



Nebraska Client Assistance Program

Hotline for Disability Services

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FOSTER GRANDPARENT PROGRAM

Description:

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PROGRAM IS TO ENABLE LOW-INCOME PERSONS AGED 60 AND OVER TO REMAIN ACTIVE IN THEIR COMMUNITY THROUGH SUPPORTIVE PERSON-TO-PERSON SERVICE TO CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL OR EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS IN SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, DAYCARE, & HEADSTART. IF THE VOLUNTEER MEETS THE INCOME GUIDELINES, THEY WILL RECEIVE A NON-TAXABLE STIPEND, A DAILY MEAL, TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE, A YEARLY PHYSICAL, AND EXCESS ACCIDENT & LIABILITY INSURANCE.

Eligibility:

INDIVIDUALS MUST MEET THE INCOME GUIDELINES TO QUALIFY FOR THE BENEFITS LISTED ABOVE & MUST BE 60 OR OVER.

List of Provided Services:

Employment: Volunteer Locator, Volunteer Employment

Contact Information:

Address:

5109 W SCOTT RD SUITE 415

Beatrice NE 68310

Hours of Operation: 9:00 TO 5:00 MONDAY-FRIDAY

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General Information

Agency ID: 877

Counties Served:

Fillmore, Gage, Jefferson, Johnson, Nemaha, Otoe, Pawnee, Richardson, Saline, Thayer, York

Ages Served: Ages 60 and Up

Disabilities Served:

Alcohol/Drug, BIMI (Behavioral Impairment/Mental Illness), Brain Injury/Head Injury, DD (Developmental Disability including ID), Hearing Impairment, LD (Learning Disability), OHI - Other Health Impairment, Orthopedic, Speech

Disability, Visual Disability

Wheelchair Accessible: Yes

Fees: NO CHARGE

Sliding Fee Schedule: Yes

Interpreters on Staff:

How to Appeal a Decision:

PROJECT DIRECTOR