

# VA Ann Arbor Current Needs—May 2019

## Magazine Subscriptions

Donated magazines can give Veterans, friends, and family members of Veterans a few moments respite. They provide a temporary distraction from the stress of the hospital setting. Please consider donating current magazine subscriptions to VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System. Should you decide to donate a subscription, please contact us so we can acknowledge your donation.

The Community Living Center (CLC) has requested sweat pants, zip up hoodies and short-sleeve colored t-shirts and basketball shorts for their residents. Sizes needed are M, L, XL, 2X, 3X, 4X, and 5X. Items may be purchased and delivered to Voluntary Service or monetary donations may be accepted.



Monetary donations are needed for:  
4008 (Oncology)      4223 (Coffee)  
4139 (Holiday Fund)  
4235 (Seamless Transition—OEF/OIF)  
4236 (Comfort Items)  
4324 (Toledo Vet Center)

Items needed for bedside relaxation cart.

- Backscratchers
- Squeeze stress balls
- Adult coloring books



Our Homeless team is looking for the following items:

Dish detergent, floor cleaner, multipurpose cleaner, window cleaner, toilet bowl cleaner, garbage bags  
Toilet Paper; 4-12 pack  
Mops, brooms, dust pans, buckets  
Foil and storage bags  
Full Size-Shampoo, Conditioner, Body Soap, Shaving Cream, Disposable Razors, Lotion, combs, hair brushes.  
Quality full and queen size air mattresses  
New comforters for full size beds  
Gift cards to Meijer, Walmart and Kroger (in any denomination over \$15.00)  
Gift cards to Speedway and BP (gas only) in any denomination over \$10.00



### Snack Kits:

items listed below are placed in a plastic bag (self-sealing) and given to Veterans in need:

- Roll of lifesavers (or other hard candy – non-melting)
- Rice Krispies bar (or granola bar, etc.)
- Plastic utensils (knife, fork, spoon with napkin)
- Ritz Snack Mix (Cheddar) (or other trail mix, etc.)
- Easy open can of fish steaks (or tuna, canned meat, etc.)



We are getting a new coffee dispensing machine for outpatients in the Welcome Center. This new machine takes liquid coffee pouches that are made for this specific machine, so we are looking for monetary donations to support this venture, donations can be made to: GPF 4223 (Coffee fund)



The Visually Impaired Service Team (VIST) provides support for legally blinded Veterans to practice their rehabilitation skills. Donations of tickets to theme parks, sporting events, theaters, and museums are needed. Also, gift cards for restaurants like Dunkin Donuts, Dominoes, Panera Bread, and Subway could be used as well.

Recreational Therapy (Community Living Center) has requested restaurant gift cards for outings (Applebee's, Olive Garden, etc.).



**Thank you for your support and generosity.**