

Elwood woman charged with elderly mistreatment

**(KNZA)--An Elwood woman has been charged with the mistreatment of an elderly person.**

**52-year-old Tamara Rucker appeared in Doniphan County District Court Tuesday on the felony charge.**

**According to the criminal complaint, Rucker is accused of unlawfully taking control of at least \$100,000 from Catherine Jane Krantz through false pretense.**

**The alleged offense occurred between June 1 and November 2, 2018.**

**The criminal complaint was filed June 26 by the Kansas Attorney General's Office, which is prosecuting the case.**

**A status hearing in the case has been set for August 20.**

**Rucker remains free on a \$50,000 bond.**

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