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Crisis Center, Emergency Shelter, & Day Resource Center Current Needs May 2024

Location & times for Crisis Center donation drop-offs: 8990 Old Annapolis Road Suite A, Columbia 21045 Mon.-Sun. 8am-7pm

Crisis Center Pantry & Hygiene Needs

- Small size (not jumbo) Peanut Butter
- Jelly
- Hormel Compleats meals
- Bottled water
- Pop tarts
- Breakfast bars
- Snack Pack pudding
- Mott's applesauce packs
- Individual snacks (chips, cookies)
- Cracker packs (the filled kind - like PB, cheese, etc)
- Tuna snack kits
- Canned tuna and chicken
- Canned meats
- Chef Boyardee microwavable meals and pop-top cans
- Crackers (like Ritz)
- Cup of Noodles
- Ramen noodles & Oodles of Noodles

Shelter drop-off location & times: 6700 Freetown Road, Columbia 21044, Mon.-Sun. 8am-7pm

Shelter Kitchen Pantry Needs

- Cup Noodles-chicken flavor only
- Flavored mini coffee creamers
- Individually wrapped snacks, e.g., potato chips & baked goods
- Capri Sun juice packs

Bag lunches or nonperishable lunch kits: email Monteith at mont@grassrootscrisis.org for info

Shelter Needs

- Body lotion (full-size)
- Deodorant

Shelter Meals

We are in need of dinner meals for shelter residents and have a SignUp Genius with more info:



DRC drop-off location & times: 10390 Guilford Road Suite A, Jessup, 20794 Mondays & Wednesdays 2pm-6pm, Saturdays 10a-2pm

Day Resource Center Needs

- Women's underwear-New In Package- All sizes, any style
- Oatmeal packets
- Canned Meals-Chef Boyardee-any variety, Beef Stew, Chicken and Dumplings, Corned Beef Hash, Chili
- Canned Meats-Tuna, Chicken, Vienna Sausage, Spam, Sardines, Corned Beef, Roast Beef
- Canned Fruit-Any kind