

Blackburn Center

New items needed throughout the year for Blackburn Center's clients/shelter residents.

Kitchen

Dinnerware sets (plates, bowls)

Silverware sets

Drinking cups/glasses

Food items: any canned food,
other non-perishables, etc.*

Glass baking dishes

Kitchen utensils (spatulas, etc.)

Paper towels

Lidded 13-gallon trash cans

Pots & saucepans

Skillets

Colanders

Hand-held can opener

**Small appliances: electric can
openers, coffee makers, toasters,
mixers, blenders, microwaves,
crock-pots, air fryers, etc.**

Zip-lock bags: **sandwich, quart, 1
gallon, 2 gallon, & 2.5 gallon**

*Food items we especially need include:
single-serving, shelf-stable items; juice
boxes; and condiments

Bathroom

Bathroom rugs

Anti-slip bathtub mats

Shower curtains and rings

Shower caddy baskets

Bath towels

Wash cloths

Toilet paper

Toilet plungers

Toilet brushes

Hairdryers

Small unlidded trash can

Not needed at this time: Shampoo,
conditioner, body wash, bar soap,
travel-size toiletries, adult
toothpaste, and menstrual hygiene
products.

Bedroom

Pillows

Bath Robes (Women's - all sizes)

Bed-in-a-bag sets (twin & full)

Blankets – cotton (twin & full)

Comforters (twin & full)

Sheet sets (full)

Alarm Clocks

Sport's bras – sizes 1X and larger

**Pajamas – women's summer or
winter weight (all sizes,
especially 2X and larger)**

**Pajamas—men's summer and
winter weight (all sizes)**

Underwear—men's (all sizes)

Baby & Child Items

Baby monitors

Pajamas: Children's – sizes 10+

Pajamas: newborn-12mo

Car seats

Collapsible umbrella strollers

Miscellaneous

**Air Mattresses w/pump-
full/twin**

Planners/calendars

Brooms & dust pans

Small stick or handheld
vacuums

Mops & buckets

Collapsible/pop-up hampers

Duffle bags

Extension cords

Gasoline cards (Sunoco)

Gift cards (Giant Eagle,

Walmart, Shop 'N Save &
Target)

**Square Sterilite Laundry
baskets**

Tool kits

TracFones phones (new)

TracFone and SmartTalk cards

A donation of items from the needs list helps Blackburn Center sustain the shelter program, and helps to maintain the support groups the agency provides for women and children. In addition, some of these items are made available to women – and their children – who are establishing their own homes and need support with basic household items.

Please put the items that are in **bold** at the top of your shopping list, and help Blackburn Center manage donations by bringing new items. If you have used items to donate, the agency can provide a list of thrift shops in the area that make items available to Blackburn Center shelter residents at no cost to them.

For more information about donation opportunities, contact:

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For Blackburn Center's services, call the 24/7 Hotline: 724.836.1122 or 1.888.832.2272