

Simple ways anyone in the community can support Project Self-Sufficiency!

Community Care Drives



BACK TO SCHOOL FAIR – August 20, 2015

Project Self-Sufficiency collects donations of new school supplies to be distributed to participant families at our annual Back to School Fair. Items needed include: Pens & Pencils, Crayons & Markers, Rulers, Scissors, Glue Sticks, Notebooks & Loose Leaf Paper, Binders, Book Covers.

Donations for the Back to School Fair are accepted June 1 through August 19.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS – November 2015

Every November, Project Self-Sufficiency distributes all the fixings for a Thanksgiving feast to families in need. We accept donations of frozen turkeys, as well as all the fixings— stuffing, mashed potato mixes, gravies, canned vegetables, pies, rolls, etc.



Turkey donations must be dropped off at the PSS campus on Monday, November 23 only. All other Thanksgiving food donations are accepted October 1 through November 20.



SEASON OF HOPE – December 2015

Beginning each November, Project Self-Sufficiency eagerly accepts donations of new, unwrapped gifts for all ages, infants through teens. Gifts are made available to needy families through the Season of Hope Toy Shop, which enables families to “shop” cost-free for gifts for their children. Cash and gift card donations always needed and welcome.

Season of Hope Donations are accepted November 1 through December 22.

ALL YEAR ROUND –

BABY ITEMS

Project Self-Sufficiency needs donations for our home visitation programs working with pregnant women and mothers of infants and toddlers:

Diapers & Wipes (*large sizes esp. needed*)
Formula
Jarred Baby Food
Baby Shampoo, Lotion, Etc.
New or gently used Board Books



CHILDREN'S SNEAKERS

There is a great need for new children's sneakers for girls and boys of all ages.



FOOD PANTRY

Project Self-Sufficiency is always seeking donations of non-perishable food and toiletry items for our on-site Food Pantry. Items needed include:

Canned Goods – Vegetables, Fruits, Soups, Etc.
High Protein Items – Canned Beans, Tuna, Nut Butters
Jarred Items – Sauces, Gravies
Bottled Juices & Juice Boxes
Diapers (All Sizes) & Wipes
Personal Care Items – Shampoo, Deodorant, Feminine Hygiene, Toothpaste, Etc.



PSS also seeks perishable goods such as eggs and fresh fruits and vegetables.



VEHICLE DONATIONS

PSS is seeking to expand its successful Vehicle Donation Program. All vehicle recipients are screened by Project Self-Sufficiency, must be actively participating in education or job training, and must perform 25 hours of community service prior to receiving the vehicle.



If your group is interested in hosting a donation drive, please contact Whitney Mayer at (973) 940-3500 to make arrangements.