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Girls Incorporated of Worcester

Call Kathy Odgren at (508) 755-6455 ext. 37 or email

kodgren@girlsincworchester.org

Donate new, age-appropriate books for girls grades K–8. Donate items for the holiday party, including bookmarks, pens, pencils, erasers, small journal books; candy canes, candy to fill small stockings for girls, prefilled stockings; baking supplies and decorations for sugar cookies; and craft materials.

Greater Worcester Housing Connection – SMOC

Call Jayde Campbell at (508) 757-0103 ext. 6329 or email

jcampbell@smoc.org

Donate socks, underwear, hats, gloves, and coats for men and women; hygiene items such as soap, toothpaste, combs, and toothbrushes; sheets, linens, towels, and household goods. Donated items are used for clients of the homeless street outreach, homeless shelter, and housing stabilization programs.

Green Island Neighborhood Center*

Call Rochelle Appiah at (508) 753-4661 or email

rappiah@aol.com

Donate pajamas, socks, coats, hats, and gloves of all sizes; food, candy, gifts for Christmas; gift cards and movie tickets; and non-perishable items for Thanksgiving baskets.

Guild of St. Agnes*

Call Sharon Woodbury at (508) 755-2238 x22 or email

swood016@aol.com

Donate gift cards for toys and grocery items; gifts for children newborn to age 12 such as balls and game boards; disposable diapers and related items; hats, mittens, and coats in children's sizes. Gift cards for school-age children especially needed.

Horizons for Homeless Children

Call Mandie Harris or Casey Zink at (508) 755-2615 or email

central@horizonsforhomelesschildren.org

Donate play dough, finger paints, antibacterial wipes, hand sanitizer, baby wipes, and non-battery operated board games.

Jeremiah's Inn*

Call Bhumika Regmi at (508) 755-6403 or email

bhumika@jeremiahsinn.com

Donate men's coats, socks, flannel shirts, underwear, and T-shirts in all sizes; toiletries; gift cards; and toys for children ages 1–15.

Latin American Health Alliance *

Call Kelly Aguilar at (508) 459-1801 or email

aguilark@lahaworc.org

Donate men's clothing in sizes L, XL, and 2XL such as coats and sweaters, socks, hats, gloves, scarves; and holiday themed snacks such as hot chocolate, Christmas cookies, and popcorn.

Leicester Council on Aging

Call Barbara Paszuk or Rachelle Cloutier at (508) 892-7016

Donate small gifts such as toiletries, candy and stationery, grocery store gift cards for homebound and low-income seniors, warm blankets, socks, and flannel sheets.

MOC Child Care and Head Start*

Hosmer Site

Call Cris Siler (978) 345-8549 ext. 308 or email

csiler@mocinc.org

Donate coats, grocery gift cards, toys, games, books, and food baskets for children and families in need. Donate wood or PVC material for use by children in classroom. Call for details.

NEADS

Call Sherrie Forest at (978) 422-9064 or email

sforest@neads.org

Donate blankets and white linens in twin sizes, fitted sheets with deep pockets, pillows, fabric or zippered pillow covers; gifts cards to discount stores or home improvement stores.

Nativity School of Worcester

Call Patrick Maloney at (508) 799-0100 or email

pmaloney@nativityworchester.org

Donate navy blue blazers, white button down shirts, khaki pants, belts, and dress shoes for boys in sizes from boys' small to men's medium; sports equipment such as baseballs, basketballs, soccer balls, and related items; art supplies and music equipment such as instruments, scores, and songbooks.

Pernet Family Health Service

Call Emily Linhares at (508) 755-1228 or email

elinhares@pernetfamilyhealth

Donate holiday food; new or gently used baby clothing sizes 0-5T, especially for boys; diapers, wipes and other baby items; coats, gloves, hats, scarves, and mittens in all sizes.

Project New Hope (Veterans)*

Call Bill Moore at (774) 243-7859 or email

bmoore@projectnewhopema.org

Donate gift cards for clothing stores, restaurants, toy stores, discount retail stores, movie passes, sporting events, museums, or concerts.

Rainbow Child Development Center *

Call Nancy Thibault at (508) 791-6849 or email

nthibault@rainbowcdc.com

Donate clothing items for children in sizes 4T-youth XL, including coats, hats, mittens, boots, new socks, and underwear; gift cards to grocery and discount stores.

Regional Environmental Council

Call Betty Mazur at (508) 799-9139 or email

farm@recworchester.org

Donate grocery store gift cards for family Thanksgiving and Holiday parties; non-perishable, healthy snacks for teens; small treats and gifts for College Care Packages for first generation college students; and gas gift cards for college tours.

South Worcester Neighborhood Center*

Contact Ron Charette at (508) 757-8344 or email rchare2625@aol.com

Donate gift cards for teenage children. Their younger siblings are provided for through the Toys for Tots Program. This often leaves an empty space under the tree for the teen.

Stand Up For Kids Worcester

Call Donna Katsoudas at (774) 239-8844 or email donnakat@standupforkids.org

Donate non-perishable food; gift cards for fast food, coffee shops, and grocery stores; men's and women's winter hats, gloves, hoodie-type sweat shirts, long underwear, packaged socks and underwear especially in men's sizes medium and large and women's sizes 7-8; gift cards for winter boots; towels, single bed sheets, pillows, and blankets.

The Bridge of Central Massachusetts

Call Karen Landry at (508) 755-0333 or email klandry@thebridgecm.org

Donate bed sheets and comforters in twin and full size; personal care items such as shampoos, soap, deodorant, and lotions; hats, gloves and mittens, sweatshirts, socks, winter coats; board games, puzzles, and gift cards.

The CASA Project, Inc.

Call Sue Ellen Scrogin at (508) 757-9877 or email sscrogin@thecasaproject.org

Donate crayons, markers, drawing paper, coloring books, and small packages of clay or play dough.

Veterans Inc.*

Call Christina Foley at (508) 791-1213 ext. 154 or email christinafoley@veteransinc.org

Donate gift cards of any type; new outfits consisting of a sweater, shirt, pants, and socks for men, women, and children; and toys for children.

Visitation House

Call Patricia Russell at (508) 798-8002 or email patriciarussell@visitationhouse.org

Donate women's adult size bathrobes, pajamas, slippers, socks, winter hats, gloves, scarves, umbrellas, and gift cards to discount stores.

Webster Square Day Care Center*

Call Di-Ann Ethier at (508) 756-3567 or email dewsdcc@aol.com

Donate small holiday gifts for 60 preschool children ages 3-5. Donate snacks and juice for a holiday party.

Why Me, Inc.*

Call Robyn Fair at (508) 757-7734 or email rfair@whyme.org

Donate wrapping paper, stocking stuffers, holiday stockings, and gift boxes.



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Worcester Comprehensive Child Care

Call Gloria Sinclair (508) 852-3792 ext. 103 or email gsinclair@worcestercomprehensive.org

Donate hats and mittens for children and gift cards for families. Call for details.

Worcester Community Action Council

Call Ellen Ganley at (508) 762-9807 or email eganley@wcac.net

Donate items for youth ages 16-24, including sweatshirts, sweatpants, hats, gloves, and socks; gift cards to fast food or coffee shops and discount stores; and bus passes.

Worcester County Food Bank

Please call the office before dropping off (508) 842-3663

Donate non-perishable food for distribution to area emergency feeding programs. Drop off items Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 474 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury. Please visit www.foodbank.org for more information.

Worcester Housing Authority*

Call Erin Wilson at (508) 635-3355 or email wilson@worcester-housing.com

Donate coats, boots, gloves, and hats of all sizes; donate gift cards for the same items to meet the needs of residents who need specific sizes.

Worcester Senior Center*

Call Patty Hainsworth at (508) 799-1231 or email hainsworthp@worcesterma.gov

Donate any type of holiday decoration, including ornaments for trees.

Y.O.U., Inc.

Call Lenore Rust (508) 770-0511 ext. 111 or email rustl@youinc.org

Donate holiday gifts for children and families. Gifts for teenagers are especially needed.

YWCA of Central Massachusetts *

Call Gina MacConnell at (508) 791-3181 or email gmm@ywcacentralmass.org

Donate art supplies, including smocks, washable markers, crayons, dress-up clothes, and books for children ages 1-4; gift cards for teen moms; toys or clothing for children ages 0-5, including basic items such as undergarments, pajamas, t-shirts, and newborn and pregnancy items; and gift cards for agency to purchase food for program holiday parties.



MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS HOLIDAY SEASON Volunteer

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African Community Education Program (ACE)**

Call Frank Murphy at (508) 799-3653 or
email fmurphy@acechildren.org

Assist students with their homework as well as co-facilitating leadership and extracurricular activities. Volunteers are needed during our busy holiday weeks of November 23 – December 18th, weekdays from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. Volunteers may sign up for one or more days. Experience tutoring or working with youth required.

AIDS Project Worcester, Inc.**

Call Patricia Price at (508) 755-3773 or email
tprice@aidsprojectworcester.org

Help is needed with the annual Holiday Party on December 11 from 3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Volunteers will help with serving food, set up, clean up, arts and crafts table for the children, and helping Santa give out gifts.

Alternatives Unlimited**

Call Sandra Marquis at (508) 266-6517 or email
Sandra.marquis@alternativesnet.org

Volunteers needed to help at holiday party on December 15 from 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at raffle table and for planned activities for guests.

Auburn Youth and Family Services**

Call Sally D'Arcangelo at (508) 832-5707 or email
admin@ayfs.org

Help with Thanksgiving food basket distribution on the afternoons and evenings of November 23 and November 24.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Central MA/Metro West**

Call Melanie Perreault (508) 752-7868 ext. 14 or email
melanie.perreault@bbbscm.org

One or two volunteers are needed to help wrap gifts in early December for holiday party. Call for dates.

Boys & Girls Club of Worcester**

Call Liz Hamilton at (508) 754-2686 or email
lhilton@bgcworchester.org

Volunteers can schedule appointments to gift wrap donated toys and presents that will be distributed to our club members, ages 5–18, during the holidays. Gift wrapping can be scheduled throughout the month of December. The annual gift wrapping party will be held on Saturday, December 12 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon.

Catholic Charities Bishop's Dinner

Call Bob Cronin at (508) 860-2228

Help deliver Thanksgiving or Christmas meals to homebound individuals, November 26 and December 25. Volunteers arrive at 9:30 a.m.

Catholic Charities**

Call Diane Lambert at (508) 860-2246 or email
dlambert@ccworc.org

Two volunteers are needed on the morning of November 20 to pick up turkeys at the Worcester County Food Bank and deliver them to Catholic Charities for Thanksgiving distribution.

Dare Family Services**

Call Armida Martinez at (508) 755-7100 or email
amartinez@darefamily.org

Contact local companies to secure gifts for foster children during the holiday season. Call for more information.

Dismas House**

Call David McMahon (508) 799-9389 or email
cmdismashouse@aol.com

Help prepare meals during the holidays. Volunteers may bring or cook dinner and share the meal with residents.

Dress for Success Worcester**

Call Janet Paskauskas at (508) 796-5660 or email
boutique@dfsworcester.org

Help with set up and staffing of annual Accessory Sale on December 12.

Friendly House, Inc. **

Call Susan Daly or Danielle Delgado at (508) 755-4362
sdaly@friendlyhousema.org

Help at the annual Christmas Party on December 20 from 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Volunteers will assist in the set up and clean up, as well as distributing snacks and toys to over 1,000 children. Call to schedule times.



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Greater Worcester Housing Connection – SMOC

Call Jayde Campbell at (508) 757-0103 ext. 6329 or email jcampbell@smoc.org

Prepare and serve holiday meals Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day at the individual adult homeless shelter. Call to schedule time.

Green Island Neighborhood Center**

Call Rochelle Appiah at (508) 753-4661 or email rappiah@aol.com

Help pick up food for Thanksgiving baskets. Help pack holiday baskets or sort toys. Call for dates.

Guild of St. Agnes**

Call Sharon Woodbury at (508) 755-2238 or email swood016@aol.com

Read to preschool children or create a winter-themed activity for school-age children. Assist with wrapping gifts in December. Call for details.

Holy Trinity Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

Call Gina Metris at (508) 852-1000 or email gmetris@htnr.net

Decorate Christmas trees throughout the building for residents in early December. Call to schedule a date during the weekday.

Jeremiah's Inn **

Call Bhumika Regmi at (508) 755-6403 or email bhumika@jeremiahsinn.com

Cook a weekday evening meal served at 5:00 p.m. for 29 residents anytime during the holidays. Use the fully-equipped kitchen facility to share your specialty with others. Groups welcome.

Latin American Health Alliance **

Call Kelly Aguilar at (508) 459-1801 or email aguilark@lahaworc.org

Lead a holiday craft activity with adult male residents during the holidays to create handmade items that they can give as gifts. Volunteers are welcomed on weekdays and Saturdays.

MOC Child Care and Head Start**

Hosmer Site

Contact Cris Siler (978) 345-8549 ext. 308 or email csiler@mocinc.org

Play games or read to preschoolers. Handy person needed to cut and sand PVC material for use by children in the classrooms.

Project New Hope (Veterans)**

Call Bill Moore at (774) 243-7859 or email bmoore@projectnewhopema.org

Sort toy donations in November and December. Call for dates. Distribute gifts to families of veterans on December 13 between 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. and to community members from 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Rainbow Child Development Center **

Call Nancy Thibault at (508) 791-6849 or email nthibault@rainbowcdc.com

Help sort holiday food, clothing, and toys at 10 Edward Street; deliver food baskets and Christmas gifts to families in need; provide a music, dance or theatre experience to the Center's after school programs. Call for dates.

South Worcester Neighborhood Center**

Contact Ron Charette at (508) 757-8344 or email rchare2625@aol.com

Help organize, sort, and distribute food in the food pantry throughout the holidays and beyond.

The Community Builders at Plumley Village

Contact Anne Vinick at (508) 770-0508 or email avinick@tcbinc.org

Serve food, help set up and decorate, or lead craft activities at our annual Holiday Party in mid-December from 6:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m. Call for date.

Veterans Inc.**

Call Christina Foley at (508) 791-1213 ext. 154 or email christinafoley@veteransinc.org

Help sort and package gifts for veterans; serve or sponsor a hot meal for veterans, or sponsor a dessert during lunch or dinner.

Webster Square Day Care Center**

Call Di-Ann Ethier at (508) 756-3567 or email dewsdcc@aol.com

Host a holiday party for 60 children and play Santa while providing a snack and small gift for each child. Call to schedule a convenient date.

Why Me, Inc.**

Call Robyn Fair at (508) 757-7734 or email rfair@whyme.org

Help wrap presents during the weeks prior to Christmas. Call for dates.

Worcester Housing Authority**

Call Erin Wilson at (508) 635-3355 or email wilson@worcester-housing.com

Help serve holiday meals weekdays in 2-3 hour shifts in November and December. Meals are served at 14 sites, twice weekly. Call for dates.

Worcester Senior Center**

Call Patty Hainsworth at (508) 799-1231 or email hainsworthp@worcesterma.gov

Help decorate for the holidays by trimming two holiday trees and decorating the lobby and lunchroom areas on December 3 from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon.

YWCA of Central Massachusetts **

Call Gina MacConnell at (508) 791-3181 or email gmm@ywcacentralmass.org

Read to children in the early education and care center or share information about your career or hobby. Conduct holiday activities with teens enrolled in Girls CHOICE program or with young parents and their children. Provide assistance at holiday parties, December 17 from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and December 17 at 5:00 p.m. Call for more information.

HOLIDAY WISH LIST

As the holidays approach and we reflect on the blessings we have received during the last year, our minds and hearts turn to those most in need in our community. As has been the tradition for many years, the **Community Services Program at United Way of Central Massachusetts** is proud to bring you our **2015 Holiday Wish List** as a way for you to help people in need, right here in central Massachusetts.

Are you a member of a book club, Girl Scout Troop, or parent group? Instead of exchanging gifts with each other, adopt one of these programs and buy for those less fortunate.

The Holiday Wish List offers a wide range of opportunities for businesses and individuals to support non-profit organizations dedicated to helping children and families in our community. The list offers many opportunities for you to help: through donating gifts, volunteering at a holiday party, or creating food baskets for families. The opportunities are endless!



Volunteering during the holiday season can be just as rewarding as giving gifts. Gather your family, co-workers, or social club and participate in one of these great holiday volunteer projects:

- * Host a Holiday Party at an agency
- * Decorate a residence for the elderly
- * Wrap the gifts that are donated

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Holiday Wish List 2015

Find dozens of opportunities to give back this holiday season!

Visit our website at www.unitedwaycm.org to learn more about how you can have a positive impact on our community today and every day throughout the year!

We LIVE UNITED when we all give a little bit extra, uniting together to make a difference and create a better life for all in central Massachusetts. What better time of year than the holidays to LIVE UNITED? This compilation of ways to GIVE and VOLUNTEER is a great way to get started. These opportunities exist not only at the Holiday Season, but throughout the year. Not able to find time to Volunteer or the resources to give? Then join the movement and ADVOCATE. Advocacy is a singular voice speaking for those who cannot, or the joining of many voices to call attention to an issue. It is the written word calling others to action. It is proudly wearing your LIVE UNITED shirt or discussing your actions for a better community over dinner. GIVE. VOLUNTEER. ADVOCATE. That's what it means to LIVE UNITED.

United Way of Central Massachusetts
Call (508) 757-5631 ext. 221
www.unitedwaycm.org



'Tis The Season to give, to share, to LIVE UNITED



HOLIDAY WISH LIST 2015

MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS SEASON

Celebrate the holidays by giving back to your community!

African Community Education Program (ACE)*

Call Frank Murphy at (508) 799-3653 or email

fmurphy@acechildren.org

Donate non-perishable food items such as rice, beans, and canned vegetables for Thanksgiving distribution by November 21. Donate new or gently used winter clothing such as boots, hats, scarves, and coats to be distributed to ACE families during the holiday season from November – January.

AIDS Project Worcester, Inc.*

Call Patricia Price at (508) 755-3773 or email

tpprice@aidspjprojectworcester.org

Donate new, unwrapped gifts for children ages 0–16. Suggested items include clothing, educational items, gift cards, socks, scarfs, hats, mittens, and toys. Donations will be accepted by December 15 for a toy distribution event to take place on December 16 and 17.

Alternatives Unlimited*

Call Sandra Marquis at (508) 266-6517 or email

Sandra.marquis@alternativesnet.org

Donate \$5.00 gift cards to grocery stores, pharmacies, department stores, and fast food establishments.



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American Red Cross of Central MA

Call Ray Duffy at (508) 595-3762 or email

Ray.duffy@redcross.org

Provide a piece of warm clothing to a homeless veteran in our community. Wrap a new sweater, scarf, pair of gloves and/or socks in sizes L, XL, 2XL, 3XL and 4XL. Write the size of the item on the wrapping, attach a signed card to the item, and drop off at the Central MA Chapter of the American Red Cross, 2000 Century Drive, Worcester.

Auburn Youth and Family Services*

Call Sally D'Arcangelo at (508) 832-5707 or email

admin@ayfs.org

Donate new toys, games, and books for children of all ages; grocery store gift cards for holiday food baskets; gifts for teens such as movie passes, music, gaming gift cards, and personal care items; and gift cards to clothing and shoe stores to purchase gifts for children and teens. "Adopt" a family and provide gifts for Christmas. Call for details.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Central MA/Metro West*

Call Melanie Perreault (508) 752-7868 ext. 14 or email

melanie.perreault@bbbscm.org

Call to "adopt" a family for the holidays and provide food, clothing and gifts. Donate gift cards to local grocery and discount stores, board games, sports equipment and balls, craft supplies, or jump ropes.



Birthday Wishes

Call Tammy Regan at (866) 388-9474 ext. 5 or email

tammy@birthdaywishes.org

Donate toys such as dolls, Legos, sports balls, action figures, gifts for teens, and stuffed animals. All toys must be new and in original packaging.

Boys & Girls Club of Worcester*

Call Liz Hamilton at (508) 754-2686 or email

lhilton@bgcworcester.org

Donate toys for children ages 5-12 and \$25 gift cards for youth ages 13–18. Donors also have the opportunity to "adopt" a child or a family for the holidays.

Burncoat Family Center

Call Katie Dwan at (508) 853-6988 x222 or email

kdwan@communityhealthlink.org

Donate new toys, books, clothes, outerwear, boots, and gift cards for boys and girls ages 4–18; gift certificates for movies, bowling, and other activities; non-religious holiday decorations and gift-wrap; and food for Thanksgiving and Christmas meals.

Catholic Charities*

Call Diane Lambert at (508) 860-2246 or email

dlambert@ccworc.org

Donate gift cards to food and/or discount retail stores; adult and children's gloves, scarves, hats, and sweatshirts of all sizes; and personal hygiene items such as soaps, shampoos, and razors.

Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance *

Call Alexandra Kartheiser at (508) 791-7265 or email

akartheiser@cmhaonline.org

Donate new toys for children and gift cards for teens; new or gently used household goods including dishes, lamps, towels, curtains, or host a household items drive through your religious organization, business, or neighborhood.

Children's Friend, Inc.

Call Karen Ludington at (508) 459-6424 or email

kludington@childrensfriend.org

Donate gift cards for discount and grocery stores that will be distributed to needy families during the holiday season to be used for food, clothes, and gifts.

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Community Healthlink - Homeless Outreach and Advocacy Program

Call Brian Bickford at (508) 860-1139 or email
bbickford@communityhealthlink.org

Donate winter hats, gloves, and backpacks.

Community Healthlink – Inpatient Addiction Treatment Programs

Call Katie Ricciardi at (508) 373-7984 or email
kricciardi@communityhealthlink.org

Donate warm winter socks and books.

Community Healthlink – Maranda's House Program

Call Justine Lindsay at (508) 421-4553 or email
jlindsay@communityhealthlink.org

Donate women's sweaters, sweatshirts, and coats, children's coats, and gift cards.

Community Healthlink – Worcester Residential Assistance Program

Call Irene Moreno at (508) 860-1212 or email
imoreno@communityhealthlink.org

Donate winter apparel for both men and women, including coats, boots, hats, gloves, socks, and scarves; blankets; laundry baskets; and grocery gift cards.

Dare Family Services*

Call Armida Martinez at (508) 755-7100 or email
amartinez@darefamily.org

Donate toys and other items for children ages 10–18. Items for teens especially needed.

Dismas House*

Call David McMahon (508) 799-9389 or email
cmdismashouse@aol.com

Donate gift cards for male residents: sheets and blankets, toiletries, hats, gloves, and pajamas.

Dress for Success Worcester*

Call Janet Paskauskas at (508) 796-5660 or email
boutique@dfsworcester.org

Donate gift cards to grocery, discount clothing stores, and shoe stores.

Family Health Center of Worcester, Inc.

Call Georgianna Sgariglia at (508) 860-7951 or email
georgianna.sgarigliafhcw@umassmed.edu

Donate new items for newborns and mothers in need such as baby blankets, toiletries, newborn undergarments, socks, bibs, infant equipment such as car seats, new maternity clothes, and gift cards for discount and grocery stores. Donate new items for immigrants/refugees such as coats, gloves and mittens, hats, scarves, personal care items, grocery store gift cards, and home first aid kits. Donate new household items for homeless families including sheet sets, blankets, cooking utensils, pots and pans, and cleaning supplies such as brooms and mops. Donate new items for school-based children's health center such as undergarments, sweatshirts, outerwear, footwear, and crayons. One doll house needed for children's therapy program.

Family Success Partnership

Call Courtney Hale at (774) 245-5416 or email
chale@avcollaborative.org

Donate gift cards to grocery stores to purchase items for a holiday meal; gift cards to discount stores; and children's winter clothing, including gloves, socks, and small sized winter coats.

Frances Perkins and Foundations Transitional Programs

Call Ivonne Suarez at (508) 757-7506 or email
isuarez@friendlyhousema.org

Donate educational toys for children ages 1–12; gift cards and gift certificates; household items such as bedding, pots and pans; personal hygiene products; and diapers.

Friendly House, Inc.*

Call Susan Daly at (508) 755-4362 or email
sdaly@friendlyhousema.org

Donate non-perishable food items for Thanksgiving and Christmas, such as gravy, stuffing, cranberry sauce, rice, pasta, cereal, beans, soup, desserts, frozen turkeys, or hams. Donations are needed prior to November 26 for Thanksgiving and December 23 for Christmas. Donate gift cards of all kinds for our teens and families and toys for children ages 0–12 years.

Friendly House Shelter

Call Nurys Rosa at (508) 792-1799

Donate household items such as silverware, dishes, and small kitchen appliances; sheets and blankets in sizes twin and full; diapers in sizes 4-6; and gift cards for ages 15–18. Call for additional information.



***"It is wonderful gift for my baby. It's cozy, and beautiful. I love this."
- a mother who received a blanket for her infant as part of the 2014 Holiday Wish List***