



The Opportunity Center for the Homeless is making incredible progress in housing our homeless neighbors; however, once they are housed, individuals often lack some of the basic items that can turn their new space into a home.

Consider hosting a drive or putting together a kit for a formerly homeless client! This project is a great way to provide a basket full of much needed items to an individual as they settle into their new home. Here are our suggestions for your shopping checklist:

Personal Hygiene:

- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Soap
- Deodorant
- Comb and brush
- Razor
- Shaving Cream

Cleaning Supplies:

- Laundry detergent
- Dryer Sheets
- Dishwashing soap
- Multi-purpose cleaners (PineSol, Lysol, etc.)
- Comet (small)
- Mop
- Broom and dustpan
- Kitchen dish cloths & towels

Bedroom Items:

- Bed sheets & pillowcases (Twin size)
- Pillow
- Blanket

Bathroom Items:

- Bath towel
- Washcloth
- Toilet plunger
- Toilet Brush
- Shower curtain and rings

Kitchen Items:

- Dishes (microwave safe, non-breakable)
- Plastic cups (set of two)
- Cooking utensils
- Eating utensils/silverware

- Pots and pans
- Food storage containers
- Can opener (non electric)

Paper Goods:

- Paper towels (single or 2 roll pack)
- Toilet paper (4 pack)

General Items:

- Trash can (11 gallon minimum)
- Trash bags (1 box)
- Laundry basket
- Cutting Board
- Table lamp

Delivery and additional information:

We also accept gently used furniture. To set up a time and date for delivery or if you have any questions or need additional information, please contact: mayeladuran1208@gmail.com or 915-577-0069 ext. 235.

On behalf of the Opportunity Center for the Homeless and the clients that we serve, we thank you for your generosity!

The Opportunity Center for the Homeless is the largest housing provider for homeless individuals in El Paso county. It was founded in 1994 with the sole mission of supporting all homeless without distinction of race, gender, ethnic origin, language spoken, or, religious beliefs, and regardless of mental, drug and alcohol problems.

Through direct contact with the homeless, the Center supports them to move beyond their condition if they are capable; or protects them if they cannot improve their condition in society because of emotional or psychological disorders.