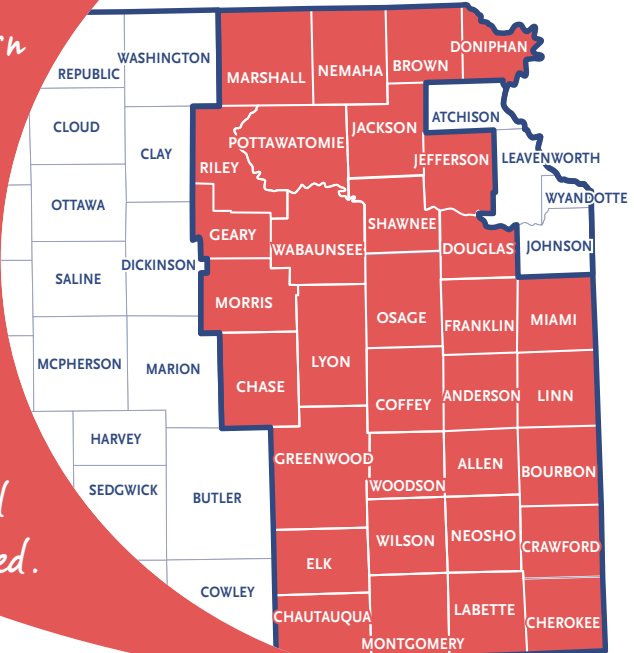
Preparing young children  
through high-quality  
child care!

# Who we are...

Founded December 4, 1978, as Everywoman's Resource Center, Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization focused on improving the lives of children and their families. The agency's mission is to support the development and learning of young children by offering programs and services that improve the quality and accessibility of child care for working families. Our goal is to improve child care and early learning programs so that every child has access to a high-quality program that gets them off to a great start in life!

The agency is supported through a variety of sources, including support from individual donors, grants and contracts (statewide, regional and local efforts), and special projects. Significant support is also raised by the annual Designers' Showhouse, a grassroots fundraiser in Topeka where area designers and craftsmen transform a selected home for public tours.

Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas operates the statewide Parent Resource Center, as well as serves child care providers, families, businesses & communities in the 33 counties highlighted in red.



## Services to Families to help them be informed...

- Current listings of regulated child care, including an online search option.
- Guidelines for choosing high-quality child care.
- "Help line" with answers to parenting questions.
- Referrals to helpful community resources.

## Services to Child Care Programs to improve child care quality...

- Professional development opportunities.
- Technical assistance providing strategies for improving child care practices.
- Information and resources, including access to curriculum through a Resource Lending Library.

## Services to Community Partners & Businesses to strengthen communities...

- Assist businesses interested in helping employees with work/family issues, including child care.
- Opportunities for working parents to learn about child development through "Lunch and Learn" sessions conducted at the business site.
- Supply and demand data regarding child care.

