

Youth Intervention Services Donation Wish List

In-kind donations help fill important needs for our youth. The YMCA is grateful to the many donors who have donated to help Anoka, Hennepin and Ramsey County youth in need.

When homeless youth moving into housing we want a welcome basket with supplies to help make their new place a home. If you or your organization would like to donate "Welcome Baskets" please use the ideas below.

Cleaning Baskets:

- Bucket
- Cleaning gloves
- Cleaning rags and sponges
- Floor cleaner
- All-purpose cleaner
- Glass cleaner
- Scrub brush
- Dish soap
- Toilet cleaner
- Paper towels

Hygiene Baskets:

- Laundry basket
- 4 Bath towels
- 4 wash clothes
- 4 hand towel
- Laundry detergent
- Dryer sheets
- Toilet paper
- Hand soap

Other items that the YMCA can accept:

Hygiene Products

(i.e. Full size only: shampoo, conditioner, multicultural hair and beauty supplies, lotion, deodorant, sanitary items, toilet paper, body spray, body wash, razors/shaving cream, contact solution, facial tissue, Q-tips, toothbrushes/toothpaste, mouthwash, soap, band aides, nail file/nail clippers, chapstick, sanitizer, hair binders/ties, combs/brushes, sunscreen, wash clothes)

- Diapers and Baby Wipes
- New (Packaged) Socks and Underwear
- Gift Cards
 (i.e. Target, Cub Foods, Rainbow Foods, Wal-Mart, Hair Cuts, Fast Food Gift Cards)
- Bus Cards and Gas Cards
- Bike Locks

Due to our limited storage space, these are the only items that can be accepted for donation at this time. Please contact Betty Notto at 763-220-2324 or email at Betty.Notto@ymcamn.org if you have any questions regarding donations and to coordinate donation delivery.

Items that we are NOT able to accept:

- Clothing
- Food
- Furniture
- Used shoes, sandals or boots
- Household appliances/ electronic devices/household linens