

Durham VA Health Care System
Center for Development and Civic Engagement Durham, NC
Suggested Donation List

The following is a list of items for the comfort and welfare of our Veteran patients. Please contact Voluntary Service for any questions. Our office phone is (919) 286-0411 ext. 17-7810. We only accept new items. Any monetary donations may be mailed or dropped by our office located on the first floor in room B-1009. All checks may be made out to the VA Medical Center and the intent for use is provided either on the memo line or with a letter attached to your donation. Checks can be mailed to the following address:

Durham VA Health Care System
Attention Center for Development and Civic Engagement (135)
508 Fulton Street
Durham, NC 27705

E DONATE IS NOW AVAILABLE FOR CREDIT CARD DONATIONS!!
Please go one to our website www.Durham.va.gov and click on the E DONATE Icon!

You may make a monetary donation to any specific funds as follows:

1. Recreation Events (includes parties, outings and other special events for our Veteran patients)
2. Emergency Welfare (This is a great need. The Emergency Welfare Fund assists Veterans with a onetime emergent need including travel, gas, food and or clothing)
3. Greenville HCC (K cups, sugar creamer and other items for coffee program)
4. Holiday Fund
5. Hospice Fund
6. General Purpose
7. Women Veteran Needs
8. National Rehabilitation Events including Adaptive Winter Sports Clinic, Creative Arts Festival, Wheelchair Games and the Golden Age Games. Donations assist us in sending veterans to these events including transportation and hotel costs.
9. Haircut Wednesday is done monthly to provide long term patients with a monthly haircut. Each haircut is \$15 per Veteran.

Dry Erase boards size 8 x11 great ongoing need

FOOD PANTRY

- Hormel complete meals any variety including breakfast meals
- Horizon milk (no refrigeration until opened)
- Cereal individual packages or bowls
- Canned tuna, chicken or other protein enriched items.
- Breakfast items non-perishable
- Canned meat, spam, Vienna sausages, pasta and sauce
- Canned ravioli, beefaroni, Microwave and reg cans
- Soup, microwave, regular. No cream of mushroom or chicken please.

Clothing

- L-XL-2XXL 4XXL Blue sweatpants (elastic bottoms and waist) and Blue sweatshirt
- L XL 2XXL Pocket T-shirts
- Men's underpants L XL 2XXL
- Size 10 ½, 11 and 11 ½ men's sneakers (Velcro and laced)
- Cans of Coffee for patient coffee program both regular and decaffeinated.
- K CUPS for Hospice (assorted varieties)

For our Hud/VASH program (permanent housing for our Veterans)

- Queen size electric air mattresses (built in pumps) GREAT NEED
- Queen size bed in a bag unisex
- Bed pillows
- Stick vacuums
- Pot and pan sets/dishware sets/ silverware
- Towel sets/shower curtain and rod/bathmats

For our Recreation Department/ Medical Foster Home needs

- Movie gift cards to the Phoenix theater at Northgate Mall and concessions cards
- Grocery Store gift cards for resident cooking group
- Word Search Puzzle books, decks of cards and electronic games
- I TUNES gift cards for Music Therapy
- Wireless Headphones (over the ear)
- Amazon gift cards, Kindle gift cards, Netflix gift cards
- Electric Razors, Clippers
- Models level 1&2
 - Art Canvas
 - Bluetooth mouse for Tablets
 - Stylus for Tablets
 - Weather Radio and First Aid Kits for Emergency Preparedness

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We do not accept books.

We are always happy to assist you with your donations by meeting you with a cart. Please contact our office in advance so we are able to make arrangements to assist with the unloading. We request that boxed items weigh no more than 20 lbs each please.