

Hello and welcome to Hearts to Homes!



We want to be one of the first people to say congratulations on your new apartment! This is a new chapter in your life and one of the first steps you will take as an independent adult. We know that there are probably a million things going through your mind right now, including excitement, as you transition into your apartment. You might also be wondering, “How can I turn my apartment into a home if I don’t have the funds to purchase basic living essentials?” That is where we step in.

At Hearts to Homes, our mission is to assist newly independent young adults who have just aged out of foster care by providing the essentials to furnish a new home. The Wish List, which is part of this package, allows you to select the items you may need and the furniture that fits your taste. It includes many items that might be necessary for a first home. The furnishings and furniture we provide ensure that you have a functioning kitchen, bedroom, bathroom, and living room. We also provide you with cleaning supplies. After you complete your Wish List, we will place orders for the items. Any furniture you select will be delivered directly to you, and any of the furnishings will be delivered to your agency for final delivery to your new home. All items you select from the Wish List are brand new and completely yours. We are so excited to be a part of this new chapter in your life!

Our goal is to help you feel comfortable in your new home with all the basics you may need. We have found that this helps to facilitate the stability of young adults aging out of foster care. There are a couple of things that we will ask from you in return.

- When your items are delivered, you should find a brief questionnaire in an envelope among the items. Would you please fill it out and return it to us? We’ve provided a stamped envelope for you to make it easy! Your feedback is very important to us.
- It’s important for us to know that our mission makes a difference. Once a year, we will ask your agency to get in touch with you to see how you are doing. We want to hear about your accomplishments, goal progress, or anything that you want to share. They will probably reach out to you in November or December each year. It’s really important that you reach back to them. Our ability to help someone else in the future depends on you answering a few simple questions once a year!
- If you provide us with your email address, you will be placed on our alumni email list serve. We won’t drive you crazy with emails, but we will send you information that comes to us about opportunities that you may be interested in. You can opt out at any time, but we look forward to remaining connected to each other even after you receive all of the furnishings.

We hope that this letter introduces you to who we are, the service we will be providing to you, and our wish to see you succeed. In order to learn a bit more about you, we will be asking you a few questions on the next page. Share what you are comfortable with. Follow us on social media @hearts_to_homes (Instagram/Twitter) and check out our website (heartstohomes.org) to learn more about who we are.

Welcome to the Hearts to Homes family!

Sincerely,

Mary Theresa McCombe
Executive Director at Hearts to Homes

Jeremiah Perez-Torres
Board of Directors, Volunteer

As mentioned in the welcome letter, here we'd love to get to know you a little bit more. This will also allow us to forward you any relevant opportunities that you might want to take advantage of. The more information you provide, the better we can serve you. We would like to thank you in advance for telling us more about you and we look forward to seeing you become a Hearts to Homes alumnus!

1. What is your name? _____

2. Do you have a Fair Futures coach? If yes, what is their name and phone number?

3. What goals do you have (e.g. graduate college, start a business)? 5 year plan? 10 year plan? Are there any fields in particular that you are interested in (e.g. engineering, art)?

4. Can you tell us a little bit about you? Do you have any hobbies? Share whatever comes to mind here?

5. Are you interested in any form of mentorship? If so, what would you like mentorship in?

5. Is there anything you would like to share about that you have not written in any of the above responses?

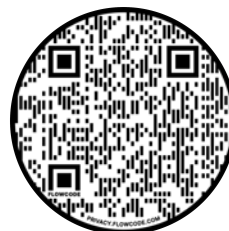
6. How can we stay in contact with you? Please provide an email address and phone number to reach you. Also, feel free to provide any social media accounts you may have.

7. Do you have any questions for us?

Meet Us



Learn About H2H





First Home Wish List

Hearts to Homes is pleased to help you furnish your first home. Please fill in the information requested and check off the items that are needed.
(Demographic Data for Statistical Purposes Only)

First and Last Name		Case Planner Name	
How Do you Identify? Male Female Nonbinary		Case Planner Contact Phone	
Size of Apartment		Case Planner Contact Email	
Age	Ethnicity	Level of Education (Please check all that apply)	
Favorite Colors		HSDiploma GED Completed GED - 2 parts Enrolled in College Trade/Certificate Program College Degree	
Type of Housing Public/Voucher Private Supportive		# of Children: N/A Custodial Non-Custodial Age(s):	
Employment Full-time Part-time Not employed		Anticipated Move-In Date	Trial Discharge Final Discharge

Kitchen

Dinette Set: (select one style)

Blake Drop leaf Dinette and chairs (42"x 25")

Color choices (select one)

Cherry & Black White & Gray Graphite & White



Morgan 3-piece Counter Height Set

Cherry Gray



Oven mitts
 Plates, bowls, mugs
 Cutting board
 Cutlery and drawer organizer
 Knife set
 Glassware
 Pots and pans
 Cookbook
 Trash can and trash bags
 Toaster
 Spatulas, ladles, whisks, etc.
 Dishtowels



Kitchen (Continued)

Dish drying rack
Colander
Dish soap and sponges
Measuring cups
Measuring spoons
Food storage containers and zip-top bags
Mixing bowls
Can opener
Peeler
Microwave
Coffee maker
Ice cube tray
Baking dish

Bathroom

Towels (2 sets)
Shower curtain
Toilet brush/plunger
Bath mat
Small garbage can
Hair dryer
Curling iron
Hair straightener
Electric razor
Shower curtain rod

Bedroom

Pillows (2)
Comforter set
Sheet sets (2)
Lamp and lightbulbs
Hangers
Alarm clock
Mattress pad

Please indicate bed size!

Full size mattress

Queen size mattress

Twin size mattress

Note: Hearts to Homes does **NOT** provide a mattress, box spring, or bed frame.

Bedroom (Continued)

Nightstand: (select one style and color)

Spencer Nightstand

Color choices: **White**



Fusion Nightstand

Color choice: **White & Brown**



Calvin Nightstand

Color choice: **White Gray Brown**



General

Vacuum
Mop, mop refill & bucket
Broom & dust pan
Iron
Ironing board
Cleaning supplies/air freshener
Extension cord and surge protector
Basic tools
Laundry detergent, bleach
Laundry basket
Flashlight and batteries
Oscillating fan
CO alarm and batteries
Area rug
Rolling duffel bag
Shopping/utility cart
Fire extinguisher
First aid kit



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Living Room

Television

TV Stand

Lamp and lightbulbs

If furniture is being ordered, please provide (required)

Address, including apartment number:

City, State, Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Coffee tables: (Select one style, Please consider apartment size)



Studio Nesting Tables

(only choice available
for studio apartments)



Amari Coffee Table Set

Color Gold



Carson Coffee Table



Bristol Table

Color White



Bettie Lift Top
Coffee Table

Color Walnut

Please note that those in studio apartments may select a chair OR a loveseat but not both.

Seating: (Select one style and color)



Brady Glider Recliner: Color Choices

Gray Silver Brown



Cleo: Color Choices

Gray Brown Yellow



Stevie: Color Choices

Brown Gray



Scarlett: Color Choices

Beige Black

Seafoam Ocean Blue



Reece: Color Choices

Tangerine Gray



Flynn: Color Choices

Teal Gray



Seating (Continued)

Loveseat: (select one style and color) *Please be sure the loveseat will fit the room if you are in a studio!*



Laurel model 65" Loveseat: Color Choices

Gray Beige



Stevie model 65" Loveseat: Color Choices

Brown Charcoal



Bettie model 65" Loveseat: Color Choices

Gray Teal Russet Avocado



Virgo model 69" Loveseat: Color Choices

Brown Charcoal



Kara model 51" Loveseat (Beige)



Lola model 67" Loveseat: Color Choices

Gray Light Blue