

**WHAT DO PARTICIPANTS DO?** Participants are called "Investigators" because they investigate poverty as a whole. This includes 11 resources that typically help a person Get Ahead out of poverty. Up to 12 investigators with 2 facilitators will explore together in a group format.

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Build a plan for a more stable life.

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Explore hidden rules that keep a person from Getting Ahead.

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Learn to build resources.

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Identify opportunities to make changes.


**WHY HOPENET IS HOSTING GETTING**

**AHEAD?** Many times personal crisis has a financial component. HopeNet supports the Getting Ahead program because it is an incentive based program that empowers people to make personal choices for permanent solutions. Supporting people who want to Get Ahead out of poverty in Wichita benefits the entire community.

**ABOUT HOPENET**

HopeNet brings Getting Ahead to your community. HopeNet is a faith-based 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that renews hope by offering Coaching, Counseling, Christian Care and Training services on a sliding scale. HopeNet services are confidential and professional.



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**JOIN A  
GETTING  
AHEAD  
WORKSHOP**

**BUILD RESOURCES  
FOR A BETTER LIFE!**





# WHAT IS GETTING AHEAD?

Getting Ahead is a 16 week workshop lead by facilitators from HopeNet in a “kitchen table” format. Together, we will investigate barriers to Getting Ahead in Wichita, Kansas.

## WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

Sessions are Monday nights from 5:15 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. Dinner will be provided. *All sessions will be held at HopeNet.*

<b>August 7</b>	<b>Registration Deadline</b>
<b>August 20</b>	<b>First Session</b>
<b>September 3</b>	<b>Labor Day No Session</b>
<b>December 10</b>	<b>Last Session</b>
<b>December 20</b>	<b>Graduation Celebration</b>

“I was really stuck in the concrete and didn’t know it. It was so helpful to be with others in the same situations. We were all there for different reasons, but we could all help each other get ahead.”

~2017 Getting Ahead Investigator

FREE family meal during work sessions.

FREE childcare!  
*(limited enrollment)*

\$20 stipend gift card to Dillons Grocery Store is given after participating in each session.

## QUALIFICATIONS OF A GETTING AHEAD INVESTIGATOR

- Investigators must commit to attend ALL 16 sessions.
- Investigators must both schedule and make up missed sessions due to illness/emergency by the Friday of the same week.
- Investigators who miss more than 2 sessions are dropped from the program. No exceptions.

## INTERESTED IN GETTING AHEAD?

- There are only 12 spots.
- To reserve your spot, call HopeNet today and schedule a Getting Ahead interview.
- During your interview, you will explore whether being a Getting Ahead Investigator is right for you and register on the spot.

## SPOTS ARE LIMITED

Investigators can only sign up during their interview.

Call HopeNet today!  
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