



HINES VA FISHER HOUSE WISH LIST



The Fisher House Foundation is very generous and new Fisher Houses come fully furnished. However, there are things the Foundation does not provide that the Hines Fisher House will need on an ongoing basis. In addition, while the VA funds day-to-day operational costs, including utilities and salaries, each Fisher House is responsible for the on-going provision of comfort items, non-perishable foods, etc. through voluntary donations. Based on this, some of the items the Hines Fisher House is in need of include:

Monetary donations - These give us the flexibility to use your donation as a particular need arises and are extremely welcome. Checks can be made out to “**Hines VA Hospital GPF 1056**” with a note in the memo section “**Fisher House.**” Checks can be mailed to: **Hines VA Hospital
Voluntary Service
5000 S. 5th Avenue
Hines, Illinois 60141**

Gift cards - To stores such as Jewel, Target, WalMart, and Bed Bath and Beyond and other area businesses. These provide us flexibility to fill unanticipated, specific needs of our guests.

Gift Registry – The Hines Fisher House is registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond for items not provided by the Fisher Foundation. This is a quick, easy way to support the Fisher House and can be done online at www.bedbathandbeyond.com. Hines is registered under “Friends of Fisher House.”

***THE ABOVE ITEMS ARE MOST NEEDED AT THIS TIME. ONCE THE HOUSE IS OPEN, OUR NEEDS WILL EXPAND TO INCLUDE:

Houseware Products – Smaller plastic storage/freezer containers; plastic baggies (pint, quart & gallon); plastic & styrofoam cups, paper plates, plastic knives, forks & spoons.

Kitchen Staples – Sugar, flour, salt, pepper, other common seasonings, non-dairy coffee creamers, non-sugar sweeteners, rice, pasta, cooking oil, shortening; breakfast cereal, cans of soup, canned vegetables

Cleaning Supplies – For guests to use when cleaning their rooms and communal areas, such as cleaning rags, kitchen sponges, dish liquid, dishwasher detergent, laundry detergent, etc.

Reading & Writing Materials – Cross-word and find-a-word puzzles, new magazine subscriptions, blank journals, stamps, etc.

Due to health and safety issues, we are only able to accept donation of new items.

Please feel free to call the Hines Fisher House Manager at 708-202-2745 for further details on any items noted above. **Thank you for your support to the Hines VA Fisher House!**