

Purse Guidelines



10 ESSENTIALS!

Our Organizations have asked that donated purses include **ONE of EACH** of these following items:

1. Toothbrush
2. Toothpaste
3. Deodorant
4. Hand Sanitizer
5. Body or Hand Lotion
6. Shampoo
(OR 2-in-1 shampoo/conditioner)
7. Body Wash
(OR bar soap with plastic holder)
8. Socks
9. Hat OR Scarf
10. Mitts OR Gloves

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTIONS:

ALL ITEMS MUST BE NEW - NO USED PRODUCTS

- Ensure purse is **CLEAN** inside & out, and in **VERY** good condition
- **NO** evening bags, overnight bags, school-type backpacks
- Remove or cover all price stickers
- **NO** empty purses
- **NO** super-sized containers
- **NO** glass jars, vitamins, medications, essential oils
- **NO** mouthwash, razors, nailpolish remover, books



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After you have the ESSENTIALS in your purse, you may add any of the following **optional** items:

- Coffee, Walmart or Dollar store Gift Card
- Journal & Pen
- Facial Cleanser
- Gum or Mints
- Snacks or Protein Bars
- Mascara or Eyeshadow
- Lipstick or Lip Balm
- Nail Polish
- Nail File, Emery Board
- Nail Clippers
- Foot Scrubber
- Rain Poncho
- Face Mask
- Purse-size Tissues
- Hair Conditioner
- Purse-size Feminine Products
- Makeup Case
- Dental Floss
- Body Spray
- Bath Scrubby
- Small Umbrella
- Makeup Remover Pads
- Small Q-tips Package



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**Fill a Purse with LOVE ...
and a Woman's Heart
with HOPE**

What is The Purse Project Network?

The Purse Project Network exists to bless & encourage women in need in our communities

Annually, in the fall, we collect new or gently used purses that are filled with essential personal care items which we donate to local charities to hand out to the women they serve.

Every purse also includes a "Card of Blessing", which is a hand-made, hand-written card of encouragement.

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"This is such a great idea! A purse is a symbol of dignity for a woman and gives her a sense of belonging in society.

And the Card of Blessing in each purse is the "icing on the cake" as it makes this donation very personal for the women

when they realize that others really do care about them."

- from a local charity

There are many different opportunities for you to get involved with this project!

Contact us to join our team & make a difference in the lives of women in need in your local community!