

CHRIST HOUSE

2016 Holiday Wish List

The holidays are made extra special for Christ House patients and Kairos Program members thanks to the generous spirits of our many friends like you. This page lists our specific holiday needs and the other side lists our year-round needs. Please contact the person listed under each heading for more information. Thank you for your thoughtfulness during this season!

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

PLEASE: NEW MEN'S ITEMS ONLY

Clothing:

- ▲ Knit hats (preferably acrylic, not wool)
- ▲ Scarves (preferably fleece)
- ▲ Sweat pants (sizes M-3XL)
- ▲ Sweat shirts (sizes M, XL & 2XL, no hoodies)
- ▲ Cotton or polyester blend sweaters (M-3XL)

Toiletries:

- ▲ Travel size vaseline
- ▲ Chapstick
- ▲ Combs

Other:

- ▲ Mints (Mentos, Life Savers, Tic Tacs)
- ▲ Leather wallets
- ▲ Portable radio with ear buds
- ▲ Batteries (AA and AAA)
- ▲ Decks of playing cards

Contact Dave Long, Director of Volunteers, at (202) 328-1100 or david.long@christhouse.org.

AMAZON WISH LIST

You can also purchase items that will ship directly to Christ House on Amazon!

1. Visit www.amazon.com, go to 'Lists' > 'Find a List or Registry', search for 'Christ House,' and choose the 'Holiday Wish List' to make your purchase.
2. Please email development@christhouse.org your name, address, and items purchased so that we can send you a thank you note and tax receipt.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- ▲ Assist with meal preparation, serving, and clean up on Thanksgiving or Christmas Day
- ▲ Sponsor the purchase of holiday decorations (such as Christmas trees, wreaths, etc.)
- ▲ Donate or sponsor special holiday dinners (turkey, trimmings, etc.) for 60 people
- ▲ Sort and wrap Christmas gifts for patients
- ▲ Help to host a New Year's Eve party for patients
- ▲ Bring a musical or theatrical group to perform
- ▲ Answer the phone at the nurses' station (specifically on holidays, evenings, and weekends)

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FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

- ▲ Can't make it to the store? Please consider making a donation at www.christhouse.org.
- ▲ Give your loved ones the gift of hope with a donation to Christ House in their honor. Just let us know on whose behalf your gift is made, and we will send them a special Christmas card acknowledging the gift and describing how it will help our patients.
- ▲ As you consider giving at this time of year, please remember Christ House in your will.

Contact Sarah Katz, Director of Development, at (202) 328-1100 or sarah.katz@christhouse.org.

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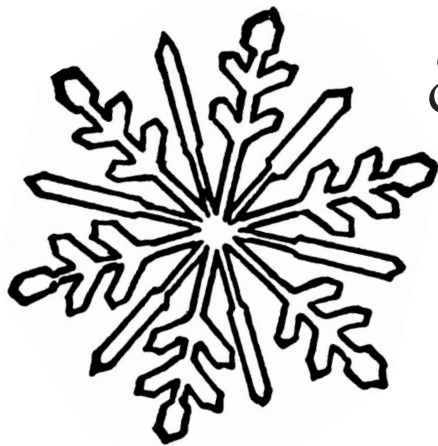
Ongoing In-Kind Needs

CLOTHING & TOILETRY NEEDS

Please note the following guidelines:

- **Clothing must be men's new or gently used items.**
 - **We do not need women's clothing or toiletries.**
 - **Socks and underwear must be new.**
 - **Sizes medium and larger are preferred.**
- ▲ Sneakers (sizes 9-14; especially 11-14)
 - ▲ Slip-on shower shoes (sizes 10-13, no flip flops)
 - ▲ Jeans (waist 32-48)
 - ▲ Sweat pants (sizes M-3XL)
 - ▲ Sweat shirts (sizes M-3XL, no hoodies)
 - ▲ Lightweight jackets (sizes M-3XL)
 - ▲ Underwear (sizes M-2XL, white briefs only)
 - ▲ Undershirts (sizes M-2XL, white only)
 - ▲ Long-sleeve t-shirts (M-3XL)
 - ▲ Shaving cream (travel size best)
 - ▲ Deodorant (travel size best)
 - ▲ Bottles of shampoo (unisex or men's)
 - ▲ Body lotion (Aquaphor or similar, unisex or men's)
 - ▲ Vaseline
 - ▲ Chapstick
 - ▲ Combs

Our specific needs change from time to time. For current information, contact Dave Long at (202) 328-1100 or david.long@christhouse.org.



*Thank you for
your generous
support!*

FOOD SERVICES PROGRAM

- ▲ Frozen concentrated orange juice
- ▲ Sugar substitute packets
- ▲ Bottled water
- ▲ Brown rice
- ▲ 25-pound bags of sugar
- ▲ Coffee
- ▲ Tea bags
- ▲ Sugar-free jelly/jam
- ▲ Oatmeal
- ▲ Costco gift cards
- ▲ Fresh fruit
- ▲ Fresh vegetables

Contact Miri Jung, Executive Chef, at (202) 328-1100 or miri.jung@christhouse.org.

PATIENT ACTIVITIES GIFTS

- ▲ Bingo prizes, about \$3-5 value (team logo items, etc.)
- ▲ Tickets to local events (theater, Redskins, Wizards, etc.)
- ▲ Inexpensive watches
- ▲ Gift certificates to Harris Teeter, Safeway, Target, or Starbucks
- ▲ Coloring books for adults (Mandala coloring books)
- ▲ Colored pencils
- ▲ Boxes of new greeting cards

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