



## **Sponsor a Family**

The SOS Community Services Sponsor an Apartment and Sponsor a Family programs help families and children who are homeless or at risk in Washtenaw County.

Families that are homeless often have none of the standard household supplies that many of us take for granted. When they move from temporary shelter to permanent housing, they may find themselves living in an empty apartment, without beds to sleep on, dishes and utensils to eat with, or a place to sit and do homework. Your donation, from the list below, will make a difference in the lives of local families working to overcome homelessness and keep housing.

We ask donors who wish to participate in this program give **new household items** to supply the apartments used by our families.

Please donate before **Friday, December 3, 2021**, so there is adequate time to distribute to families before the holidays.

### **Household Needs**

***Bedroom Supplies:*** Twin-sized sheets, blankets, comforters, mattress protectors (twin sized)

***Kitchen Supplies:*** Dishes, glasses, eating and cooking utensils, pots, pans, can openers, kitchen towels, mixing bowls, oven mitt sets, napkins, paper towels

***Bath Supplies:*** Towel sets, shower curtains/rings, shower caddies

***Household Cleaning/Laundry:*** Cleaners, detergents, cleaning cloths/paper towels, gloves, sponges, vacuum cleaners, trash cans and bags, mops, brooms, buckets, toilet brushes

***Baby:*** Cribs, high chairs, and portable cribs (pack n' play)

***Miscellaneous:*** Wheeled groceries cart for folks walking/taking bus to groceries

### **Gift cards**

***Gift cards*** in the range of \$10-\$25 value to major retailers (e.g. Meijer, Target, Walmart) will allow parents to choose holiday gifts for their children.

If you have questions or to coordinate a drop off of donations, please email Megan at [devintern@soscs.org](mailto:devintern@soscs.org).

Thank you for your generosity!

