



One of our top priorities is that families needing emergency housing enter a fully equipped home with all necessary food, supplies, furniture and appliances in place. We call it providing the "teaspoons to toilet paper" - and it is a vital part of making a house a home for families escaping the crisis of homelessness. Groups and individuals donate supplies throughout the year, and we encourage you to consider helping supply basic needs for Helping Hand House families.

If you are interested in organizing a supply drive, see “Volunteer Opportunities” for more information.

Items We Accept

Completely Out Need Immediately	Almost Out Need Soon	Some on Hand Always Accepted
Bed Pillows (Must be New)	Hand Soap	Both Wash/Bath Gel
Toilet Bowl Cleaner	*Twin & Queen Sheet Sets	Deodorant – Men & Women
Liquid Dishwasher Detergent – no pods please	Twin & Queen Mattress Covers (must be new)	Tampons
Dryer Sheets or Fabric Softener	*Twin & Queen Comforters	Disposable Razors
Drano	*Twin & Queen Blankets	Shaving Cream - Men & Women
3-Ring Spiral Notebooks	Pots & Pans	Can Openers
	Casserole Dishes	Aluminum Foil
	Ziploc Bags – Various Sizes	Saran Wrap
	Paper Towels	*Bath Towels
	Mops & Mop Buckets	*Bathroom Hand Towels
	Trash Cans – Kitchen size	Wash Cloths
	Appliance Light Bulbs	Trash Cans – Bathroom Size
	Toilet Paper	Serving Bowls
	Shower Curtains & Rings	Mixing Bowls
	Toilet Brushes with Holders	Forks/Knives/Spoons
	Tub & Tile Cleaner	Regular Light Bulbs
	Laundry Soap	Brooms & Dust Pans
	13 gallon trash can liners	Furniture Polish
	Floor Cleaner - Lysol, Pine Sol	Lysol Disinfectant Spray
	Oven Cleaner	Mr. Clean Eraser Pads
	Scrubbing Cleaner - Comet, Soft Scrub, etc.	4 gallon trash can liners
	*Bathroom & Kitchen Curtains	

** These gently used linens are accepted, but must be from pet-free and smoke-free environments, not torn and are stain free*



GIFT CARDS

We gladly accept gift cards (Safeway, Fred Meyer, Walmart, Gas Stations, etc) which allow us to fulfill client needs throughout the year.

FOOD AND FURNITURE

In an effort to eliminate any duplication of services, we now partner with food banks in the central Pierce County area to equip our homes with fresh and canned foods for each family that moves in. Please direct any food donations to a food bank in your area. Remember that expired food cannot be accepted.

We also partner with the Northwest Furniture Bank for our client's furniture needs. Please direct questions about donating used furniture to 253-302-3868 or viewing their website at nwfurniturebank.org. We are occasionally able to accept furniture if we have an immediate need for donated items. Please contact Pat Williams at 253-848-6096, ext. 102 for additional information.

Thank you for your continued support!

Upon request, tax deduction receipts are provided for donations accepted.

For more information, please contact Laurie Jackson at (253) 848-6096 Ext. 101, or email her at lauriej@helpinghandhouse.org.