

## WHAT COULD YOU LIVE WITHOUT ?



A pillow?



Silverware?



Towels?

## WE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING

### BATHROOM

Towels	Bath mat	Iron
Shower curtain & rings	Waste basket	Ironing Board
	Laundry basket	

### BEDROOM

Blanket	Sheets	Pillow
Comforter	Mattress Pad	Hangers

### KITCHEN

Dishes	Baking pan	Can opener
Silverware	Cookie sheet	Coffee maker
Glasses	Cutting board	Tea pot
Cutlery tray	Colander	Toaster
Dish rack	Paring knife	Mop/bucket
Dish cloths/ towels	Vegetable peeler	Broom/dustpan
Pot holders	Measuring cups/spoons	Garbage can
Pots & pans		Wall clock

## OUR VISION

To be a leader in restoring hope, rebuilding self-esteem and empowering women on their journey to self-sufficiency.



[homestarthope.org](http://homestarthope.org)

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Serving Rochester women since 2010

# starting with nothing

IS A SCARY PLACE TO START

Home Start Hope provides brand new essential household items to women rebuilding their lives.



## HOMELESSNESS CAN HAPPEN TO ANYONE

At **Home Start Hope** we serve women who have experienced homelessness including veterans, women recovering from addiction and survivors of domestic violence.



Home Start Hope is a house in the city where **women select** brand new kitchen, bedroom and bathroom **essentials**.

Women choose everything they need **TO START OVER IN THEIR NEW HOME** completely free of charge.

*It may seem like a small thing, picking out towels or bedding, but for women who are starting over, it's so much more than that. It's about a new beginning, a sense of ownership and sense of HOPE for a brighter future.*



*When they feel settled at home, they can **focus on their families**.*

## HOW IT WORKS



Community Partners refer women once they are ready to transition into independent housing.



Together they complete our application and schedule an appointment to visit Home Start Hope.



Home Start Hope volunteers help them select all they need for their new home.



## OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Bethany House  
Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network (RAIHN)  
Sojourner House at Pathstone  
Veterans Outreach Center

## WAYS YOU CAN HELP

**What could you do today that would change a woman's life here in Rochester?**

- Get involved as a volunteer or Board member
- Organize a donation drive
- Stock our shelves by shopping our Target registry or donating gift cards
- Attend, sponsor, or donate items for our fundraisers
- Make a monetary donation

Whether you give household items, money, or your talent, you are helping neighbors in need move forward in their lives. Home Start Hope is a 100% volunteer run organization that relies on donations. Your generosity makes it possible for us to continue this unique service.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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