

Angeline's Day Shelter Needs

Angeline's Day Center provides safety and support to women experiencing homelessness. Drop-in services include meals, laundry, showers, lockers, and connections to community resources. Case management and overnight shelter are provided to women enrolled in Angeline's Enhanced Night program, which helps participants transition into permanent housing.

Personal care products (travel and full size accepted)

- shampoo and conditioner – ethnically diverse appreciated.
- soaps – glycerin or moisturizing
- lotions and body wash
- deodorants – scented and unscented
- toothbrushes and toothpaste
- razors, tweezers and nail clippers
- Qtips and tissues
- brushes and combs for all types of hair
- feminine hygiene supplies
- adult pull-up diapers and wipes
- new lip balms, cosmetics and cosmetic bags
- ear plugs and eye masks for easier shelter living
- **new underwear and socks of all sizes**

Other items needed

- laundry detergent
- \$10 gift cards to Bartell's, Starbucks, Walgreens
- reading glasses – all strengths (used ok)
- pens, paper, notebooks, and journals
- reusable tote bags
- bins with lids for storing personal items
- collapsible umbrellas
- pocket puzzle books, planners and calendars

Other day center/shelter items needed

- towels and washcloths
- twin sheet sets and bedding
- new pillows
- small Bingo prizes
- big ticket items (please contact us first):
- Oklahoma Joe smoker

What are the items the YWCA cannot accept?

Stained or ripped bedding, pillows, clothing

Opened or partially used personal care products and cosmetics

Opened or partially used cleaning products

Used Clothing - **we do accept new women's underwear and socks and some gently used bras (larger sizes preferred)**

Special Volunteer opportunities and annual drives

In December, we have our annual **Winter Weather/Warm Coat drive** for coats, boots, scarves, gloves and hats, as well as for special bags of goodies for our residents. Throughout the year, there are many

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opportunities available for small groups including helping to prepare or serve meals to our clients and making sandwiches for drop in clients. If you have a special skill like providing haircuts/cosmetology, would like to host a party or activity for our residents, or your group wants to help in another way, please contact Tiara Nixon, Volunteer Engagement Manager at tnixon@ywcaworks.org to get on our schedule.

Where can I drop off or ship items and what is the process?

We are happy and available to accept donations by appointment, 9:30 am-5pm Mon-Fri

If dropping off items, please call ahead to let us know you are coming and we can direct you to the best location to drop off your items.

If ordering online, please let us know your order is coming by emailing Lori Bugaj at lbugaj@ywcaworks.org. Ship items to:

YWCA Phillis Wheatley office
ATTN: Lori Bugaj/Angeline's Shelter Needs
2820 E Cherry St
Seattle, WA 98122

When you arrive, we will gladly help you unload your items. We have in-kind donation forms we ask you to fill out that you can use as a tax receipt for your donation. To determine the estimated value of your donation, we suggest you use online "Donation Valuation Guide" sources to help you. When you fill out an in-kind donation form, it helps with our current and future shelter planning capabilities.

Thank you for helping our YWCA women and families!