

Program Services

- School readiness/kindergarten transition
- Developmentally appropriate curriculum
- Nutritious meals and/or snacks
- Multicultural services
- Individual Education Plans (IEP)
- Speech and hearing assessments
- Vision screenings
- Mental health observation/assessments
- Dental exams/assessments
- Physical exams
- Home visitation services
- Parent involvement
- Volunteer training and coordination
- Links to community resources
- Community partnerships
- Staff/parent conferences
- Family Literacy
- Adult basic education
- Family goal opportunities
- English as a Second Language/GED
- Interagency agreements
- Emergency and crisis assistance
- Immunizations
- Health Advisory Council
- Policy Council
- Employment/career assistance



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Head Start

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A United Way Community Partner

Head Start is a comprehensive family program for income eligible preschool children and their families. For a successful Head Start program, parent and community involvement is key. Head Start's performance standards are divided into three sections:

- Early Childhood Development
- Family and Community Partnerships
- Program Design and Management

Three and four year old children and their families receive services in:

- Education
- Parent Involvement
- Disabilities
- Nutrition
- Transition
- Literacy
- Health
- Family Services
- Mental Health

Head Start encourages family literacy and other education opportunities that may include:

- Pursuing a GED
- English as a Second Language
- Adult basic education
- Higher education opportunities

Head Start has both home and center-based options:

- Home-Based: Uses the family's home as the learning environment; Services are delivered through the combination of weekly home visits, group socialization activities, and parent education.
- Center-Based: Uses the classroom as the learning environment; services are delivered through preschool education (a.m. and p.m. sessions, and full-day, full year), initial and mid-year home visits, parent/staff goal setting conferences, and educational family connection events

Buffalo County

Gibbon, center-base (1) a.m. center
1021 First St, PO Box 238
Gibbon, NE 68840
Phone/Fax: (308) 468-6056

Kearney, center-base (2) a.m. center,
(2) p.m. center, (1) full day, full year center
1023 Ave. F., PO Box 2288
Kearney, NE 68848
Phone: (308) 865-5695 Fax: (308) 865-5608

Ravenna, center-base (1) a.m. center
41760 Carthage Road
Ravenna, NE 68869
Phone/Fax: (308) 452-3764

Dawson County

Cozad, center-base (1) a.m. center
1910 Meridan
Cozad, NE 69130
Phone/Fax: (308) 784-3969

Dawson County, home-base
828 Lake Avenue Suite C, PO Box 215
Gothenburg, NE 69138
Phone/Fax: (308) 537-3676

Lexington, center-base (1) a.m. & (1) p.m. center
931 1/2 W 7th Street, PO Box 333
Lexington, NE 68850-0333
Phone/Fax: (308) 324-5282

Frontier County

Frontier County, home-base (1)
110 West C Suite M1, PO Box 723
McCook, NE 69001
Phone/Fax: (308) 345-5846

Furnas County

Furnas County, home-base (2)
428 Center Avenue, PO Box 195
Holbrook, NE 68984-0195
Phone/Fax: (308) 493-5463

Harlan County

Harlan County, home-base
704 1st Street
Alma, NE 68920-0186
Phone/Fax: (308) 928-8955

Kearney County

Minden, center-base (1) a.m. center
506 S. Nance
Minden, NE 68959
Phone/Fax: (308) 832-1054

Keith County

Ogallala, center-base (1) a.m. center
2606 Spruce Acres, PO Box 416
Ogallala, NE 69153-0416
Phone/Fax: (308) 284-3503

Lincoln County

North Platte, center-base (1) full day, full year
920 E 11th Street, PO Box 2043
North Platte, NE 69103-2043
Phone/Fax: (308) 534-2800

North Platte, center-base (1) full day, part year
200 West 10th Street
North Platte, NE 69101
Phone/Fax: (308) 534-0115

North Platte, center-base (1) part day, part year
1210 South Ash, PO Box 332
North Platte, NE 69103
Phone/Fax: (308) 534-1034

Phelps County

Holdrege, center-base (1) a.m. center
815 East Street, PO Box 954
Holdrege, NE 68949-0954
Phone/Fax: (308) 995-8711

Red Willow County

McCook, center-base (1) full day, full year center
712 West 12th Street, PO Box 723
McCook, NE 69001
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Phillips County

Phillips County, home-base
301 West F Street, PO Box 184
Phillipsburg, KS 67661-0184
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Norton County

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