



YEAR IN REVIEW

October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024

Annual report with End of Year community & family impacts through services provided and funds utilized.

Counties Served:

Atchison, Brown, Doniphan, Jackson, Jefferson, Jewell, Leavenworth, Marshall, Mitchell, Nemaha, Osborne, Pottawatomie, Republic, Riley, Smith, Washington



11,236 Square miles covered



111 People employed full-time

4 Program Focuses to link families with services:

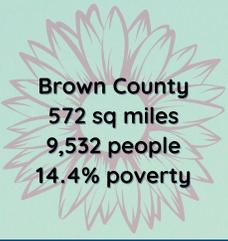


NEK-CAP, Inc. Vision:

One by one all individuals, families, and communities become self-reliant.

NEK-CAP, Inc. Mission:

We provide comprehensive education and social services to low-income community members through collaborative partnerships focused on promoting the development of individuals and families, empowerment, and economic security.



Brown County
 572 sq miles
 9,532 people
 14.4% poverty

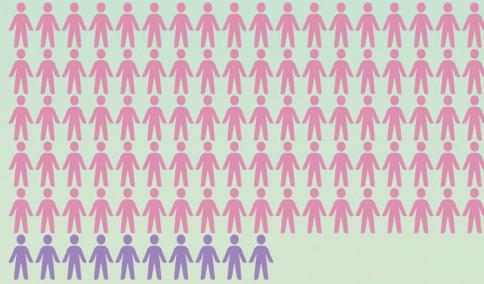
FAMILY & INDIVIDUAL IMPACTS

Who did we work with? What did we do? Where did we do it?

2,954 individuals served
 990 families/households
 1,683 females
 1,271 males
 1,558 children
 115 people 65 or older
 375 people with disabilities

Healthy Kids are School Ready

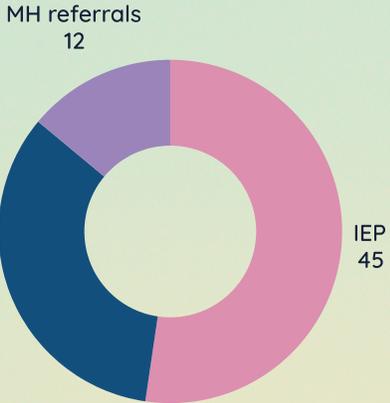
*413 Head Start & Early Head Start children completed physicals.
 Of that number, 377 also brought immunizations (48.32%) to current status.
 234 Head Start children 3-5 years old
 161 Early Head Start children 0-3 years old
 18 pregnant mothers



Jefferson County
 557 sq miles
 18,975 people
 8.1% poverty

Healthy Impacts to children/families

Total referrals for IEP's, IFSP's, and Mental Health Services.



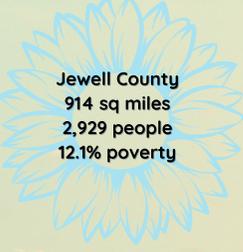
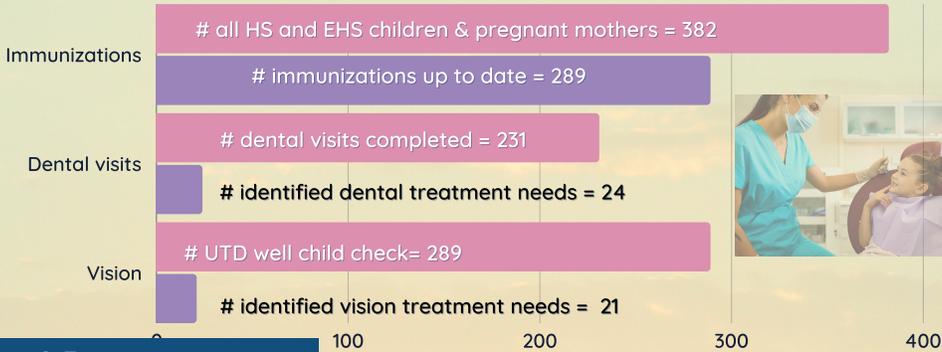
90% of HS/EHS children are now current on vaccines



Doniphan County
 397 sq miles
 7,501 people
 10.6% poverty



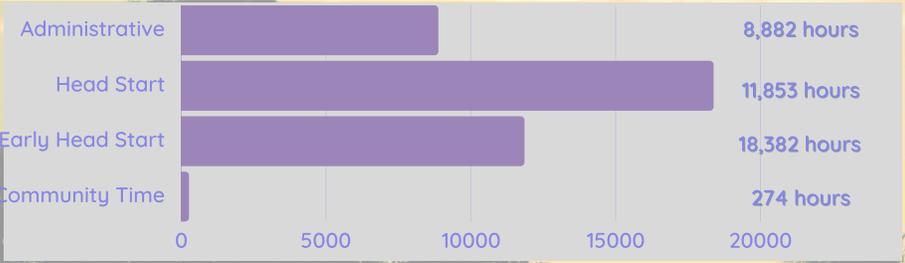
Atchison County
 435 sq miles
 16,309 people
 14.7% poverty



Jewell County
 914 sq miles
 2,929 people
 12.1% poverty



Volunteers and Donations Add up!



Over 30,000 hours of volunteer time, & items donated by families and community members!
 Value = over \$1,361,886



Jackson County
 685 sq miles
 13,274 people
 8.8% poverty



Republic County
 720 sq miles
 4,686 people
 10.1% poverty



2024 KS Head Start Award Winners!!
 Chloey Reno- Post Secondary Scholarship
 Heartland Health Mobile Dental Clinic-Excellence in Community Service Award
 Kim Lackey-Administrator of the Year Award



Pottawatomie County
 862 sq miles
 25,482 people
 7.4% poverty

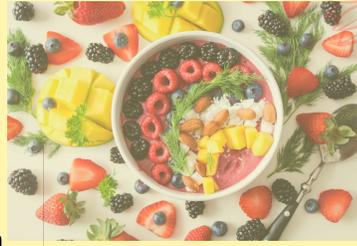
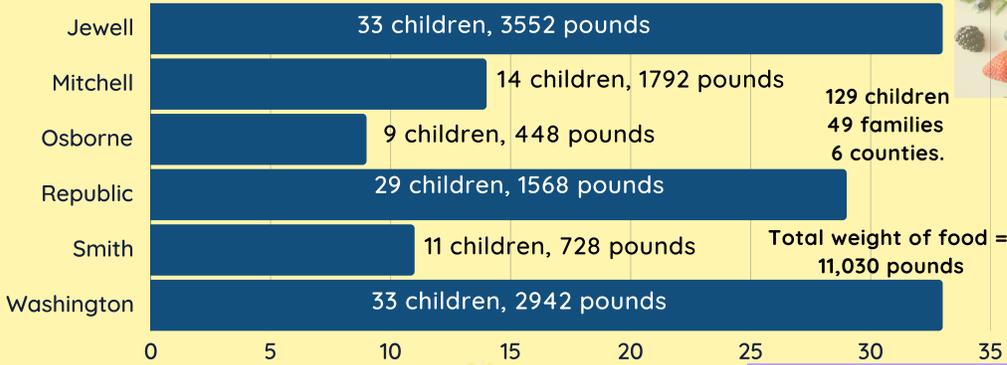
FAMILY & INDIVIDUAL IMPACTS

Osborne County
894 sq miles
3,493 people
13.8% poverty

Leavenworth County
468 sq miles
82,050 people
9.5% poverty

Improved Nutrition for Children

● # Filling the Gap Totals



CACFP Child & Adult Care Food Program.

Children enrolled	226
EHS/HS Counties	9
Meals served	48,641

Used to provide healthy meals/snacks to HS/EHS children

Washington County
899 sq miles
5,529 people
9.6% poverty

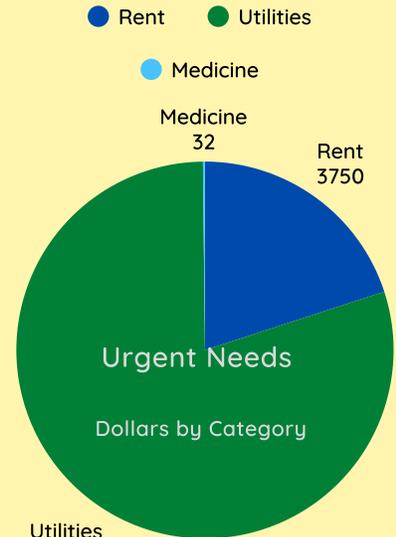
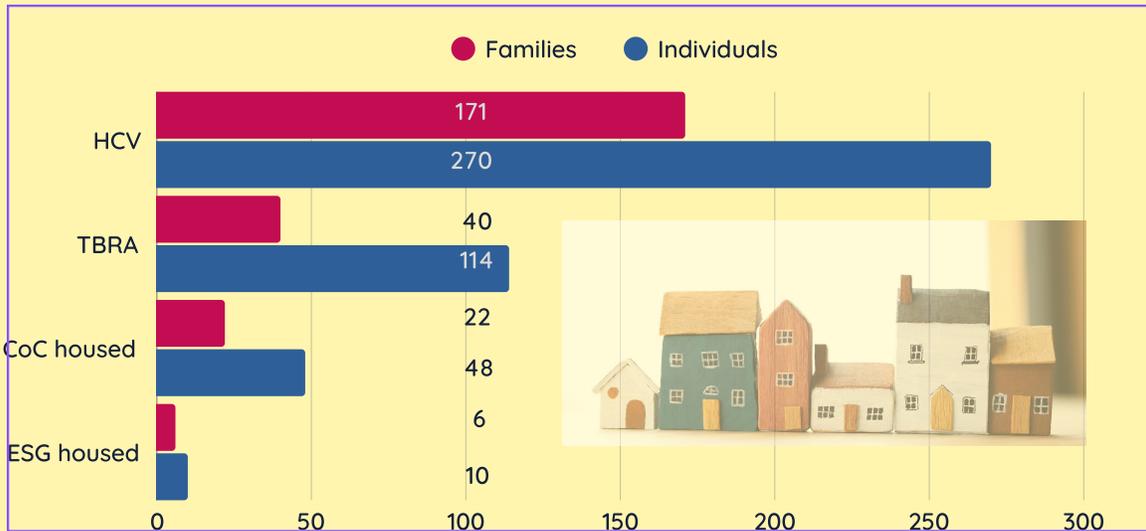
Mitchell County
719 sq miles
5,748 people
10.3% poverty

Smith County
897 sq miles
3,576 people
12.1% poverty

Safe, Affordable & Healthy Housing

Housing for families and individuals. All units pass inspections & meet HUD Fair Market Rent requirements

Rental Assistance-Finding Homes in our Communities



FSS-saving during housing, building income & education

25 Participants overall

19 people increased their wages
3 people earned & saved \$25,096 in Escrow

3 people graduated FSS with \$9,058 in Escrow savings paid out



Nemaha County
719 sq miles
10,219 people
8.8% poverty

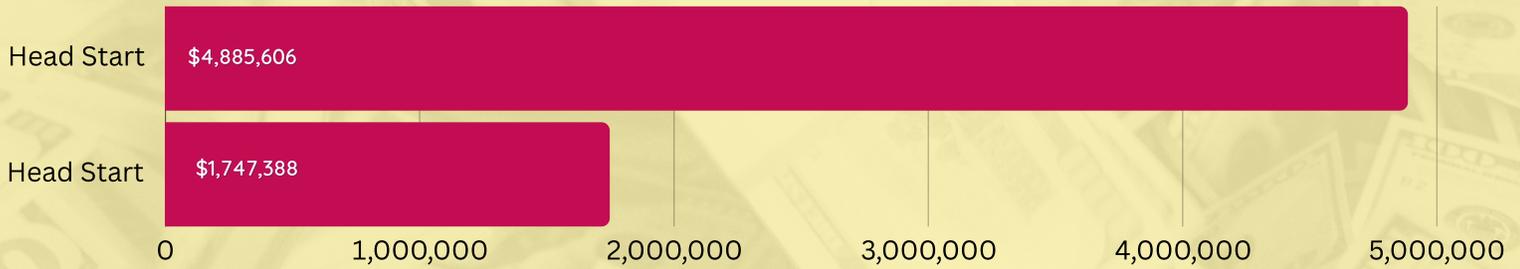
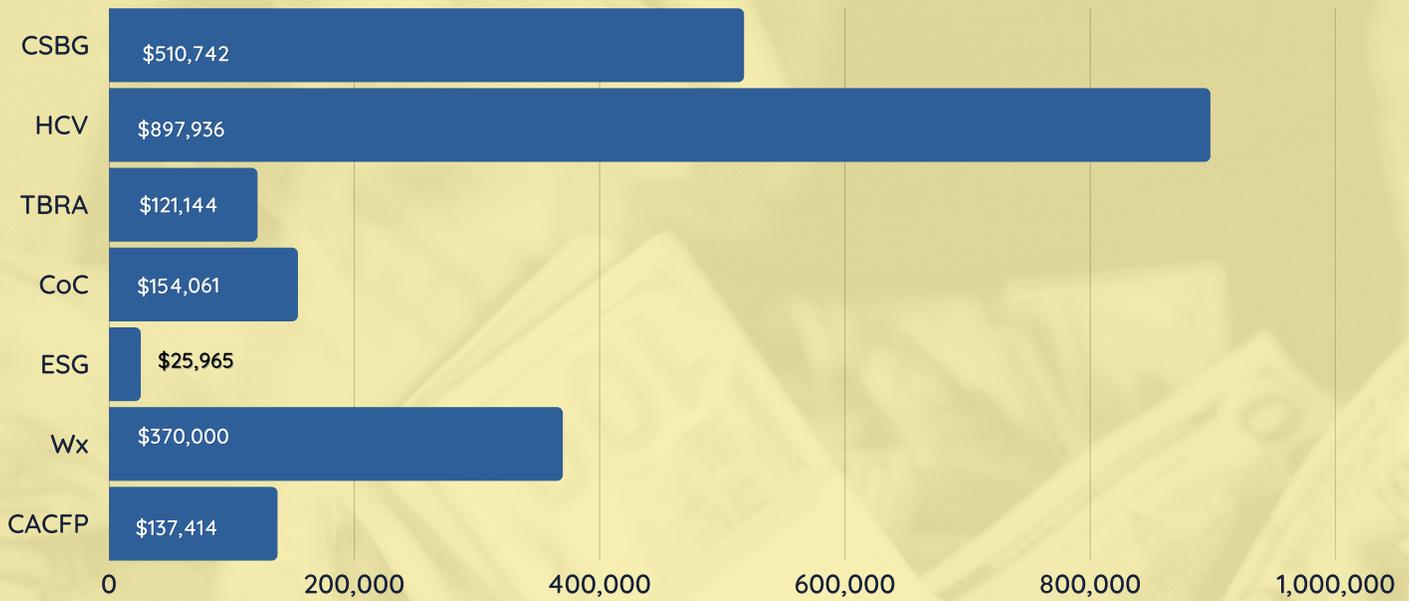
Marshall County
904 sq miles
10,014 people
10.7% poverty

Riley County
622 sq miles
72,105 people
20.2% poverty

AGENCY SUMMARY

Fiscal Matters

Federally Funded Grants and Programs End of Year Reported Expenses



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- Frank Forrester, 2nd Vice President
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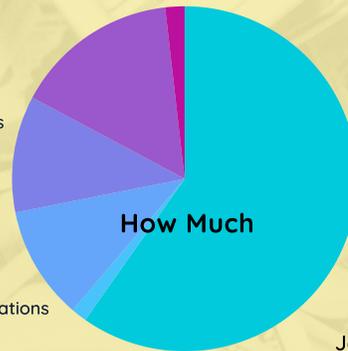
*Thank you,
Board Members for
your Time!*

Local Foundation Match Day Donations
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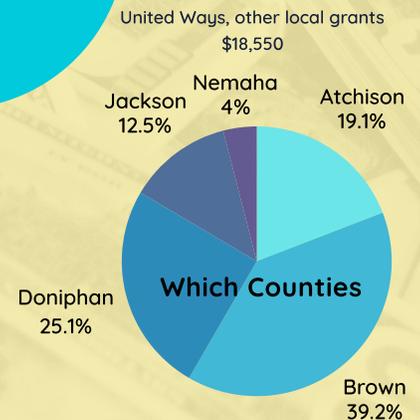
Local Faith-Based Donations
\$3,400

Local Business Donations
\$3,300

Local Private Donations
\$456



Local Grants & Donations for Local Supports



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Following 19 Followers 70 Likes
Community Action Agency serving 16 counties in NE and NC Kansas to fight poverty



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52 posts 52 followers 55 following

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NEK-CAP Inc.
NEK-CAP, Inc. is a non-profit organization serving the low-income population in sixteen Northeast/ North Central Kansas Counties.
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Executive Director's Note

On behalf of our fellow community members provided with services through NEK-CAP, Inc.'s key programs during the past year, I thank our funders - Department of Health and Human Services; Department of Housing and Urban Development; Kansas Housing Resources Corporation; Kansas Department of Education; Kaw Valley United Way; Atchison United Way; Konza United Way; KU Medical Center Department of Family Medicine; Hiawatha Community Foundation; Doniphan County Community Foundation; and private donors.

I also thank the NEK-CAP, Inc., tripartite Board of Directors; Early Head Start/Head Start Policy Council; the Early Head Start/Head Start Health Advisory Committee; the Family Self Sufficiency Program Coordinating Committee; the LHEAT Committee; and all other volunteers, business and community partners for your support of the agency's mission. Through our collective and collaborative efforts, we continued to address economic and social barriers impacting the human, social and economic capitals of low-income individuals and families and worked toward the shared goals of increasing economic stability and upward mobility opportunities.

I invite you to continue joining NEK-CAP, inc., in our fulfillment of the Promise of Community Action- "Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community, and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other."

Jeanette Collier

Executive Director

