



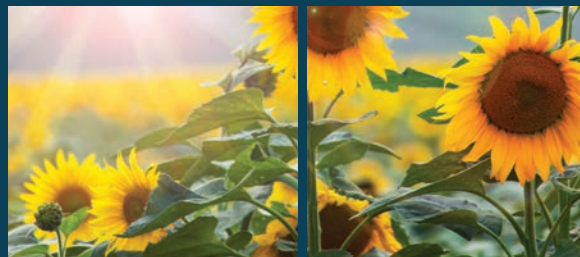
What is Kansas AgrAbility?



 **AgrAbility is a national network** of programs funded and administered by the United States Department of Agriculture and the National Institute of Food and Agriculture (USDA-NIFA). Kansas is one of 20 states that have AgrAbility Projects.

 **The Kansas AgrAbility Project's** primary purpose is to directly assist Kansas farmers/ranchers, their employees, and family members who have become injured, have a health condition, or a disability to remain actively engaged in production agriculture for as long as they choose.

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How do I contact AgrAbility?

Kansas AgrAbility Project

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Project Partners

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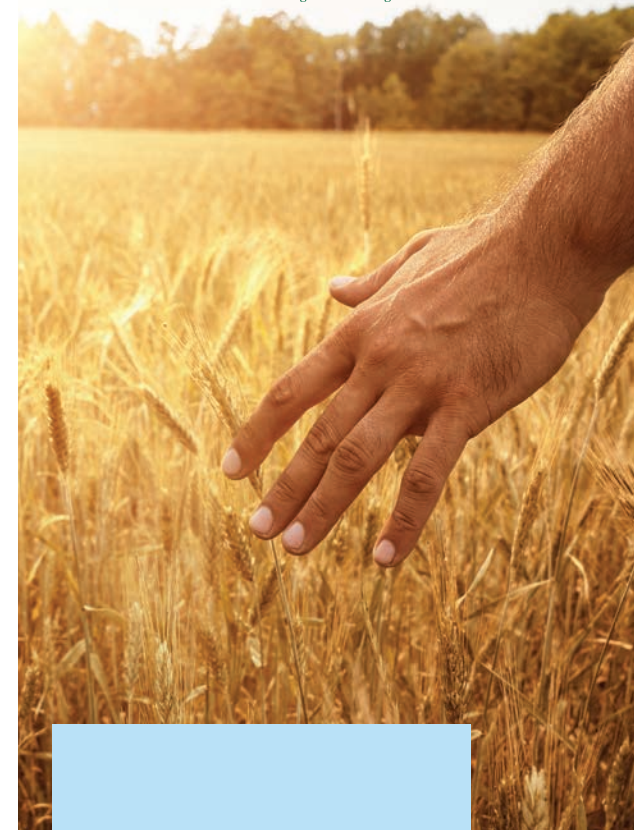
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What does AgrAbility do?

The Kansas AgrAbility Project provides a wide range of no-cost assistance to farmers, ranchers, and farmworkers who have health conditions or disabilities. This assistance includes information on how to accommodate barriers and maintain a rural lifestyle by modifying equipment, structures, and operations.


Farmers, ranchers, and farmworkers with any type of physical, cognitive, or sensory condition (e.g., amputation, traumatic brain injury, hearing impairment) that interferes with their ability to do their agricultural work or activities of daily living are eligible for AgrAbility services.



Services We Provide


- » Conduct on-site visits to identify barriers to completing tasks both in the agricultural workplace and the home.
- » Analyze agricultural tasks and provide guidance on how to restructure them.
- » Provide technical assistance on adapting farm/ranch equipment and tools.
- » Provide information and education to extension educators and rural professionals who provide services to residents with impairments.
- » Promote increased awareness that disabilities do not have to end a career in agriculture. People with disabilities can and do work in agriculture in Kansas.

AgrAbility does not provide direct funding or equipment, but works with public and private sources to help customers obtain needed adaptive tools and equipment modifications.

 **“Equipment received with the help from AgrAbility has given me freedom and given my wife peace of mind.”**

North Central Kansas Farmer and Rancher

Carry on the family  tradition with us.

 **“With Kansas AgrAbility’s help it’s been a great relief and tremendous independence for him because he lives and breathes farming. That’s his hobby, that’s his job, 24/7. It’s his livelihood but he has a passion for it.”**

Wife of Central Kansas Farmer

