

# Safe Essentials

in cooperation with Jesus People USA

Supplies for a homeless shelter for women and children in Chicago



Jesus People USA (JPUSA) in Chicago, a Christian community and a member of the Evangelical Covenant Church, has created "Safe Essentials," providing homeless individuals with necessary supplies, kept in his or her name, for as long as they need them.

Your women ministry, Sunday School or youth group can be a part of this ministry by collecting the following items:

*For women:*

Blanket, pillow, pillowcase, sheets, towels, washcloth, soap, shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, underwear, sanitary pads, socks.

*For children:*

Crayons, coloring books, children's scissors, construction paper, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, washcloth, pencils, drawing pads, stretch gloves.

*For babies:*

Baby bottles, Enfamil formula with iron, bottle brush, generic diapers (small or medium), baby shampoo, baby powder, Desitin or equivalent, baby towel, baby washcloth.

Instructions for shipping:

1. The above items are the most needed items requested, but feel free to be creative. Please include a check to cover the cost of the container (\$8.00 for women, \$3.00 for a child or baby). JPUSA staff will purchase the container with your donation.
2. Pack items for each category in a sturdy box. Include contents list and a check for each container you wish to fill.
3. Label the outside of the box: "For Women Ministries of the ECC Project Safe Essentials."
4. Ship the box to:

Sandy Ramsey  
Cornerstone Community Outreach  
4628 N Clifton Ave  
Chicago IL 60640