

Exploring Medicaid Benefits: *How KanCare Addresses Health-Related Social Needs*

The first session of the 2025 policy series Exploring Medicaid in Kansas highlights how KanCare, Kansas' Medicaid program, addresses health-related social needs through policies, initiatives and partnerships. Use this guide to dive deeper into key resources, reflect on discussion questions and capture your thoughts or takeaways as we explore Medicaid policy in Kansas.

Resources

Explore the *Kansas Medicaid: A Primer 2024* for an overview of Medicaid and CHIP in Kansas

Explore recommendations to enhance social determinants of health data collection.

Discover stakeholder recommendations to strengthen KanCare managed care.

Listen and learn more about the COPE Project on KHI's rural health podcast, *Health on the Plains*.

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Discussion Questions

- What strategies could be used to ensure KanCare beneficiaries know how the program can address their health-related social needs?
- What roles could managed care organizations and communities play in ensuring Medicaid enrollees receive the support they need beyond medical care?

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