

# LIFE PATTERNS INC.

## Life Patterns Lowdown

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### Rate Increases / Top Rates for Employees

See below for the current top rates of pay for each waiver and service, which last increased in July. Anyone not paying all employees at the top rate will not receive excess funds at the end of the year. To increase a worker's rate of pay, you must complete a new Employee Agreement Form, which can be found on our website, and return the form to Life Patterns.

### Address Changes - Updates for W2s

With the end of the year approaching quickly, please make sure that all addresses and contact information are up to date with Life Patterns so that we can have accurate information on file when mailing out workers' W2s in January, 2025.

Please go to our website to obtain an Address Change Form to fill out and send it to our office: [www.lifepatternsks.org](http://www.lifepatternsks.org)

Completed forms can be mailed or emailed to:  
Topeka— [Hire@lifepatternsks.org](mailto:Hire@lifepatternsks.org)

Montezuma— [Eva@lifepatternsks.org](mailto:Eva@lifepatternsks.org)

### KanCare 3.0 Public Meetings

The Kansas Department of Health & Environment will be hosting meetings for members to learn about changes coming to KanCare's Manage Care Organizations (MCOs).

A virtual meeting will be on October 28<sup>th</sup> via Zoom. 6p – 8p

[Wichtastate.zoom.us/j/97185371954?pwd=i0UraEaGlwAINKa4aYpu5VpqmqN2Ra.1](https://wichtastate.zoom.us/j/97185371954?pwd=i0UraEaGlwAINKa4aYpu5VpqmqN2Ra.1) Password: 583177

WAIVER	OLD	NEW
IDD PCS	\$ 14.65	\$ 15.40
IDD PCS PARENT	\$ 15.80	\$ 16.65
IDD ONR/ECS	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
PD PCS	\$ 12.85	\$ 14.50
PD PCS PARENT	\$ 13.85	\$ 15.65
PD ECS	\$ 82.00	\$ 91.00
TBI	\$ 12.85	\$ 14.50
TBI PARENT	\$ 13.85	\$ 15.65
TBI ECS	\$ 82.00	\$ 91.00
TA	\$ 13.05	\$ 14.60
TA PARENT	\$ 14.05	\$ 15.75
FE	\$ 14.15	\$ 14.40
FE ECS	\$ 90.00	\$ 95.00
AUTISM	\$ 10.35	\$ 10.35

## AuthentiCare Requirements

Our staff is working on getting all members in compliance with KanCare's new EVV policy. All clock-ins and outs must be done with the caregiver's mobile AuthentiCare 2.0 App or the individual receiving services' landline. This is a KanCare requirement.

### To set up the AuthentiCare App...

Please go to our website at [www.lifepatternsks.org](http://www.lifepatternsks.org). Then, on the home page, scroll down to the green banner and click on "please click HERE to get started."

### AuthentiCare Mobile App!!

With the approval of the employer, workers have the option to clock in/out using their own mobile device with the **AuthentiCare 2.0** mobile app! More information about the app and its features can be found in our Newsletters.

If you're interested, please click [HERE](#) to get started.

This will direct you to a form that the employee/worker needs to fill out.

[Download the App with the logo below.](#)

Once the app is downloaded on the worker's personal device, open the app and walk through the following prompts.



1. Enter Set up code: [KANSASPRD](#)
2. Click on "Settings" in the app
3. Click "See Device Identifier"
4. COPY and PASTE the Device Identifier in the form.
5. Click the green button to Submit the form to Life Patterns staff

Once you have completed all the steps, you will receive an email from Life Patterns, Inc. with further instructions within 2 business days.

If you have not gotten the app set up for your workers, please call your respective office and let us troubleshoot any issues that you may be having.

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# Office Closed...

## Happy Thanksgiving!!

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Life Patterns Inc will be closed for Thanksgiving  
**November 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>.**

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Regular office hours will resume Monday,  
**December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:30am.**