Every school can use the local DCF Service Center as an access point for information to help the Smiths find programs and services in the area. Call your local service center if you have questions about what is available in the surrounding area.
To apply for benefits, go to:
or call: 888-369-4777.

Locate your nearest office by consulting this website:
https://k4ad.org/area-agencies-on-aging.

*United Way 211*: Just call 211 to find out information on services for food, clothing, and shelter, as well as for more complex needs like health care, mental health, education, housing and employment.

*KCSL Parent Helpline*: 1-800-CHILDREN — free, statewide, anonymous information and referral service. It provides a trained person on the other end who will listen, empathize with your situation and offer support. Available by email at: 1800children@kcsl.org.

*Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)*
National Helpline: 1-800-662-HELP (4357) or visit the website at:

Find your nearest Kansas DCF service center by calling 1-833-765-2003 or visiting http://www.dcf.ks.gov/DCFContacts/Pages/default.aspx.


*Kansas Quality Network (KQN)*: http://ksqualitynetwork.org/ — an invaluable tool for parents, child care providers and community members ensuring resource information is available to children and families.