

## GUIDANCE ON DONATING TO NEW4YOU

This list provides guidance on the donations New4You will accept and the items we can't accept, due primarily to space limitations. **In addition to adhering to these guidelines, please check your donations to be sure they are clean and only gently used (no rips, broken zippers, stains, etc.) and that appliances and electronics are in working order.**

**Home décor items, antiques, and collectibles**

**Men's and Women's clothes**--including shoes and boots (no slippers; underwear and nylons only in unopened packages)

**Children's clothes**, including shoes and boots.

**Linens, blankets, towels, and decorative pillows** (no bed pillows)

**Books, CDs, DVDs, books on CD** (no video cassettes, audio cassettes, textbooks, travel books, or foreign language books)

**Jewelry**—fine and costume

**Toys**--unopened puzzles are OK, but no stuffed animals or any other toys due to safety requirements and concerns

**Limited electronics/appliances and only in working order**--small kitchen appliances, lamps, radios, clocks, fans, heaters, air purifiers, irons, and vacuum cleaners. No televisions, phones of any kind, VCRs, computers, monitors, or peripherals (i.e., scanners, printers, etc.) because of space limitations and our inability to verify the working status.

**Household goods** are welcome, including kitchenware. No out-of-season holiday items, loose-leaf binders, or opened paper or plastic goods.

**Furniture**: only small pieces for now. When we get a phone and are fully staffed, you can call to find out if we have room for larger pieces.

No sports equipment, including specialized shoes (e.g., golf shoes, baseball cleats, ski boots, etc.) Running/tennis shoes are OK.

No medical devices except canes

No food, chemicals, pesticides, etc.

**We very much appreciate your donations!**