



2020 Rhode Island Veteran Home Donations

Thank you for thinking of the Rhode Island Veterans Home (RIVH) when it comes to your donations!

Listed below are the items we currently need to meet the special needs of our Veterans:

We can only accept NEW donations

We have approx. 200 residents.

1. *****Sound Machines (i.e. Homedics Soundspa)**
2. **MP3 Players**
3. Gift Cards from the RIVH PX (\$5 denomination)
4. **Large white-faced watches (easy to read)**
5. Current DVD movies
6. Bingo Prizes (Flex Balls, Seasonal Gifts, Dollar Store items, etc....)
7. Gift Certificates: (\$10 and above denomination)
(Walmart, Job Lot, Amazon, etc...)
8. All sizes of Belts
9. Alexias
10. Boom Boxes

All personal care items must be new and the package unopened.

Clothing:

1. Men's Pants and Jeans all sizes 30 / Leg Length 30 to 32
2. All types of clothes (undershirts, shirts, sweatpants, sweatshirts and coats)
for sizes **3x, 4x, 5x, and 6x**
3. Shoes / sneakers sizes 8-12.5

**“Under no circumstance can we accept food Donations
due to the Department of Health restrictions.”**

The RIVH is accepting donations during regular business hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. We cannot accept donations after 4:30 pm or on the weekends. Since we no longer have storage capacity, it is best to call (401)342-7049 or 342-7050 to see if we can accept your donation and set up a drop off time with our staff. Unfortunately, we are not able to pick up any items at any time.

Should you decide to mail your donations, please mail to:

Rhode Island Veterans Home
Activities Department
480 Metacom Avenue
Bristol, Rhode Island 02809

The RIVH reserves the rights to distribute any gift or donation that is deemed unsuitable for the RIVH. These gifts or donations will be given to other charitable organizations. In the case there is no place to donate the item(s), it will be discarded.

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Clothing: Seasonal Please

****Job Lot & Walmart are good sources for Men's clothing & good prices**

Clothing must be in packages and/or with a label on it.

The Home's infection Control Policy requires all underwear and socks given to the residents be new and in original packaging.

1. We need all clothing sizes 3xLg to 6xLg. Very low in these sizes

1. Men's Pants (Kaki's & jeans) 30 to 32 lengths is the average
2. Men's Shirts: long sleeve flannel / all sizes to 5x,
3. Cardigan Sweaters, fleece & vests/ small to 6X colors: Blue, red, gray, black and brown
4. **Unisex Sweat Pants & flannel pants/ all sizes to 6x colors: Blue, gray, black, and brown**
6. Men's Flannel Button Down Pajamas/ Med to 6x
7. Winter Jackets size med to 5x
8. Shoes/Sneakers/ 8 to 12.5 (Velcro tab)
9. Under Shirts size: med., xLg, 2xLg, 3xLg,4xLg, 5 & 6xLg
10. Cotton Boxers and short legged under wear
11. Colored undershirts **with a pocket on the front (for smokers)**

Substantial Donations:

1. Sponsor a party/musical event
2. Items for the Memory Care Unit: Flag House 1-800-793-7900
Nasco Senior Activities 1-800-558-9595
S&S Worldwide Inc.1-800-288-9941
3. Tickets to a local daytime sporting event, theater or light house cruise.

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