Homeless Services

Our Homeless Services programs help individuals avoid homelessness, find stable housing if they become homeless, and seek safety from abusive situations. Moving can be costly and overwhelming, especially on a limited income. Your donations help to overcome some of these barriers and help families make their new housing a home.

Below is a list of items that are always needed.

### Items accepted only as new (unused):

**Bedroom/Bathroom Items**
- Bath towels, hand towels, & wash cloths
- Bed Pillows
- Blankets/comforters & bed sheets (twin- & queen-size)
- Shower curtains & curtain rings
- Toilet paper

**Cleaning/Storage Supplies**
- All-purpose cleaning solutions (counters, floors, windows)
- Dish soap
- Foil, plastic wrap & storage bags
- Kitchen trash bags
- Laundry detergent
- Toilet brushes

**Hygiene Supplies**
- Body & hand soap
- Deodorant
- Diapers & wipes
- Feminine hygiene supplies
- Hair brushes, combs, & razors
- Shampoo & conditioner
- Toothpaste & toothbrushes

**Items accepted as new or gently used:**

**Kitchen Items**
- Casserole dishes/food storage containers
- Clean trash cans
- Coffee pots, blenders, toasters, & crock pots
- Cooking utensils (spatulas, spoons, can openers, measuring cups)
- Counter-top microwave ovens
- Dinner plates/bowls/dish sets
- Plastic & glass drink ware
- Pots & pans
- Silverware

**Laundry/Cleaning Items**
- Irons & ironing boards
- Laundry baskets
- Vacuum cleaners, brooms, mops, & buckets

**Bathroom Items**
- Clean trash cans
- Soap dishes/dispensers
- Tooth brushes & toothbrush holders

**About Heartland Family Service**

Since 1875, Heartland Family Service has responded to the needs of our area’s most vulnerable children and families. Each year, the agency’s 50 programs serve more than 52,000 individuals from more than 15 locations in east central Nebraska and southwest Iowa. We provide critical human services to individuals and families who ultimately shape our community in the following areas: Child & Family Well-Being, Counseling & Prevention, and Housing, Safety, & Financial Stability.

Please drop off your donations at one of the locations below:
**Sarpy Office:** 302 American Pkwy, Papillion, NE
**Center Mall Office:** 1941 S 42nd St, Ste 385, Omaha, NE
Monday - Thursday, 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
*Pick-up service is not available*