



Drive of the Month & Program Supplies Wish List

Drive of the Month

Please help local families by holding a **“Drive of the Month.”** Collect new items and bring them to Families First in Portsmouth. We will distribute them to needy individuals and families through our Health Care for the Homeless mobile health van, home visiting and care coordination providers.

- January** *“New Baby Shower”* New strollers, clothing, blankets, wash cloths and baby wash, infant items
- February** *“Household supplies”* cleaning supplies, toiletries, towels, sheets, etc.
- March** *“Back to Work”* new and gently used professional clothing for men and women
- April** Diapers, all sizes, pull-ups, wipes
- May** *“Family Fun Activities”* Bowling, movie, museum etc. passes; *“Get Active”* jump ropes, outdoor sports equipment, side walk chalk, helmets and pads
- June** *“Fun in the Sun”* Children’s Summer Gear: beach towels, new flip flops, sunscreen, caps or sun hats, bug spray, water toys, clothes
- July** *“Book Drive”* new and gently used for all ages
- August** *“Back to School”* backpacks, pens, pencils, notebooks, lunch boxes, glue, crayons, markers, department store gift cards
- September** Diapers, all sizes, pull-ups, wipes
- October** *“Winter Wear”* Coats for men, women, and children (all sizes), Hats, mittens, scarves, gloves, snowsuits, new boots, winter gear.
- November** *“Gift Cards”* for groceries, gas, department stores,
- December** Diapers, all sizes, pull-ups, wipes

Program Supply Wish List

- Paper:
Lined, construction, copy, card stock, tissue paper, photo paper
- Envelopes and folders:
Business, clasp manila, file folders, hanging files
- Writing materials:
Crayons, markers, paints, pencils, pens, highlighters, paint brushes, pastels
- Attachments:
Glue, glue sticks, paper clips, binders, staples, scotch tape, masking tape, blue painter's tape
- Crafts:
Beads, stringing blocks, pipe cleaners, playdough, stickers, stamps, ribbon, cotton balls, googly eyes, sequins, buttons, felt, fabric, flowers, yarn
- Food:
Crackers, coffee, tea, sugar, sweetener, creamer, fruit, cheese, carrots, milk, half-n-half, popcorn, nuts, seeds, bread, goldfish, cereal, plates, napkins, utensils, cups, tablecloths, wet wipes