


Needs List – September 2024

For the monthly updated list, go to www.unionshelter.org/needs

Highest need items for this month are marked with a red diamond .

Bring donations to the door marked “Donations,” accessed by the back parking lot.




For larger quantities or items, please schedule at (704) 261-3496 or Volunteer@UnionShelter.org.

7 days a week
7:30am - 7:30pm
(Please avoid mealtimes at 8am, noon, & 6pm)







To donate financially, go to www.unionshelter.org/donate




Shelter/Client Items

- Toilet Paper
- Backpacks for Adults
- Shower Flip Flops
-  New & Un-Opened Underwear
- OTC Medicines-Ibuprofen/Tylenol, Cold Meds, Antacid, Allergy, Cough Drops
- Band-Aids
-  Disposable Ponchos
- Twin & Full Sheet Sets/Pillowcases
- Twin & Full Bedspreads/Quilts/Blankets
- Bath Towels & Washcloths
-  Re-usable Water Bottles
- Bicycles
- \$5-25 Gift Cards for Client Needs-Gas Cards, Walmart, Groceries
- Birthday Party Supplies & Gifts-email Volunteer@UnionShelter.org

Pantry

- Cereal
-  Grits-Bulk Packs & Packets
- Oatmeal-Bulk Packs & Packets
- Peanut Butter
-  Jelly
- Canned Meats-Tuna, Chicken, etc.
-  Instant Potatoes
- Hamburger Helper
- Canned Soup
- Dried Beans
- Canned Beans
- Rice
- Mac N Cheese
- Dry Pasta
- Canned Pasta (Spaghetti O's, etc)
- Pasta Sauce
- Canned Tomato Products
- Canned Fruit
- Ramen Noodles
-  Canned Vegetables

Soup Kitchen

-  Eggs-we take backyard fresh
- Produce-we take garden fresh
- Breakfast Meats-Bacon, Sausage
- Pancake Mix
- Sandwiches: unionshelter.org/s
-  Fruit Juice
- Milk-Regular & Dry
- Coffee
-  Sugar-Bulk & Packets
- Powdered Coffee Creamer
- Hot Chocolate Mix
- Bulk Drink Mix-Lemonade, Kool-Aid, etc.
- Hot Sauce
- Ranch
- Condiment Squeeze Bottles-Syrup, Mayo, BBQ Sauce, Jelly, Ketchup, Mustard
- Salt & Pepper
- Individual Bags of Chips
- Applesauce & Fruit Cups
- Granola Bars
- Pop Tarts
- Coffee Mugs
- Paper Towels
- Napkins
- Disposable Plates

Seasonal





Bottled Water

During warmer weather, we distribute bottled water to our clients.



Got clothing? Support our partner [Good Steward Ministries here](#) with clothing donations. Our shelter clients can shop there for free!

Hygiene

Multiethnic hair care always needed. Full & Travel sizes of all items.

-  Shampoo
-  Conditioner
-  Bar soap/Body wash
- Disposable razors
- Shaving cream
- Lip Balm/Chapstick
- Hairbrushes/Combs
-  Deodorant
- Toothbrushes-Single & Multi packs
- Toothpaste
- Lotion
- Pads/Tampons

Home Again

-  Small Appliances-Coffeemakers, Microwaves, Toasters, etc. (No large appliances)
- Dishes/Glasses/Silverware
- Pots/Pans/Baking Sheets
- Cooking Utensils/Knives
- Dish Towels
- Bathmats
- Shower Curtains & Rings
- Laundry Baskets
- Lamps with Lampshades
- Cleaning Chemicals-Toilet Bowl Cleaner, Bleach, Laundry Detergent, Dish Detergent, Disinfectant Spray
- Cleaning Supplies-Toilet Brushes, Mops, Brooms/Dustpans, Sponges, etc.
- *Furniture-Drop offs must be scheduled*
 - Dressers
 - Living Room Seating (No Sleepers or Sectionals)
 -  Coffee & End tables
 - Dining Tables & Chairs (Seating for 4 or less)