

# Federal Traumatic Brain Injury Program State Grant Fact Sheet

## KANSAS

Implementation Partnership Grant: 4/1/06-3/31/09

<http://www.srs.ks.gov/agency/css/Pages/TBIwaiver/BrainInjury.aspx>

### Federal TBI Program

More than 3.17 million Americans live with a disability as a result of a traumatic brain injury (TBI). Many of these individuals and their families are confronted with inadequate or unavailable TBI services and supports. Passage of the Traumatic Brain Injury Act of 1996 (PL 104-166) signaled a national recognition of the need to improve state TBI service systems. The Act authorized the Health Resources and Services Administration to award grants to States for the purpose of planning and implementing needed health and related service systems changes.

### Lead State Agency

Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services,  
Division of Disability and Behavioral Health  
Services, Community Supports and Services

### Kansas's Grant History

Kansas has received \$1,068,600 in Federal TBI Planning, Implementation, and Implementation Partnership Grants. The State has provided \$534,300 in matching support.

### Infrastructure-at-a-Glance: 1997-2011

■ \* Added by 2011   
 ■ \*\* Maintained or Regained   
 ■ \*\*\* Lost by 2011

Advisory Council or Task Force	TBI Registry/ Surveillance	TBI Medicaid Waiver	Head Injury Division in State Department	Dedicated Funding for TBI Programs	State Funding for TBI Programs
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### Grant Objectives

Kansas currently does not have a Federal TBI Program Implementation Partnership Grant.

### Progress

- Expanded the TBI Medicaid Waiver to include Financial Management Services, Home-Delivered Meals, and Medication Reminder Services.

### Continuing Effort

Kansas continues to serve the post-acute needs of eligible individuals with TBI primarily through the state's Medicaid waiver program. A growing number of individuals with TBI transitioning from institutional settings are being served through the state's Money Follows the Person grant program. Collaboration with the state's Corrections and Mental Health systems continues to grow. TBloptions, developed by Kansas State University's Office of Research and Extension, continues to provide information to survivors and family members about local resources that promote community living. Education about TBI for survivors, family members, and professionals is available through seminars and an annual statewide conference conducted by the state's BIA affiliate.

### For Further Information

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Go to <https://tbitac.norc.org> for information on additional State TBI activities.