



Guidelines for Donors

Empower Yolo seeks to fulfill its mission of providing free clothing to people in need. We try to level out the playing field for those in need by helping them improve their outside appearance and boost their self-confidence.

Clothing

Empower Yolo will accept gently used, appropriate clothing, for women, men and children. Please do not donate soiled, spotted or frayed clothing.

Socks & Underwear

Underwear and socks need to be new. We need all sizes including adult sizes.

Shoes

Shoes should be in good condition.

Linens

We accept sheets, blankets, comforters, and towels. Our shelter especially needs twin sheets and towels.

Toiletries

We accept toiletries from small sizes for the homeless to full-size shampoo, conditioner, soap and other toiletries for our shelter and clients moving to new homes. We cannot accept partially used toiletries or make-up.

Cleaning supplies

Our shelter for victims of domestic violence is always in need of cleaning supplies and toilet paper.

Appliances

We occasionally take small appliances as space allows. Because we do not have adequate storage we can only accept appliances as the need arises. Please call us (530-661-6336) if you have a washer, dryer or other large appliance to donate and we can let you know if we can take it.

Televisions and computer monitors

We only accept televisions or computer monitors with a flat screen.

Furniture

Again because of storage we generally do not accept furniture; however because we have a rapid re-housing program for the homeless and operate a shelter for victims of domestic violence, we occasionally have clients who are starting over in a new apartment and need furniture. Please call us to see if we have a client in need. (530-661-6336).