Blessing Bag Checklist

A great way to help homeless men and women on the streets is by preparing and handing out “Blessing Bags.”

Blessing bags are a great alternative to giving cash and often include essential items such as toiletries, socks, gloves, snacks and gift cards.

In addition to these things, include a brochure guiding them to Springs Rescue Mission where they can receive help and guidance.

THANK YOU FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE
CHECKLIST FOR A BLESSING BAG

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS
- Granola Bars
- Tuna/Crackers Kits
- Trail Mix
- Raisins
- Fruit Cups
- Beef Jerky Sticks

TOILETRIES
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Floss
- Soap
- Deodorant
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Comb
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Sunscreen
- Chapstick

WINTER ITEMS
- Hand warmers
- Feet warmers
- Gloves
- Stocking caps
- Scarfs
- Gaiters
- Beanies

ADDITIONAL ITEMS
- Small denomination gift cards for coffee and food
- A note of encouragement
- Springs Rescue Mission Information (A printable version is available on our website)

Print this helpful brochure and insert into a blessing bag!
Springs Rescue Mission

Campus Resource Guide

RESOURCES & SERVICES
- Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- Nightly Shelter
- Housing Help
- Clothing and Essentials
- Work & Employment Programs
- Medical, Mental Health and Dental Care
- Storage Lockers & Bins
- Government Assistance
- Case Management
- Addiction Recovery
- Spiritual Encouragement
- Mail Services
- Help & Hope

PARTNER AGENCIES
- Apply for SNAP, Medicaid and other DHS benefits
- Get help obtaining a state issued ID, Birth Certificate and Social Security Card
- Be seen by a medical professional on campus
- Get dental care on campus
- And more!
  More information is available about services and other service providers in the Resource Center.

SCHEDULES TO KNOW

Orientation
Learn more about SRM at 3pm in the Resource Center.

Meal Times
Breakfast: 8:00am – 8:30am
Lunch: 11:15am – 11:45am
Dinner: 4:00pm – 4:30pm

Shelter Times
Entry: 5:00pm – 7:00am
Next-Step: 5:00pm – 7:00am
Advanced: 4:00pm – 8:00am
(Curfew is at 10:00pm)

Storage
Lockers and other storage options are available.

Showers and Laundry
Visit the Resource Center for more information.

5 W. Las Vegas Street  |  Colorado Springs, CO 80903
P: 719-632-1822  |  E: info@springsrescuemission.org

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Parking: 75 W. Las Vegas St.
Please park along the fence in the gravel lot behind the building.

Welcome Center: 5 W. Las Vegas
Guests must enter campus through this four-story red building, where they’ll receive additional information and guidance. Includes pet kennels and a dog run.

Resource Center: 21 W. Las Vegas St.
At this facility, guests can access showers, laundry services, case management, medical care, mail services and government assistance programs.

Samaritan’s Kitchen & Dining Hall: 9 E. Las Vegas
Breakfast, lunch and dinner are offered every day — free of charge.

Entry Shelter: 25 W. Las Vegas St.
Provides nightly beds for men and women who are new to SRM — the first stop on a journey toward permanent housing.

Men’s Shelter: 23 W. Las Vegas St.
Males who are working or engaged in SRM’s work programming may apply through case management. Visit the Resource Center for more information.

Women’s Shelter
Females who are working or engaged in SRM’s work programming may apply through case management. Visit the Resource Center for more information. (Removed location from map to protect guests.)

Lockers
Available to guests who meet certain criteria. Ask your case manager for more information.