



Most Needed Items for Share

Below is a complete list of current needs for our clients and programs. We ask that all donated items be provided in new or gently-used condition. Donations can be delivered to the Share Fromhold Service Center, 2306 NE Andresen Road Mon-Fri from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. Thank you.

Men, Women and Teens

Clothing of all types: jeans, sweatshirts, t-shirts, socks,
Backpacks

Raingear: raincoats, umbrellas, etc.

Sleeping bags, tarps, small tents

Personal hygiene items – soap, razors, lotion, brushes,
etc.

Combination locks for personal lockers

Infants and Children

Bibs, burp cloths, disposable diapers, wipes

Baby/children's clothes, socks, shoes, etc.

Bedding

New Only: Baby/children's soap, lotion, brush/comb,
toothbrush, toothpaste

Children's toys (safe, no small parts), dolls, stuffed
animals

Games, puzzles, books, music and videos (G rated)

School supplies: paper, pencils, pens, colored pencils,
crayons, backpacks, etc.

Misc. Household Items

Napkins, paper towels, Kleenex, toilet paper

Lamp, alarm clock, radio, fan, wall clock, light bulbs
(60 watt)

Iron, ironing board

Window cleaner, kitchen cleaner, bathroom cleaner,
bleach

Sponges, bucket, mop, broom, dust pan

New or unopened dishwasher soap, laundry soap

Books (however, we do not accept encyclopedias)

Birthday party supplies

Bedroom

Clean pillows, sheet sets, comforters, blankets

(Note: must be washed & clean)

Alarm clocks

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Bathroom

Bath towels, wash cloths

(Note: must be washed & clean)

Conditioner, shampoo, hand soap, deodorant Brush,
comb, razor, nail clippers, emery boards

Toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss, chap stick

Band-Aids, kleenex

Feminine hygiene products

Toilet paper, cotton swabs, tissue

(Note: all items above must be new or unopened)

Kitchen

Plates, cups, glasses

Baking dishes, coffee pots

Microwaves

Flatware: knives, forks, spoons, steak knives, paring
knives

Food strainers, plastic cutting boards

Cooking utensils, can opener, measuring cups

Cooking pots, frying pans, cookie sheets, etc.

Pot holders, kitchen towels, scouring pads

New & current fire extinguishers, smoke detectors

Food storage containers

(Note: plasticware should be free of stains/scratches)

Re-usable shopping bags

Backpack Food List

Tuna

Canned Pasta sauce (not glass jars)

Canned chili & soup

Peanut butter (18 oz. plastic jars)

Pasta/Rice in 1 lb. bags

Boxed meals (mac & cheese, Hamburger Helper, rice/
pasta roni, etc)

Canned fruits & vegetables

Instant oatmeal

Granola/snack bars

Beef Jerkey

Meals in a cup (mac & cheese, microwavable soup, etc)

Easy open tuna pouches & cans

Fruit Cups, Pudding Cups, Apple Sauce Cups

Food for Hot Meals/Family Shelters:

Please deliver perishable food to Share House, Homestead or Orchards Inn.

Cold cereal (less than 9g sugar preferred)

Milk (1% or Non-fat for Family Shelters)

Peanut butter

Meat, fish, poultry

Eggs, cheese

Vegetables (canned, fresh or frozen)

Fruit (canned, fresh or frozen)

Fruit juices (100% juice)

Hot cocoa, coffee, creamer

Sugar, spices, salt, pepper, flour

Pasta, rice

Sliced bread

Vegetable oil, jelly, margarine

Ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, salad dressing, etc.

We happily accept leftovers from parties/events if they have been properly prepared following all food safety rules and properly cooled and stored. Please deliver these items to Share House.

For Food Safety Reasons We Cannot Accept:

Home Canned items

Opened items (if the contents are individually wrapped, then it is acceptable)

Food that is beyond expiration date

Meat/Frozen items that are freezer burned

Items that Share does not accept:

- Encyclopedias
- Exercise Equipment
- Used Infant & Child Car Seats
- Used Cribs, Porta-Cribs & Pack 'n' Plays
- Used Hi-Chairs, Walkers, Exersaucers, Etc.
- Any Re-Called Items, Specifically Children's Toys

Furniture and large household items are not accepted for drop-off at Share's shelters. However, if you have furniture or large household items, such as a couch, bed frame, dining set, etc., that you would like to donate* please contact volunteers@sharevancouver.org or (360) 952-8229.

All hygiene and cleaning supplies should be new and in unopened packaging.

* **We take furniture on a client-need basis.** It should be free of stains, tears, pet hair and odors. All furniture must be inspected by Share staff prior to final acceptance. Share does not have the resources to pick up donated furniture. Donated furniture should be delivered to the Share Fromhold Service Center, 2306 NE Andresen Road.