

City Match 2019
 Sept. 23-25
 Providence, RI

Organizations responding to the needs of Women and Children

	Organization	County & Address	Description	Wishlist
1.	Dorcas International Institute of Rhode Island Diiri.org	PROVIDENCE 645 Elmwood Ave. Lower Level, Providence, RI 02907	Dorcas International Institute of Rhode Island is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that provides programs and services to immigrants, refugees, and those looking to overcome cultural, educational, economic, and language barriers. Dorcas International has worked to empower newcomers for nearly 100 years now and strives to create a welcoming environment for all who come to settle here in the Ocean State.	Priority Items: http://diiri.org/clothing-collaborative/ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gift Cards. 2. New or gently-used items for adults & children: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Professional and casual clothing; Fashion accessories; Shoes; Plus size clothing for men and women (Especially sizes 14 and 16 for women). 3. New toiletries: Shampoo, conditioner, soap, toilet paper, toothbrushes, toothpaste, razors, deodorant, feminine pads, and skin lotion (regular and travel size). 4. Baby care items: Diapers, wipes, baby lotion, clothing, bedding, etc. – NO baby food or formula. 5. Cleaning products: Bleach products, spray cleaners,

				<p>detergents, paper towels, etc.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Bath: Bath towels and washcloths. 7. Bed linens: Sheets, pillows, pillowcases, blankets, and comforters. 8. Dinnerware & Cookware: Forks, knives, spoons, plates, bowls, drinking glasses, coffee/tea mugs, pans, and mixing/serving bowls. 9. Laptops and iPads. <p>Monetary Donation: https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/diiri</p>
2.	<p>Sojourner House http://www.sojournerri.org/</p>	<p>PROVIDENCE 386 Smith Street, Providence, RI 02908</p>	<p>For over 40 years, Sojourner House has served over 60,000 victims and survivors of domestic and sexual violence. Every day we receive requests for assistance from individuals in abusive relationships.</p> <p>Thanks to our supporters, we are able to offer them support groups, emergency shelter, transitional housing, sexual health advocacy, emotional support, referrals to over 50 other community partners providing additional assistance, and</p>	<p>Housewarming Registry: tgt.gifts/sojohousewarming</p> <p>Monetary Donation: https://www.mightycause.com/organization/Sojournerhouserri</p>

			<p>more.</p> <p><u>Mission:</u> Sojourner House aims to promote healthy relationships by providing culturally sensitive support, advocacy, and education for victims and survivors of domestic and sexual violence; and to effect systems change</p>	
3.	<p>Community Care Alliance www.communitycareri.org</p>	<p>PROVIDENCE PO Box 1700 Woonsocket, RI 02895</p>	<p>Community Care Alliance was established on July 1, 2014 to create a comprehensive multi-service agency that better addresses the needs in the community. Community Care Alliance has over 125 years of experience—a long history of working to strengthen families, individuals and the community of Woonsocket.</p> <p>Our goal is to empower people challenged by economic insecurity, mental illness and addictions, housing issues, and other trauma-related concerns. We provide counseling, treatment and support services; food, shelter and housing; programs to assist with self-sufficiency such as employment, financial literacy and vocational training; and support for self-help.</p>	<p>http://www.communitycareri.org/GetInvolved/OtherWaystoDonate/DonationWishList.aspx</p> <p>These are some of the items most needed by families in the Woonsocket Shelter and other agency programs. We greatly appreciate any donations you are able to provide!</p> <p><i>Personal Care Kits</i> – Personal care products for individuals & families in the Woonsocket Shelter and clients of our Agape Center are always needed (shampoo, soap, lotion, toothpaste, toothbrushes, razors, feminine products, diapers, household cleaners, laundry detergent, first aid items, toilet paper, Kleenex)</p>

			<p><u>Our mission:</u> We support individuals and families in their efforts to meet economic, social and emotional challenges and enhance their well-being.</p>	<p><i>Shelter Family Kits</i> - Families moving into the shelter are in need of bedding (pillows, single-size bed sheets, blankets), personal care products, shower curtains and curtain hooks/rings and food.</p> <p><i>Moving to Home Kits</i> - Items for residents moving out of the Woonsocket Shelter are always needed (sheets, blankets, bath towels, pillows, dishes, silverware, pots and pans)</p> <p><i>New Baby Kits</i> - Items for families welcoming a new child are always needed (baby clothes, blankets, diapers, bouncy seats). Larger items such as car safety seats and strollers also appreciated.</p> <p>Monetary Donations: https://www.communitycareri.org/GetInvolved/DonateNow.aspx</p>
4.	<p>Elizabeth Buffum Chace Center https://ebccenter.org/</p>	<p>KENT PO Box 9476 Warwick, RI 02889</p>	<p>The Elizabeth Buffum Chace Center was founded in 1977 as the Elizabeth Buffum Chace House. This was a Community Improvement Project of the G.F.W.C. Warwick Junior Women's Club with the intent of providing immediate, temporary shelter and support services for</p>	<p>https://ebccenter.org/donations/</p> <p><u>Cleaning Supplies</u> Paper towels; Toilet paper; Large black bags/lawn and leaf size; Liquid Dishwashing soap</p> <p><u>Household</u></p>

			<p>women and children in crisis due to domestic violence. Original services, which continue through the present time, included the crisis hotline and the safe shelter. Over the years, new services were added to address the needs of women who are unable or not ready to seek shelter, and to include men who are victims of abuse. In 2004, we opened our Community Center in Warwick to better serve community-based clients and to strengthen our work in the community. EBCC is a member of the RI Coalition Against Domestic Violence.</p> <p><u>Our Mission:</u> Our mission is to end the perpetration and societal tolerance of interpersonal violence, including all forms of domestic and sexual abuse, and until that is achieved, to provide comprehensive services to victims and education in the community.</p>	<p>Brooms; Disposable Mops/Handles; Vacuum Cleaner</p> <p><u>Toiletries</u> Body Wash; Liquid Hand Soap; Lotion; Toothpaste; Deodorant</p> <p><u>Gift Cards (in any amount):</u> Big Lots; Burger King; Cumberland Farms; CVS; Dave's; Dollar Tree; Dunkin Donuts; Family Dollar; Ocean State Job Lot; McDonald's; Shaws; Stop & Shop; Target; Walgreens; Walmart</p> <p><u>Prepaid Gas Cards:</u> Speedway; Shell; Cumberland Farms</p> <p>Monetary Donations: https://ebccenter.org/donations/</p>
5.	<p>Domestic Violence Resource Center of South County (DVRCS)</p> <p>https://www.dvrcsc.org/</p>	<p>WASHINGTON</p> <p>61 Main Street Wakefield, RI 02879</p>	<p><u>Our Mission</u> The Domestic Violence Resource Center of South County (DVRCS) is a nonprofit agency that works toward a future free of violence, and to build a community in which each individual shares the responsibility to create a</p>	<p>https://www.dvrcsc.org/item-donations</p> <p>New/or Gently used TWIN bed sheets. Please Note: Gently used sheets MUST arrive in a plastic bag per RI State Health Department</p>

			<p>culture of safety and personal dignity. We work collaboratively to offer safety, support, advocacy, education and a network of services to the residents of Washington County. The DVRCS is dedicated to both preventing and responding to domestic violence by working to change the social conditions, beliefs, and social actions that perpetuate abuse.</p> <p><u>Our History:</u> In 1978, a group of young mothers met around a kitchen table to explore women's issues in their community. With no paid staff or equipment, these visionaries opened the Battered Women's Project in the annex of the Hope Valley Baptist Church and incorporated as the Women's Resource Center of Wood River in April, 1978. Their first budget totaled \$183.79, with a priority on what have remained our core programs – referrals, support, legal advocacy, hotline and safe housing for clients. In 1985, the Safe Home was purchased and renovated. In 1989, the Drop-In Center at 61 Main Street in Wakefield was purchased.</p>	<p>regulations; Pillow Protectors; Towels</p> <p>Cleaning & Other Supplies: Paper Towels, toilet paper, tissues, HE Laundry detergent, Trash Bags (13 gallon), Toilet Bowl, Floor and Glass Cleaners, Lysol Spray & Wipes, Dish Soap, Dishwasher Detergent, Hand Soap</p> <p>Board Games - ie: Candy Land, Connect Four, Guess Who, Snakes & Ladders, Checkers, Chess, Backgammon, Playing cards, dice</p> <p>Puzzles - wooden form board, 25 pc, 100 pc</p> <p>Cell Phone Donation Wondering what to do with those out-of-date cell phones that are just sitting in your drawer? They can be a lifeline to a victim of domestic violence.</p>
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6.	<p>Lucy's Hearth</p> <p>http://www.lucyshearth.org/</p>	<p>NEWPORT</p> <p>19 Valley Rd, Middletown, RI 02842</p>	<p>Lucy's Hearth is a 24-hour emergency and transitional shelter for families and their children who are homeless due to economic hardship, family crisis, divorce, eviction, and severe shortage of safe, affordable housing. The primary goal is to foster independence and help the residents gain the life skills necessary to prevent future homelessness.</p> <p>Lucy's Hearth is entering our 34th year providing shelter and programming for families experiencing homelessness. We currently accommodate up to 15 families.</p> <p>The goal for each family is to achieve permanent, affordable housing and to increase each families self-sufficiency. While in residence, families undergo a comprehensive assessment, create short and long term goals engage in self-sufficiency programming.</p>	<p>http://www.lucyshearth.org/donate/food-items/</p> <p>Food: We accept canned goods and non-perishable food, as well as prepared food and fresh vegetables and fruit.</p> <p>Bedding: Single bed sheet sets, blankets and comforters are our primary need, though we will accept double bedding. We cannot take queen or king size.</p> <p>Towels: We are always looking for donations of towels!</p> <p>Monetary Donations: http://www.lucyshearth.org/donate/financial/</p>
7.	<p>Women's Resource Center (WRC)</p> <p>www.wrcnbc.org</p>	<p>NEWPORT</p> <p>114 Touro Street, Newport, RI 02840</p>	<p>Women's Resource Center (WRC) was founded in 1977 to provide comprehensive domestic violence intervention and prevention services</p>	<p>http://www.wrcnbc.org/how-you-can-help/wishlist/</p> <p>1. Art Supplies</p>

			<p>that educate, advocate for, and shelter any individual in need of assistance. Each year, WRC helps women, children, families, men and the elderly of Newport and Bristol Counties obtain the services they need to secure their physical, mental, emotional and financial safety from domestic abuse.</p> <p>Today, the WRC provides assistance for victims in a number of ways: Helping to obtain temporary restraining orders against perpetrators; Explaining their rights; Accompanying them to court; Helping them find shelter for themselves and their children; Helping children who witness abuse with counseling; Training police to deal with the problem; Counseling for adults; Support clients with DHS services through the Family Violence Advocacy Program</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Diapers & Pull-ups, all sizes 3. Gas Gift Cards 4. Grocery, Target, Walmart, etc. Gift Cards 5. Old/used Cell Phones 6. Paper products (toilet paper, tissues, paper cups and plates, napkins, disposable utensils) 7. Toiletries Items (Full-size shampoos, conditioners, feminine products, body washes, soaps, razors, toothbrushes, dental floss, toothpaste, moisturizers, hair products, skin products, etc.) <p>Monetary Donations: https://wrcnbc.networkforgood.com/projects/44903-annual-fund-campaign</p>
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