GET CONNECTED!

FAMILIES...
- Ensuring that families have access to affordable, high-quality child care across the state, through child care referrals and consumer education.

CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS...
- Supporting child care providers, programs and early learning staff through consistent quality initiatives and professional development events.

COMMUNITIES...
- Data on the cost, supply, demand, and quality of child care in your community.
- Assistance for employers looking to respond to the work/family needs of employees.
- Being actively involved in state/national advocacy for positive changes that impact children.

CONNECT through Quality Initiative Projects too! Turn over to find out more information.
(Child care program focused projects in targeted areas of the State)

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Strengthening Families Project

- Empowers providers and families with infants & toddlers with the tools necessary to decrease the risk factors for child abuse and neglect.

Early Childhood Wellness - Step It Up Challenge

- Engages providers in activities focused on promoting health and wellness in child care programs.

Emergency Preparedness

- Supports providers in focusing on preparing for a variety of disasters by providing resources, training and technical assistance.

New Provider Support

- Supports providers in establishing good business practices, including professional resource kits and lending library services.

**CCR&R NETWORK**

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   Services provided by Child Care Aware® of Kansas
   855-750-3343

2. **REGION TWO**
   Services provided by Child Start, Inc.
   800-684-3962

3. **REGION THREE**
   Services provided by Child Care Aware® of Eastern Kansas
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4. **REGION FOUR**
   Services provided by The Family Conservancy
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