

JOIN THE COLORADO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS TO

WELCOME OUR HEROES HOME

Renaissance Veterans Apartments at Fitzsimons opens in November 2020 and will provide 60 units of permanent supportive housing to end veteran homelessness. The Colorado Coalition for the Homeless is calling for help to create welcoming homes with donations of new or gently used furnishings and housewares.

Most of the soon-to-be residents have experienced long-term, chronic homelessness, so they own little or no home furnishings. Your company, church, or community group can help by gathering items for each one-bedroom, 350 sf ft apartment. **See the next page for a list.**

Sixty apartments are a lot to fill, but we can meet this need with a little help from a lot of people. Here are ways to help:

- Gather donations of furnishings and gently used housewares.
- Visit our **Amazon gift registry** at <https://amzn.to/358EqT3> and purchase items that will be shipped directly to the Coalition.
- Donate gift cards for Amazon, Target, Walmart, or Bed Bath & Beyond. We will use these to purchase housewares.
- Donate any amount at ColoradoCoalition.org/VetApts and we'll use your gift to purchase needed items.

Your group can make a big difference. We can help you structure the activity so it's fun and still meets social distancing requirements.

In metro Denver, veterans represent 11.5% of the population experiencing homelessness. Renaissance Veteran Apartments, a collaborative project with the Colorado Department of Veterans Affairs and the US Department of Veterans Affairs, will provide permanent supportive housing for men and women who have served and now need our help to maintain long-term stability.

The Colorado Coalition for the Homeless works collaboratively toward the prevention of homelessness and the creation of lasting solutions for families, children, and individuals who are experiencing or at-risk of homelessness throughout Colorado.

We believe homelessness is solvable. Homes, health, and hope are the answer.

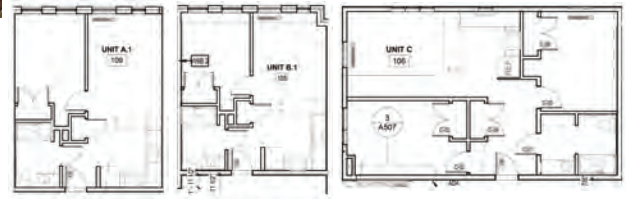


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The Renaissance Veterans Apartments at Fitzsimons will offer a new start for veterans who have experienced chronic homelessness.



ITEMS NEEDED FOR EACH APARTMENT

WELCOME PACK CHECKLIST

✓ KITCHEN - BOLD indicates necessities for move-in	✓ CLEANING - BOLD indicates necessities for move-in
Bowls (2)	Bleach Wipes
Can Opener	Broom and Dustpan
Chef's Knife	Cleaning Rags
Coffee Mugs (2)	Dish Detergent
Coffee Pot & Filters	Floor Cleaner
Colander	Laundry Detergent
Cookware – large and small pots, skillet	Mop and Bucket
Cutlery Set (4 each of forks, knives, spoons)	Scouring Powder
Cutting Board	Sponge
Dish Towels (2)	Spray Cleaner
Food Storage Containers (variety pack)	Trash Bags (kitchen size)
Garbage Can (kitchen size)	Vacuum
Measuring Cups and Spoons	
Microwave Oven	LIVING ROOM - BOLD indicates necessities for move-in
Mixing Bowls – large and small	Chair
Oven Mitts or Hot Pad	Coffee Table
Paper Towels	Couch (75" max)
Plates (2)	Kitchen Table (small)
Salt and Pepper Shakers	Lamps
Spatula	Television
Toaster	TV Stand
Water Glasses (2)	
Wooden or Plastic Cooking Spoons	BEDROOM - BOLD indicates necessities for move-in
	Alarm Clock
BATHROOM - BOLD indicates necessities for move-in	Bed – twin or full frame. (We cannot accept used mattresses.)
Bath Towels (2)	Blanket
Bathmat	Comforter
Body Soap	Dresser
Hand Soap	Full Length Mirror
Hand Towels (2)	Hangers
Nail Clippers	Lamps
Plunger	Pillow
Shampoo and Conditioner	Pillowcase
Shower Curtain Rings	Sheets (twin or full sets)
Shower Curtain Rod	Side Table
Toilet Brush	Storage Bin
Toilet Paper	Trash Can (small)
Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Floss	
Trash Can (small)	MISCELLANEOUS
Washcloths (2)	Batteries
	First Aid Kit
	Laundry Basket
	Notepad & Pens



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