

Omaha VA - NEEDS LIST

VA Nebraska – Western Iowa Health Care System Voluntary Service - Omaha Campus

- **Omaha Stand Down will be Friday, November 16th, 2018** ←←←
→→→ **Donations need to be received by Tuesday, November 13th** ←←←
→→→ **University of Nebraska – Omaha Campus** ←←←
→→→ **Milo Bail Student Center Building** ←←←

Clothing: NEW clothing items:

- **Sweatpants and sweatshirts: sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL**
- T-shirts in various colors: sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL
- **Sweatpants and sweatshirts: sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL**
- Jeans: men's and women's: various sizes
- Sports Bras for Women: various sizes
- **Sweatpants and sweatshirts: sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL**
- Winter Coats: men and women's: various sizes
- Gloves and stocking hats
- Omaha has a healthy supply of socks and men's briefs at this time.

New Duffel Bags: given to certain Veterans who do not have any clothing and need a way to transport their clothing

Food Items for Pantry or Dialysis:

Canned goods, Boxed Meals such as macaroni & cheese, Hamburger Helper, rice packages, Canned meats (tuna, chicken, Spam, etc.), seasonings, condiments, cereal, cooking oil, non-stick spray, basically anything and everything that a kitchen would need!

Children's Activity Bags:

Organizations and individuals are needed to make small, kid friendly (bright prints and primary colors) (approximately 10' x 12") draw string ditty bags [**NEW MATERIAL PLEASE**]. (**No pencils, sharpeners or other sharp objects or small potential choking hazards please**).

Monetary donations:

To General Purpose Account 1602 – please note -- funds deposited into this account can be re-allocated to other accounts when those accounts run low.

Monetary donations for coffee.

Reminder - Monetary donations need to be sent to Des Moines office. Write in memo section of your check if you want to earmark it for something special.

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Veterans Health
Administration



AGENDA, OCTOBER 24, 2018

Welcome

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance: All

Discussion:

- VAVS Business
 - Ty – Lincoln Updates
 - Kari – Omaha Updates
 - Veterans Day Celebration Schedule Omaha, Thursday, Nov 8, 2018
 - 9am – 11am (Cookies – Lobby – MOCA, Marcia Jones)
 - 11am – 1pm (Cookies/Cake – Lobby – Elaine Kemper, Barb Counihan, Purple Heart Auxiliary)
 - 11am – 1pm (Distribute donated t-shirts throughout hospital – DAR, C.D., 1812)
 - 1pm – 3pm Cookie/Cake – Lobby – ALA NE, ALA IA, Jim Zach & Chick Gilmore, AL #331)
 - 1pm – 3pm (Distribute cake to inpatients – NEEDED)
 - VSO's Fund Raising for VAVS
 - National Salute to Hospitalized Veterans Week Feb 10th – 16th
 - Dinner for 10th floor Veterans - Omaha
 - Increase visitation throughout the week
 - Other ideas
- Executive Office Staff Update

Needs List Priorities

GPF 1602 donations (general Veteran programs-non earmarked)

See attached needs lists

Close

Future VAVS Meetings:

1:30 p.m., January 23, 2019, Omaha VAMC Education Conference Room

1:30 p.m., April 24, 2019, Omaha VAMC Education Conference Room

1:30 p.m., July 24, 2019, Omaha VAMC Education Conference Room

1:30 p.m., October 23, 2019, Omaha VAMC Education Conference Room

