



## PORTLAND VA FISHER HOUSE

### *“Wish List”*

What your home needs, our home needs....

Thank you for your interest in helping our Veteran families! The following list includes needed items that provide our home with day-to-day essentials for our guests. Your donations will help with daily needs so families can focus on providing healing comfort to their loved ones.

**We accept donations 7 days a week; 10am-6pm.** Because the Fisher House is a private home, we ask that individuals and groups please **call ahead** in order to arrange a time to drop off donations. We are unable to accept used clothing or houseware items.

**MONETARY DONATIONS:** These are so appreciated as they provide us the flexibility to use your donations as a need arises. Donations can be made in person or by mail. Checks should be addressed to “VAPORHCS”. Please note "Fisher House" in the memo section. Monetary Donations can be mailed to:

**VA Portland Health Care System  
Mail Code: FISHER HOUSE  
1601 E. 4<sup>th</sup> Plain Blvd.  
Vancouver, WA 98661**

**SPECIAL PROJECTS:** We are always interested in enhancing our guests' experience. If you or your organization has an idea for a special project or donation, please contact the Fisher House Staff.

**“HOME AWAY FROM HOME” MEAL PROGRAM:** If you or your organization would like to support guests by preparing a meal at the Fisher House, please contact the Fisher House Staff.

**Contact Information:**

Email: [portlandvafisherhouse@va.gov](mailto:portlandvafisherhouse@va.gov)

Phone: 360-567-4647

New/Unused Items for <b><i>Kitchen and Pantry</i></b> (Please make sure food is not expired)	Frequency
<b>Sealed and Unopened Pantry Items:</b> Sugar, flour, salt, pepper, other common seasonings, coffee, non-dairy coffee creamers, non-sugar coffee sweeteners, peanut butter, jelly, rice, pasta, cooking oil, shortening, sliced bread  , “To Go” individual snack items (chips, crackers, dried fruit, etc.), canned goods (soups, stews, chili, etc.).	Continuous Need
<b>Sealed and Unopened Refrigerated Items:</b> Milk, butter, ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, pickles, salad dressing, etc.	Continuous Need
<b>Sealed and Unopened Individual size frozen items:</b> toaster streusel, breakfast sandwiches, pizza, burritos, pot pies, hamburgers, chicken sandwiches etc. (frozen meals that are easy to put in microwave), <b>Frozen Meats;</b> ground beef, hot dogs, sausage, bacon, chicken, pork chops etc.	Continuous Need
<b>Produce:</b> Fruit (apples, oranges, bananas, etc.), Vegetables, Salad Mix	Continuous Need
<b>Bottled Water</b> (by the case, regular, not flavored or carbonated)	Continuous Need
<b>Plastic and Misc. Products:</b> Plastic utensils, zip lock bags, coffee stir sticks, saran wrap, aluminum foil.	Continuous Need
<b>Paper Products:</b> Paper plates (various sizes), paper bowls, paper towels, coffee cups & lids	Continuous Need
<b>Keurig K-Cups</b> (coffee, tea, hot chocolate, etc.)	Continuous Need
<b>Dishwasher soap</b> (Cascade 2 in 1 Action Packs)	Continuous Need
<b>Laundry Detergent</b> (Pods preferred, High Efficiency),  <b>Fabric Softener</b>	Continuous Need
<b>Anti-Bacterial Hand Soap with Pump</b>	Continuous Need
<b>Dish Scrubbers</b>	Continuous Need

<b><i>Special Request Items for Guests</i></b>	Frequency
<b>Store Gift Cards to:</b> Costco, Walmart, Safeway, Fred Meyer, Target, etc.	Continuous Need
<b>Fast Food Gift Cards:</b> McDonalds, Burgerville, Taco Bell, Dairy Queen, Subway, etc.	Continuous Need
<b>Restaurant Gift Cards:</b> Pizza Vendors, Papa Murphy’s, Olive Garden, Red Robin, other nearby restaurants that deliver. <i>We have “hosted” meals for our guests and like to indicate the donor who paid for the meal.</i>	Continuous Need
<b>Tickets</b> to local events and entertainment; movie passes, Ft. Vancouver Historic Reserve Tour, etc.	Continuous Need
<b>Visa Gift Cards</b> (for emergent transportation needs and to purchase house groceries.)	Continuous Need