

## HEAD START

A free Head Start program that promotes school readiness of children ages three through five and children with disabilities. CACEHR Head Start provides services to families and children in the following areas:

- Education/Literacy
- Health/ Nutrition
- Mental Health
- Disabilities/ Suspected Disabilities
- Family Services
- Transportation
- Parent Involvement
- Special Initiatives: Healthy Marriage & Male Involvement

### Mission Statement

To promote self-sufficiency and improve the quality of life of those in need.

## Wish List

### Art Supplies

- Crayons
- Colored markers
- Colored pencils
- Pencils
- Washable paint
- Paint brushes
- Craft sticks
- Construction paper (assorted colors)
- Tissue paper
- Washable glue
- Glue sticks
- Blunt tip scissors
- Pipe cleaners
- Felt

- Foam ABC's

- Sharpie markers

### Miscellaneous

- Children's books
- Backpacks
- Children toys
  - Cars
  - Trains (plastic or wooden)
  - Plastic animals

### Cleaning Supplies

- Kleenex
- Disinfecting wipes
- 13-gallon garbage bags

\*See Gift Card note on guidelines page

## Essentials Closet

A resource for families and individuals in need to receive essential household/hygiene items. Personal kits consist of travel size items. Full sized items are for families.

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## Wish List

### Hygiene

- Body Wash (adult and children)
- Bar soap
- Shampoo (adult and children)
- Conditioner
- Brushes or combs (adult and children)
- Tooth brushes (adults and children)
- Deodorant
- Hand wipes
- Cue-tips
- Mouthwash (no alcohol)
- Lotion
- Feminine products

- Kleenex
- Dish soap
- Disinfecting wipes/cleaner
- Plastic
- Tide to go pen
- Shout wipes

### Miscellaneous

- Diapers size newborn to size 6
- Children's books
- Baby formula
- Baby wipes

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### Household

- Laundry soap
- Toilet paper

## Erie County Food Pantry

The food pantry is open to all who enter. Each individual/family applies for the amount of food they need and may shop the pantry based on their application.

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### Wish List

- Boxed dinners
  - Instant potatoes
  - Minute Rice
  - Kraft Mac n Cheese
  - Canned vegetables
  - Pasta
  - Pasta sauce
  - Cereal
  - Applesauce
  - Taco shells
  - Canned and boxed soups/stews
  - Hamburger Helper
  - Canned meat—tuna/chicken/ham/spam
  - Snacks
  - Pancake mix/Syrup
  - Juice boxes and mixes
  - Peanut butter and jelly
  - Condiments
  - Salad dressing
  - Breakfast bars
  - Canned fruit
  - Baby formula
  - Canned baby food
  - Instant oatmeal
  - Canned beans
  - Trail mix
  - Crackers
  - Dried herbs and spices
  - Cooking oils
  - Granola bars
  - Powdered Milk
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## Norwalk Homeless Shelter

The CACEHR offers a temporary emergency shelter in Norwalk, OH. The shelter is set up like an apartment (there are two total apartments) with three bedrooms, a kitchen, bathroom and living room. Laundry facilities are also provided.

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## Wish List

### Hygiene

- Feminine products
- Bars of soap
- Deodorant (travel size)
- Toothpaste/toothbrushes (travel size)
- Shampoo
- Hand wipes (no alcohol)

### Miscellaneous

- Hats and gloves (adult and child)
- Socks
- Diapers/baby wipes
- Blankets

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### Household

- Laundry detergent
- Dryer sheets
- Disinfecting spray
- Paper towels