



## Nebraska Client Assistance Program

### Hotline for Disability Services

#### **Contact the Nebraska Client Assistance Program**

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Lincoln, NE 68509

**Toll Free Phone:** 1-800-742-7594

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### **DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COUNCIL-REGION III**

#### **Description:**

THE REGIONAL COUNCILS RECEIVE FUNDING FROM THE STATE COUNCIL TO SUPPORT LOCAL ACTIVITIES SIMILAR TO THOSE OF THE STATE COUNCIL. ACTIVITIES CONTRIBUTE TO A COORDINATED CONSUMER AND FAMILY DIRECTED COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM THAT INCLUDES NEEDED COMMUNITY SERVICES, INDIVIDUALIZED SUPPORTS & OTHER FORMS OF ASSISTANCE THAT PROMOTE SELF-DETERMINATION, INDEPENDENCE, PRODUCTIVITY & INTEGRATION AND INCLUSION IN ALL ASPECTS OF COMMUNITY LIFE. LOCAL ACTIVITIES THAT WOULD BE FUNDED WOULD BE PUBLIC EDUCATION/AWARENESS EFFORTS; TRAINING FOR INDIVIDUALS, FAMILIES, & SERVICE PROVIDERS; AND SUPPORT TO ATTEND RELEVANT CONFERENCES OR WORKSHOPS.

#### **Eligibility:**

GUIDELINES ARE SET FOR FUNDING PURPOSES. THE FOCUS OF ANY APPLICATION IS OF PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES THAT CANNOT BE CURED & WHICH CAN AFFECT (TO VARYING DEGREES) THE PERSON'S ABILITY TO: -CARE FOR HIS/HER PERSONAL NEEDS -LIVE INDEPENDENTLY -USE LANGUAGE -MAKE DECISIONS -LEARN -BE PHYSICALLY MOBILE -BE FINANCIALLY SELF-SUFFICIENT.

#### **List of Provided Services:**

**Financial:** Other Financial

**Information and Referral:** Information and Referral

#### **Contact Information:**

##### **Address:**

THE ARC-BUFFALO COUNTY

4511 6TH AVENUE, STE 204

Kearney NE 68845

**Hours of Operation:** 8 TO 5 MON-FRIDAY

**Website:** [www.arcofbuffalocounty.org](http://www.arcofbuffalocounty.org)

**Main Phone:** 308.237.4343

**Main Email:**

**Main Contact(s):**

LINDA MERCER

**Other Contact(s):**

LAURA RITTENBUSH

#### **General Information**

**Agency ID:** 984

**Counties Served:**

Adams, Blaine, Buffalo, Clay, Custer, Franklin, Furnas, Garfield, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Howard, Kearney, Loup, Merrick, Nuckolls, Phelps, Sherman, Valley, Webster, Wheeler

**Ages Served:** All Ages

**Disabilities Served:**

DD (Developmental Disability including ID)

**Wheelchair Accessible:** Yes

**Fees:** NO CHARGE

**Sliding Fee Schedule:** Yes

**Interpreters on Staff:**

**How to Appeal a Decision:**

MARY GORDON