



REFUGEE WELCOME KITS

Refugees flee their homes abruptly, leaving their belongings behind and arriving in Sacramento with only a few suitcases in hand. Refugee Welcome Kits provide families with basic household items to lay the foundation in their new home.

How to build a kit:

1. Select a Welcome Kit.
2. Mobilize your small group, family, church or school to collect items on the list.
3. Assemble items in a box or reusable plastic bin.
4. Contact Ana Vega (Volunteer & Donation Coordinator) to arrange an appointment to drop off to our storage facility.
5. Please inquire directly about all other items, such as furniture or appliances to assess if the item is needed.



You may email: donations@openingdoorsinc.org, or you may call 916-492-2591
ext: 204

*****Please note no donations will be accepted at our main office, due to space limitations.*****

Welcome Kit options listed on reverse side.

WELCOME KIT OPTIONS

TRANSPORT KIT:

Refugees have places to go! Navigating a new city is an essential skill. Provide a Transport Kit, including a map of Sacramento Regional Transit and a Pre-Paid Single Fare Ticket Book to get a family moving! Visit Sacramento Regional Transit online to get pricing options and find your nearest RT Outlet: <http://www.sacrt.com/fareoutlets.stm>.

KITCHEN KIT:

- 4 place settings of tableware (forks, knives, spoons)
- 4 place settings of dishes (plates, bowls, cups)
- 1 cooking pot
- 1 frying pan
- 1 baking dish/bowl
- 1 mixing/serving bowl
- 1 set of cooking utensils
- 1 can opener
- 1 large trash bin & trash bags
- Tea kettle & cutting board (optional)

CLEANING KIT:

- 1 bottle of dish soap
- 1 bottle of bathroom/kitchen cleaner
- 2 sponges/dish cloths
- 2 rolls of paper towels
- 1 small waste basket & trash bags
- 1 broom & dustpan
- 1 box of laundry detergent
- 1 toilet brush & cleaner

BATHROOM KIT:

- 4 washcloths, hand towels, bath towels
- 4 rolls of toilet paper
- 1 bottle of shampoo
- 1 bottle of soap
- 4 toothbrushes
- 1 tube of toothpaste
- Deodorant (men & women)
- Box of feminine products (PADS)
- Disposable razors (men & women)
- 1 shower curtain & hooks
- Hairbrush/comb
- Nail clippers & lotion (optional)

SCHOOL KIT:

- 1 backpack
- #2 pencils, pencil sharpener & eraser
- 1 pencil Box
- Blue or black pens
- Colored pencils, crayons & highlighters
- 12 inch ruler
- Blunt tip scissors
- 1 glue stick
- 1 wide ruled, one subject notebook
- 2 folders
- 1 three ring binder
- 1 packet loose leaf paper

BEDROOM KIT:

- 1 set of full sheets & blanket
- 2 sets of twin sheets and blankets
- 4 pillows & pillowcases

BABY KIT:

- 1 box of diapers (assorted sizes)
- 1 container of wipes
- 1 baby bottle
- 1 sippy cup
- 1 baby blanket
- 1 pacifier
- 1 diaper bag (optional)