

# You have **RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES**



TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT  
OF KANSAS

*Know your rights as an adult with a developmental disability*

## **YOUR INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES**

**RIGHTS ARE THE FREEDOMS AND FAIR TREATMENT THAT EVERY PERSON SHOULD HAVE.**

**RESPONSIBILITIES ARE THE DUTIES AND TASKS THAT EVERY PERSON IS EXPECTED TO DO.**

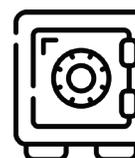
**It is important to know and understand your individual rights and take on the responsibilities that go along with having those rights so that you can protect yourself and talk about the life you want to live and the things you want to do.**

1. You have the right to be safe and protected from being hurt physically or emotionally, and also from being taken advantage of or treated unfairly with money.



You have the responsibility to treat others with kindness and respect, and to report any abuse or unfair treatment happening to you or someone else.

2. You have the right to manage your money without someone else making all the decisions for you.



You have the responsibility to spend money wisely and save for important things like food, clothes, and your housing. It is important to learn how to budget and not waste money on things you don't really need.

3. You have the right to own things like books, clothes, and other belongings. You can buy them, use them and keep them as your own.



You have the responsibility to take care of your belongings. You should respect the belongings of others, and do not take or damage them without permission.

4. You have the right to make decisions about things that are important to you. You get to choose how you spend your day, your hobbies, your friends, and where you want to live.



You have the responsibility to think carefully about your choices because they can affect your life and the lives of others. It is important to make decisions that are safe and good for you and those around you. *having privacy;*

5. You can keep certain things about yourself secret if you want to. This includes your thoughts, your conversations, and your personal space.



You have the responsibility to allow others to be alone in their space, and not listen to conversations of others or share conversations without permission.

6. You have the right to choose who you want to hang out with and talk to. You can be friends with anyone you like, join any group you want, and talk to people in-person and online.



You have the responsibility to make sure you and the people you want to be with are respectful and kind. You must allow others to choose who they want to hangout with too.

7. You have the right to practice any religion or faith you choose. This means you can believe in and follow any religion you like, go to places of worship, celebrate religious holidays, and pray or meditate in the way that is important to you.



You have the responsibility to understand and allow others to practice their religion and beliefs.

8. You have the right to be free from being physically held down, given medicine, or kept away from others as a way of control or punishment. You have the right to be cared for and receive proper treatment as needed to keep you safe and healthy.



You have the responsibility to follow rules and listen to people who are providing support to care for you and keep you safe. If you are having a hard time, it's important to talk about it and seek help in a safe way. It's also your responsibility to understand that.

9. You have the right to be paid for the work you do. This means that no one can make you do a job in the community without giving you money for the work.



You have the responsibility to make sure you receive fair money for your competitive and integrated employment. You have the responsibility to help take care of your home, and tidy up or clean your living space and common areas of your home.

10. You have the right to be treated with dignity and respect. This means people should be kind, fair, and polite to you. They should listen to you, value your feelings and opinions, and treat you like you matter.



You have the responsibility to be kind and respect others. You should listen to their feelings and opinions and treat others in a way that shows they are important and capable.

11. You have the right to receive due process. This means that if someone says you did something wrong, you get a fair chance to tell your side of the story and explain what happened. You have the right to be treated fairly and to have rules followed when decisions are being made about you.



You have the responsibility to follow the rules and be honest when you're telling your side of the story. It's important to speak up if something isn't fair, but also to listen and respect the process.

12. You have the right to see your own records, and anything written about you. This means you can look at information about yourself, like your medical records, person-centered support plan, and how your money is being used for your care.



You have the responsibility to make sure you understand the information and ask questions. You should also keep your personal information private.

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## ABOUT US

We are an independent Targeted Case Management Agency! At Targeted Case Management, we provide comprehensive, targeted case management to individuals in Johnson County and Wyandotte County, Kansas. As we grow, the counties we serve will also expand!

We provide support for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities who receive KanCare/Medicaid Title XIX in Kansas. We accept private pay for services, too!

When you work with us, you will experience a knowledgeable and supportive team with diverse professional experiences focused on serving children and adults in the community who have intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. We have case managers with backgrounds in education, special education, mental/behavioral health, and care coordination. Because of that, we work collaboratively with community providers, agencies, organizations and state departments.

Most of all, we are passionate about supporting each person in a way that will help position them to live to their fullest potential.



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