

Alpha House Wish List | March, 2020

Priority Wish List Items to Stay In Front of COVID-19

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THANK YOU for considering to help us acquire MUCH NEEDED items in our attempts to thwart COVID-19. Below are items that continue to keep us in a proactive approach vs. reactive.

- Paper Plates - dinner size - heavier weight preferred.
 - Paper Plates - snack/salad plate size - heavier weight preferred.
 - Paper bowls.
 - Napkins.
 - Plastic Cutlery - forks, spoons, and knives.
 - Paper Towels.
 - Bathroom Tissue.
 - Toilet Bowl Cleaner.
 - Laundry Detergent - High Efficiency (HE) Only! Dye and perfume free preferred.
 - Disinfecting Wipes.
 - Disinfecting Spray.
 - Liquid Hand Soap.
 - Automatic Dishwasher Soap.
 - Handiwipes.
 - Plastic Disposable Aprons.
 - Washcloths - simple basic, any color.
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- Juice - Half Gallon Size. 100% juice preferred.
 - Pedialyte.
 - Gatorade or other Electrolyte Drink.
 - Acetaminophen (like Tylenol) - BOTH adult and children strength needed.
 - Ibuprofen (like Motrin) - BOTH adult and children strength needed.

Wish List for 2020

Thank you so much for your willingness to reach out to families experiencing homelessness in our community! Items on this list will be used throughout the coming year to provide a safe and dignified environment for families in crisis. Some items are for use within the shelter, as part of a Welcome Basket given to each family when they move into Alpha House, and some are for a Blessing Basket given when a family moves into their own home. We are grateful for your generous caring and support for our Alpha House families.

(Items in red are our current most needed items)

**** Currently - there is nothing below listed in red (other than storage totes). We're asking that any intent to fill from our Wish List be focussed on the items above (in blue).**

- Large Laundry Baskets
- Laundry Soap
- New Pillows
- New Twin Sheet Sets (flannel or regular)
- New Twin Sheet Sets (fun children's character sets, eg Disney, Superheroes, etc.)
- New Twin Blankets and Comforters (adult and children's)
- New Twin Quilted Mattress Covers
- New Air Mattresses/Beds in a Box (twin and queen)
- New Bathroom Mats/Rugs
- New Towels (bath, hand and washcloths) ALL sizes please.
- New Pots & Pans Sets
- New Dish Sets
- New Glassware Sets
- New Place Settings (for 4)
- Dish Soap
- Kitchen Supplies (baking sheets, measuring cups & spoons, can opener, etc.)
- Travel coffee mugs and plastic tumblers with straws (adult & child sized)
- Tool Kits
- Flashlights
- Batteries - AA; AAA sizes
- Mop & Bucket / Broom & Dustpan
- Bathroom Cleaner
- First Aid Kit (family size)
- Toothpaste - Large size or smaller multi-packs
- Socks, Underwear (all adult sizes) and T-Shirts (all sizes for infant, toddler, children and adults)
- Slippers (all sizes for toddlers, children and adults)
- Sweat pants and sweat shirts (all sizes for infants, toddlers and children)
- Pajamas (all sizes for infants, toddlers, children and adults)
- New Car Seats (infant or booster style for toddlers and older children)
- Pack & Plays for infants/toddlers
- Gift cards (Meijer, Target or Walmart)
- **Clear 64/66 quart sized plastic tubs (see through) for storage/organizational purposes**

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