



AT-HOME VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

ASSEMBLE HYGIENE KITS FOR INDIVIDUALS OR FAMILIES FACING HOMELESSNESS

The Salvation Army provides shelter for nearly 700 men, women, and children every year, and works to keep thousands of families from becoming homeless. Our homelessness diversion programs and shelters provide safe housing, food, and spiritual and practical support to families who have nowhere else to go.

ITEMS MOST NEEDED:

- Bar/Liquid Body Soap
- Conditioner
- Deodorant (for men and women)
- Lip Balm
- Body Lotion
- Sanitary Napkins/Tampons
- Shampoo
- Small Towel
- Socks (adults and children)
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Travel-Size Mouthwash
- Comb/Brush
- Band-Aids

*Please note: Nail clippers, razors, food, and beverage items are not permitted at residential locations.

Assemble at least five of these items into a ziplock bag or other closed container.

Thank you for joining us in Doing the Most Good!

To learn more about how The Salvation Army provides housing and shelter to struggling neighborhoods, go to:

salarmy.us/housing

DROP OFF YOUR DONATION:

THE SALVATION ARMY SHIELD OF HOPE

- Provides families in crisis compassionate support. On a nightly basis, 75 beds are available for vulnerable families, and 125 beds can be accommodated in an emergency.
- Contact their Program Director Sonya Smith at sonya.smith@usc.salvationarmy.org or 872.281.7612 with questions or to coordinate drop off.

EVANGELINE BOOTH LODGE

- Provides a haven for families who are suddenly homeless because of eviction, disaster, or other crises. The Lodge provides shelter for as many as 60 families a night.
- Call Martha Washington at 773.433.5720 with questions or to coordinate drop off.

STOP-IT INITIATIVE AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- Helps survivors leave their situation and move forward on their own terms. Donations are used to support those leaving abusive situations.
- Contact the STOP-IT hotline at 877.606.3158 or stop-it@usc.salvationarmy.org with questions or to coordinate drop off.

Interested in making this a volunteer event with your company or group? Is there a Salvation Army location in north and central Illinois you'd like to support that isn't listed? (find the list at salarmy.us/volunteer-locations)

Contact our Volunteer Department at usc.nci.volunteer.shared@usc.salvationarmy.org and we'll help!