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**Monetary Donations**

Please make checks payable to:

**Clement J. Zablocki VAMC**

If you have an area preference for your donation, then please designate a program area from page 11 listed under “General Post Fund Accounts.”

If you prefer making a general donation to Veteran services at Milwaukee, but without designating a specific area, then specify General Post Fund – GPF #9070. This designation will support the needs of ALL Veteran patients.

**Mail To**

Zablocki VAMC

**Voluntary Service Office**

5000 W. National Avenue

Milwaukee, WI 53295

**Online**

VA Medical Centers can now accept donations online via major credit card or debit directly from your checking or savings account. To donate online, select a state and medical center, then click ‘Donate Online’. 100 percent of your donation will go toward supporting Veterans and you can even choose which fund your money will support. An immediate confirmation of your donation will be generated with a receipt. A thank you letter will follow.

- Navigate to the following link and then select “Milwaukee-Clement J. Zablocki VA Medical Center” in the “Your facility” field. [https://www.pay.gov/public/form/start/53167010/](https://www.pay.gov/public/form/start/53167010/)
- A donation link is also available on the Milwaukee VA's Voluntary Service webpage at [https://www.milwaukee.va.gov/giving/index.asp](https://www.milwaukee.va.gov/giving/index.asp)
Item Donations

Item donation drop off hours are Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. at the Voluntary Service office located at:

Milwaukee VA Medical Center
5000 W. National Ave
Milwaukee, WI 53295
Building 70, Room C-16
414-384-2000, ext. 41803

If you have a large number of items to donate and you will need assistance of the office staff, then we appreciate a call ahead to coordinate a date and time with us.

Driving directions: Navigate to Milwaukee VA, head to the west end of campus, to N. Washington Drive, turn onto Volunteer Drive. Follow Volunteer Drive along Building 70, heading East. Pull past the third wing of Building 70 and on the right-hand side you will see a parking space labeled “20-minute Voluntary Service Parking”. Use this parking space, to look the right for the Voluntary Service door, go in this door, up a small flight of stairs and through the door on the landing.

QUESTIONS?
414-384-2000, ext. 41803

We want your help and support, if you have questions please contact us.
414-384-2000, ext. 41803

Volunteers run male’s and female’s clothing rooms in our medical center. These clothing room are used to help support veterans who are in need of clothing and toiletries. This is ran by clothing donations and monetary donations.

We are unable to accept the following:
- Medical Equipment (to include beds, wheelchairs, walkers, etc.)
- Electronics
- Houseware items
- Used bedding/blankets
- Used sandals/socks/undergarments
- Clothing older than 10 years
- Off-season clothing (example)
Patient Needs
as of June 2018

Needed year-round for veterans:

a. Men's:
   1. New socks (white, dress, winter)
   2. New underwear (M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   3. New undershirts (M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   4. New underwear (M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   5. Gently used/new sweatpants (M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   6. Gently used/new hooded sweatshirts (M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   7. Gently used/new Jeans (most needed: 30-34 inch waist)
   8. Gently used/new Athletic shoes (size 9-13)
   9. Gently used/new Dress shoes (size 9-13)
  10. Gently used/new winter boots (size 9-13)
  11. Gently used/new winter coats (size XL-3XL)
  12. Gently used/new Flannel shirts (M-3XL)

b. Women's:
   1. New bras
   2. New underwear (size 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)
   3. Gently used/new sweatpants (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   4. New socks (white, dress, winter)
   5. Gently used/new T-shirts (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)
   6. Athletic shoes (all sizes)
   7. Gently used/new winter coats (all sizes)
   8. Gently used/new winter boots (all sizes)

c. Toiletries:
   1. Disposable razors (men's and women's)
   2. Men's and Women's shaving cream
   3. Travel size Shampoo
   4. Toothbrushes
   5. Toothpaste
   6. Travel size body lotion
   7. Deodorant: men's and women's
   8. Body wash or bar soap (Dove soap is appreciated)
   9. Combs
  10. Chapstick or lip balm

d. Umbrellas for Men's Clothing Room
e. Magazines & books
   • Magazines must be current or within 6 months
   • Gently used paperback or hardcover books

f. Itunes gift cards to support iPads and iPods in all Veteran care areas

NEW WISH LIST ITEMS:
If you are donating for a certain area please specify location at the time of donation.

Adult Day Care (Vets Club) and Home Based Care
   b. Folgers decaffeinated ground coffee 30.5-ounce container
   c. Bulk napkins
   d. Tablecloths – disposable for special holidays and events (Qty. 4 per theme or color)
   e. Bingo prizes – canteen books, assorted hard candy, candy bars, bags of chips, cans of soda, candy bars (Qty. 40)
   f. Sweatpants size XL-4XL (Qty. 40)
   g. Jet’s Pizza gift cards or sponsorship of pizza party
   h. Gift cards (Amt. $50, Qty. 20) (Walmart, Target, Pick N’ Save)
   i. Gift cards (Amt. Any) (Walmart or Michaels Craft Store)
   j. Tide Pods
   k. Clothing dryer sheets
   l. Coffee-mate powdered creamer
   m. Sugar Free Crystal Light drink mix
   n. Microwave popcorn
   o. Sugar (5-lb bags)
   p. Boxes of tea bags
   q. Honey, hot Sauce, BBQ sauce, mustard, mayo

Community Resource and Referral Center (CRRC)
   a. Men’s new undershirts (M-3XL) (Qty. 50)
   b. Men’s new underwear (M-3XL) Qty. 50)
   c. Men’s and Women’s gently used/ new sweatpants (M-3XL (Qty. 25)
   d. Men’s and Women’s gently used/ new hooded sweatshirts (M-3XL) (Qty. 25)
   e. New Bras (all sizes) (Qty. 15)
   f. New Women’s underwear (size 5-9) (Qty. 15)
   g. Backpacks
   h. New socks (men’s & women’s)
   i. Thermal underwear (men’s & women’s, all sizes)
   j. Decaffeinated coffee
   k. Packets of sugar, artificial sweetener and powdered creamer for coffee
   l. Tea
   m. Stir sticks (for coffee)
   n. Gift cards for Cousin’s Subs, Subway, Jimmy John’s, Walmart, Aldi, Dollar General, Target, Pick N’ Save (Qty. Any, any amount)
   o. Microwave popcorn
   p. Veterans Canteen Service, canteen books (Qty. Any, any amount)
   q. Milwaukee County Transit M-Card (Qty. Any, any amount)
   r. Zipper hooded sweatshirts (men’s & women’s, all sizes)
   s. Gift cards for Marcus Movie Theaters (Qty. Any, any amount)
t. Sweets for Veteran's Lounge
u. Gift card for Walmart (Amt. $20, Qty. 5)
v. Gift card for Pick-N-Save (Amt. $20, Qty. 5)
w. Gift card for Subway or Jimmy Johns (Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 10)

Greenhouse
a. Karaoke System with CD and Bluetooth capabilities (Qty. 1) https://www.amazon.com/Karaoke-USA-GF840-Portable-System/dp/B01FW4BV92/ref=sr_1_10?ie=UTF8&qid=1539878359&sr=8-10&keywords=karaoke+machine+for+adults+with+bluetooth
b. Shampoo – full size (Qty. 10)
c. Bingo Prizes: candy, chips, socks, t-shirts, shampoo, deodorant, any small items (Qty. Any)

Housing & Urban Development-VA Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH)
a. Queen size zip-up mattress covers (Qty. any) (Wal-Mart, Kohls, Amazon, etc.)
b. Collapsible utility cart on wheels to transport groceries/laundry in the community (Qty. any) (Wal-Mart, Kohls, Amazon)
c. Gas gift cards (Amt. $10-20, Qty. Any) (Mobile, Citgo, BP)
d. Milwaukee County Transit M-Card (Amt. $10-20, Qty. Any) (Sold at Pick N' Save)
e. Gift cards (Amt. $10-20, Qty. Any) (Wal-Mart, Pick N' Save, Aldi)
f. Golf Balls, golf tees, golf putters (Qty. Any) (Wal-Mart, Dunhams)
g. Gift cards to Menards ($10-20, Qty. Any) (for Veterans to purchase gardening items)
h. Sports Tickets (Qty. 10-15 tickets) (Green Bay Packers, Milwaukee Bucks, Marquette Basketball, Admirals Hockey, Milwaukee Brewers)
i. Theatre tickets (Qty. 10-15 tickets) (Rep Theatre, Fireside, Marcus)

Nursing Service – Medical/Surgical
1. Emergency Department
a. Men’s socks (Qty. 15 pairs)
b. Men’s Large sweatpants (Qty. 15)
c. Men’s Large t-shirts (Qty. 15)
d. Tote bags (Qty. 15)
e. Winter hats (Qty. 15)
f. Winter headbands (Qty. 15)
g. Gloves/mittens (Qty. 15)
h. Scarf (Qty. 15)
i. Hand warmer packets (Qty. 15)

2. 5th Floor C – North
a. Reading Glasses – 1.0 and 2.0 magnification (Qty. 10)
b. Travel neck pillows (Qty. 10)
c. Sweet & Low sugar (Qty. 3 boxes)
d. Hand mirrors (Qty. 5)
e. Hand magnifying glasses (Qty. 5)
f. Coffee stir sticks (Qty. 3 boxes)
g. Portable DVD player (Qty. 3) https://www.target.com/p/sony-dvd-player-black-dvpsr210p/-/A-14222125
3. 7th Floor C – North
   a. Keurig pods (coffee, tea and hot chocolate) (Qty. 50 boxes)
   b. Creamer (large box individual creamer packets)
   c. Sugar packets
   d. Coffee straws/stir sticks (Qty. box)
   e. Reading glasses – various strengths (Qty. 10)
   f. Phone charging cables for Apple and Android phones (Qty. 2 each)
   g. Red, white, and blue Christmas decorations (Qty. 7 – 100 string white lights, 48 ornaments, 1 tree topper, and tree skirt)

Medical Information Systems
1. Benefits Management
   a. Children's coloring books (Qty. 20)
   b. Children's boxes of crayons (Qty. 20)
   c. Milwaukee County Transit M-Card (Amt. $10.00, Qty. Any)
2. Library
   a. Printer for patient use in library- HP LaserJet Enterprise M506n printer Flash
   b. Flash/thumb drives 16-32GB (Qty. 100)
   c. New personal CD player (Qty. 10)

Spinal Cord Services
a. Bike supplies for cycling Program (Amt. $500) The Bike Rack https://www.thebikerack.com/
b. Raised Garden Supplies (Amt $500) (Home Depot) https://www.metalgardenbeds.com/sendero.html?qcid=CjwKCAjworfdBRA7EiwA4K9HeMOrvDmYhXDlokJ6uSLWmJ9ja3hGsiLFYDxaYutimbJwurp9gcMShoCZM0QAyD_BwE
   c. Marcus movie passes or gift certificates (any amount or passes for 25 Veterans) http://www.marcustheatres.com
d. AMF Bowlero Lanes gift card ($100.00, Qty. 1)
e. Milwaukee Public Museum gift card ($100.00, Qty. 1)
f. Harley Davidson Museum admission tickets (Qty. 20)
g. Pick N' Save gift card (Amt. $100.00, Qty. 1) Used to buy food/supplies for parties in the Spinal Cord Injury Center, occasional cooking groups as well as for lunch on outings such as fishing
h. Wheel & Sprocket gift card (Amt. $100.00, Qty. 1) to provide for miscellaneous bike parts for recreation therapy adaptive cycle program
   i. Storage shed (Lowes) (Amt. $799, Qty. 3) https://www.lowes.com/pd/Suncast-Tremont-Gable-Storage-Shed-Common-8-ft-x-7-ft-Actual-Interior-Dimensions-7-9-ft-x-6-9-ft/50129000
m. RYOBI 18-volt one+ Hybrid Stereo with Bluetooth Wireless Technology-P726
   (Home Depot) (Amt.$79.00 Qty. 1) https://www.homedepot.com/p/Ryobi-18-
   Volt-ONE-Hybrid-Stereo-with-Bluetooth-Wireless-Technology-P746/205999646
n. RYOBI 18-Volt One+ Lithium-Ion Cordless 6Gal. Wet/Dry Vacuum Kit with
   (1) 9.0 Ah battery and (1) 18-volt charger (Home Depot) (Amt. $199, Qty. 1)
   https://www.homedepot.com/p/Ryobi-18-Volt-ONE-Lithium-Ion-Cordless-
   6-Gal-Wet-Dry-Vacuum-Kit-with-1-9-0-Ah-Battery-and-1-18-Volt-Charger-
   P770K/304889920

Transition and Care Management
   a. Blankets (Qty. 20)

Rehabilitation/ Rehabilitation Extended and Community Care (RECC) and Com-
   munity Living Center (9CS)
   a. Electric razors (Qty. 4) (Walmart or Target)
   b. Nose hair trimmers (Qty. 4) (Walmart)
   c. Dove liquid soap or Dove bar soap
   d. Walmart gift cards (Amt. $10-50, Qty. 8)
   e. iTunes Gift Cards (Amt. $100)

Hoptel
   a. Gift cards for area restaurants (Chili’s, Wendy’s, Friday's Front Row (TGIF), Sub-
   way, Jimmy John’s, Taino’s)
   b. Gift cards for area attractions (movie tickets, museum passes, zoo passes)
   c. Gift cards for stores (Target, Walgreens, Pick N’ Save, Wal-Mart)
   d. Phone cards
   e. Fuel-only gas station gift cards
   f. Canteen Books
   g. Coffee/cream/sugar
   h. Non-perishable food items (snacks, bottled water, soda)
   i. Pods for a Keurig coffee pot
   j. Paper mealware – plates, bowls, microwaveable bowls
   k. Plastic eating utensils – spoons, forks
   l. New blankets

Mental Health
Therapeutic Supported Employmet Services & Transional Rehabilitation (TSES
   & TR )
   a. Starbucks gift cards (Amt. $5, Qty. 20)
   b. Subway gift cards (Amt. $10, Qty. 10)
   c. TGIF Miller Park or other local restaurant gift cards (Amt. $200, Qty. 1)

Ambulatory Procedure Center/Post Anesthesia Care Unit
   a. Individually packaged headphones (Qty. 2- packs of 50) Encore ENC-06 Stereo
      Headphones Bulk Disposable 50 Pc. Pack https://www.amazon.com/s/?ie=UTF-
      F8&keywords=encore+enc-06+stereo+headphones+bolk+disposable+50+p-
      c+pack+tag=googhvy-20&index=aps&hvadid=229045700097&hvpos=1t3&h-
      vnetw=q&hvrand=9777251933003261065&hvpone=vhptwo=vh-
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      k-wd-377997862543&ref=pd_sl_2ya1smu6s2_e_p38
   b. Headphone ear cover protectors (Qty. 8)
c. Phone chargers for iPhone and Android (Qty. 2 each)
d. Coffee pods for Keurig
e. Sweatpants (S-1, M-1, L-1, XL-2, 2XL-1)
f. T-shirts (S-1, M-1, L-1, XL-2, 2XL-1)
g. Sweat shirts (S-1, M-1, L-1, XL-2, 2XL-1)

Dialysis
b. Shirts with pockets that can fold down to access patient’s port https://com-port.com/
c. Pick N’ Save Gift Cards (Amt. $10, Qty. Any)
d. Fuel only gas station gift cards (Amt. $10, Qty. Any)
e. Winter hats, gloves, scarves- non knitted
f. Headphones for the televisions (Qty. 6) https://www.amazon.com/dp/B006T9ZKAQ/ref=twister_B00GA050UO?_encoding=UTF8&th=1

Mental Health
a. Reading glasses with varying strengths (Qty. 20)
b. Long sleeve t-shirts of varying sizes (Qty. 20)
c. Sweatpants without strings (Qty. 30)
d. Winter hats (Qty. 30)
e. Walmart gift cards
f. Reusable tote bags
g. Hard sugar-free Candy
h. Puzzles: Sudoku, crossword, word find books (Qty. 20)
i. Adult coloring books (Qty. 20)

Residential Treatment and Recreation Therapy – Domiciliary 123
a. Breakaway neck lanyards (Qty. 300)
b. Non-denominational holiday decorations
c. Coffee Mate powdered creamer (Qty 50)
d. Tea bags (Qty. 500)
e. Patio furniture (Qty. 4 sets) http://footymundo.com/outstanding-cheap-patio-furniture-sets-under-200/
a. Michael’s gift cards (Amt. $20)
b. Hobby Lobby gift cards (Amt. $20)
c. Tandy Leather gift cards (Amt. $20)
d. Leather Craft Kits- Tandy Leather (Hales Corners) moccasins assorted sizes (7-12 men/women) 1-1/2” belt blanks with snaps (assorted lengths), leather wristband kits, dreamcatcher kits, etc.
e. Paint-by-Number Kits
f. Model building kits
g. Adult Coloring books
h. Sets of 24-colored pencils (any amount)
i. 24 set Colored markers (any amount)
j. “Wreck-It” Journal series – books (Target, Michaels)
k. Prepared canvas panels – 8x10”, 9x12”, etc. (standard sizes)
l. Table-top painting easels (Michaels or Dick Blick Art Supplies)
m. Menards, Home Depot or Steins Garden gift cards for use in the DOM 123 Garden Program (Amt. $100.00, Qty. 10)

n. Culvers, McDonalds, Walmart, Target gift cards (Amt. $20.00, Qty. Any)

**Primary Care**

a. Health Snacks in small individual packages – granola bars, trail mix, and or dried fruit (Qty. 150)
b. Battery operated candles (Qty. 6)
c. Bluetooth speaker (Qty. 4)
d. Electric tea kettle 1.7 L capacity (Qty. 2)
e. Tea Packets – Various flavors decaffeinated (Qty. 150)
f. Yoga Knee Pad Cushion (Qty. 10)
g. Portable file cart on wheels (Qty. 3) [https://express.google.com/u/0/product/2711935063174695749_15242955767381963808_10046?utm_source=google_shopping&utm_medium=te_conversion&utm_content=ei-ds-160052&q-time=Clak9xLbk7t7nJhDS96jns3BaNuKbYBPDKmhaA1VTRCiq_ePeBTC-Tg&utm_campaign=10046&gclid=EAaIbQobChMllx_rxbSQ3qjVknqOzCh0GEQ6-EA-QYASABEjPvD_BwE](https://express.google.com/u/0/product/2711935063174695749_15242955767381963808_10046?utm_source=google_shopping&utm_medium=te_conversion&utm_content=ei-ds-160052&q-time=Clak9xLbk7t7nJhDS96jns3BaNuKbYBPDKmhaA1VTRCiq_ePeBTC-Tg&utm_campaign=10046&gclid=EAaIbQobChMllx_rxbSQ3qjVknqOzCh0GEQ6-EA-QYASABEjPvD_BwE)

**PRRC/Mental Health Intensive Care Management/Mental Health**

a. Keurig Coffee Maker – largest size available (Qty. 1)

**Nutrition Food Service**

a. Gift card for Culvers or similar restaurant (Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 1)
b. Gift card for gas (Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 1)
c. Gift card for Target or Walmart (Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 1)
d. Gift card for Starbucks ((Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 1)
e. Gift card for movie theater (Amt. $10-$15, Qty. 1)
General Post Fund Accounts

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GPF #470     Hoptel (Supports the overnight needs of Veterans traveling a distance to receive medical treatment)
GPF #772     Poly Trauma/Rehabilitation (Supports the needs of a Veteran that have had multiple traumatic injuries)
GPF #776     Homeless Veterans (Supports the needs of the homeless Veteran population)
GPF #777     Spinal Cord Injury (Supports the needs of Veterans with spinal cord injuries)
GPF #798     Mental Health (Supports the needs of Veterans receiving mental health treatment to include those diagnosed with Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD))
GPF #800     Women Health (Supports the needs of female Veterans)
GPF #802     Welcome Home (Supports events for newly returned Combat Veterans to assist in connecting them to the Milwaukee VA Health Care System)
GPF #1110     Library (Supports the educational & recreational needs of Veterans through books and audio/visual resources)
GPF #1152     Recreation (Supports the recreational activities & outings for Veteran patients)
GPF #1174     Fisher House (Supports the needs of Veterans’ families who are staying for extended time in the FH while the Veteran is receiving inpatient medical treatment)
GPF #1175     Walk a Mile or More (Supports Veterans that are in an exercise group that meets regularly; for holiday parties, t-shirts, and incentives)
GPF #1200  Palliative Care (Supports the needs of Veterans that are end of life)

GPF #1210  Social Work Emergency Fund (Supports the emergency needs of Veterans, such as transportation)

GPF #1211  Transition and Care Management (Supports the needs of recently returning post 9/11 Veterans)

GPF #1212  Caregiver Program Fund (Supports the needs for Caregivers of Veterans that are in the Rehabilitation Extended and Community Care programming)

GPF #1300  Community Living Center (Supports the needs of Veterans in a Nursing Home setting)

GPF #3000  Vet Center (Supports Combat Veterans and their families by providing a broad range of counseling, outreach, and referral services)

GPF #6000  Transitional Rehabilitation (Supports the needs of Veterans participating in a residential program in a therapeutic “real world” setting with a focus on progressive return to independent living)

GPF #9070  General Post Fund (Supports the needs of ALL Veteran patients; if a monetary donation comes in without a GPF designation, it is deposited in to this account)

GPF #9075  Vet’s Club (Also known as Adult Day Health Care, is a therapeutically oriented day program which provides health maintenance and restorative services to frail elderly Veterans in a social group setting)

GPF #9200  Holiday Fund (Supports the holiday needs of Veterans during the holiday season)

GPF #9300  VAVS Executive Committee Fund (Supports the needs of ALL Veteran patients and Volunteers at the Milwaukee VA Medical Center)

GPF #9881  Chaplain Fund (Supports the religious needs of Veteran patients)

GPF #9888  Vet Recovery Center (Supports the psychosocial needs of Veterans that have a severe mental health diagnosis)