

# WELCOME NEW BABY KITS



## Meet Tangible Needs of Newly Arriving Refugee Families

Refugees often flee their homes at a moment's notice. They arrive at our airport with few belongings, a difficult past and high hopes for the future. "New Baby" welcome kits provide the essential items a refugee mother needs to take care of her new baby.

## BUILD A KIT IN THREE EASY STEPS

1. Mobilize your family, friends, faith community, work or school to collect the items on the lists below. ***\*NEW & GENTLY USED ITEMS ONLY PLEASE!***
2. Pack items in a sturdy box.  
*Note: Large plastic bins work well and will be reused by refugee families.*
3. Call 413.737.2601 to arrange pick-up or drop-off of items.

## KITS

### Sleeping

- Crib
- Crib mattress (new)
- Crib bedding
- Waterproof crib sheets
- Bassinet
- Bassinet bedding
- Receiving blankets
- Blankets

### Feeding

- Baby formula
- Baby bottles/nipples
- Breast pump
- Nursing pads
- Baby bibs
- Burping cloths
- Sippy cups
- Baby utensils
- Bottle brushes

### Clothing

- Onesies
- Sleepers/gowns
- Shirts
- Pants
- Socks/booties
- Infant hats
- Sleep sac

- Hoodie/jacket
- Winter snowsuit

### Diapering

- Changing table
- Changing pad
- Diapers
- Diaper bag

### Bathing

- Baby bathtub
- Baby wash cloths
- Hooded bath towels

### Baby Gear

- Infant car seat (new)
- Stroller
- Baby monitor (optional)
- Infant carrier
- Bouncer
- Sleep & Play

### Baby Toys

- Rattles
- Activity gym
- Cuddly toys

### Safety

- First aid kit
- Baby proofing supplies (for outlets)

### Grooming Care

- Baby nail clippers
- Hairbrush
- Baby thermometer
- Cotton swabs
- Baby teether
- Pacifier
- Nasal aspirator
- \*Diaper rash ointment
- \*Baby wipes
- \*Shampoo/soap
- \*Powder
- \*Lotion/oil

\*Please purchase fragrance free--so many items are full of chemicals and fragrances that often cause rashes for babies. Most generic brands (Target, Stop & Shop) now carry fragrance free options.

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