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REUSE

DIRECTORY

A directory of reuse organizations for
Baltimore County residents and businesses

Compiled by the Baltimore County Bureau of Solid Waste Management



In 2012, Baltimore County residents placed out more than 52,500 tons of material for recycling. This is an impressive accomplishment, and highlights our residents' commitment to protecting and nurturing the environment. While the County's single stream program has had a positive impact on our only active landfill, there is an even more effective method of conserving

resources and preserving the environment—reuse.

By choosing to donate items for reuse rather than disposing of them in other ways, you will not only be helping many worthy causes, but ensuring that these items do not end up in a landfill instead. This guide will help you identify organizations throughout our communities where you can donate items that you no longer need—items like clothes, toys, or even old computers.

Whether you are cleaning out clutter or simply replacing an older item, please use this guide to help someone else put those materials to good use.

Very truly yours,

Kevin Kamenetz
Baltimore County Executive

REUSE DIRECTORY

Choose to Reuse!

This Reuse Directory is a tool for matching people who have materials to donate with organizations that accept those materials for reuse (and sometimes recycling as well). The directory focuses mostly on non-profit organizations, because these places use the donated materials to supply people with resources they might not otherwise be able to obtain.

Baltimore County promotes reuse because it has many advantages over throwing things away.

By donating reusable items, you will:

- Help other people and organizations
- Reduce disposal costs
- Reduce air and water pollution
- Conserve space in our landfill

You may also qualify for valuable tax deductions when you donate certain items.

So, whether you are cleaning out your house or simply replacing an old item with a new one, remember to check this directory and REUSE!

ABOUT THIS DIRECTORY

The Bureau of Solid Waste Management hopes that this directory provides you with the necessary information to make donating items easier. Although care has been taken to ensure this directory is thorough and accurate, it is strongly suggested that you call organizations first before trying to bring materials to their site. An organization's needs and what they accept often change over time.

The listing of an organization does not constitute a Baltimore County endorsement of the organization's products, processes, or services. This directory should not be considered a complete listing of organizations providing the services listed.

If you have any corrections, suggestions, or additions to this directory, please direct your comments to:

Bureau of Solid Waste Management

111 West Chesapeake Avenue, Room 225
Towson, MD 21204

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Fax: 410.887.2931

Email: recycle@baltimorecountymd.gov



You can also find this directory online at
www.baltimorecountymd.gov/solidwaste.

HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY

The Reuse Directory has two main sections: the Materials Index and the Organizations Index. Use both references to help find the reuse organizations that are best for you.

Check the Materials Index

Review the **Materials Index** on pages 5–15 for an alphabetical listing of materials that can be reused. Underneath each material is a list of the names and phone numbers of organizations that use them.

Choose an Organization

There may be several options for reusing a particular item. Check the **Organizations Index** on pages 16–41 for details about the organizations, which can help you decide which one to choose. This index is in a chart form, and lists organizations alphabetically. It provides addresses, contact names (when given), phone numbers, materials accepted, and details about how to donate.

Donation Procedures and Additional Information

Organizations may have restrictions that may or may not be listed in the Organizations Index. **It is always a good idea to call first to verify what can be donated and if there are any restrictions.** Most organizations have drop-off procedures, and some places have pick-up services available. A few organizations will accept broken items and repair them before they are reused. The Organizations Index also gives a brief summary of how some organizations reuse items to benefit others, and how individuals could obtain donated items.

BEYOND THIS DIRECTORY

“Use it up, wear it out, make it do, or do without.”

Reuse is certainly not a new idea. People have always handed down and given away useful items. Beyond sharing with friends and family and donating to charities, people have relied on established businesses that specialize in reuse.

Examples include rental centers, thrift stores, and repair shops. Perhaps a repair shop can fix your broken sewing machine, television, or other appliance. Repairing an item often costs less than replacing it. And remember, buying durable products that need fewer repairs will probably save money over the long run.

Check your phone book under “Appliances” (repair and rental), “Rental,” and “Thrift Shops” for reuse businesses near you. Newspaper classifieds, the Pennysaver, auctions, flea markets, and yard sales are also great resources for buying and selling reusable goods.

Other options for reuse include materials exchanges. Some examples of online materials exchanges include swapmamas.com, swapstyle.com, swap.com, throwplace.com, and freecycle.org. These online materials exchanges give users the opportunity to swap, donate, and/or obtain items from others.

For materials that cannot be reused, yet are difficult to recycle (including certain household batteries and textiles), check out the recycling directory at mdrecycles.org. There you can find listings of organizations that accept various materials that are not recycled by Baltimore County.

MATERIALS INDEX

The following section is an alphabetical listing of materials that can be reused. Check the **Organizations Index** (pages 16–41) for details on drop-off and pick-up procedures.

Art Supplies

Baltimore Child Abuse Center 410.396.6147

Appliances (Large)

American Rescue Workers 410.566.3300
Baltimore Humane Society 410.833.8848
Lutheran Mission Society 410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The) 410.525.0530

Appliances (Small)/Household Items

American Rescue Workers 410.566.3300
Baltimore Free Store 410.340.9004
Goodwill Industries 410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society 410.636.0123
Purple Heart 877.851.8111
Salvation Army (The) 410.525.0530
Scene II by Hadassah 410.484.9590
Second Chance 410.385.1700
Surprise Shop (The) 410.828.9343

Baby Items

Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Beds

Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Bicycles

Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Lutherville Bikes	410.583.8734
Race Pace Bicycles	See listing on page 36

Books

Baltimore Child Abuse Center	410.396.6147
BCPL (Towson Branch)	410.887.6166
Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Book Thing of Baltimore	410.662.5631
Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343
Ukazoo Books	410.832.2665

Building Materials

Baltimore County has partnered with The Loading Dock, Inc. to accept reusable building materials at the Eastern Sanitary Landfill in White Marsh and the Central Acceptance Facility in Cockeysville. Donation containers are located at the residents' drop-off areas of each site. For more information, including a list of accepted materials, call the Bureau of Solid Waste Management at **410.887.2000** or visit **baltimorecountymd.gov/solidwaste**.

Loading Dock (The)	410.558.3625
Second Chance	410.385.1700

Cell Phones

Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County	410.285.7496
GRC Wireless Recycling	877.744.3601
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Turtle Wings	301.583.8399

Clothing

American Rescue Workers	410.566.3300
Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County	410.285.7496
Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Plato's Closet	410.583.0590
Purple Heart	877.851.8111

Clothing - Ctd.

Saint Vincent de Paul	410.276.7600
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Scene II by Hadassah	410.484.9590
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343

Computers/Electronics

Call ahead to see what computers/electronics are being accepted, as this changes frequently.

Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Shepherd's Clinic	410.467.7146
Turtle Wings	301.583.8399

Copy Machines

Turtle Wings	301.583.8399
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Eyeglasses

Lenscrafters	See listing on page 26
MADRE - Helping Hands Program	212.627.0444

(Non-Perishable) Food

Assistance Center of Towson Churches	410.296.4855
Baltimore Child Abuse Center	410.396.6147
Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Earl's Place	410.522.0225
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County	410.285.7496
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Maryland Food Bank	410.737.8282
Our Daily Bread Employment Center	443.986.9031

Furniture

American Rescue Workers	410.566.3300
Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Second Chance	410.385.1700

Garden Equipment

Garden Harvest, Inc.	410.526.0698
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Hangers

Many dry cleaners will take back the hangers given out with cleaned clothes.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

Hazardous household items - such as automotive fluids, household chemicals, and rechargeable batteries - can be taken to the Eastern Sanitary Landfill in White Marsh for recycling and/or proper disposal. HHW is accepted at this location from April through November, Monday through Saturday, 7:30 am to 3:30 pm. The facility is located at 6259 Days Cove Road, off the 11400 block of Pulaski Highway/Route 40 East. The County also holds special collection events for these materials from time to time.

For the latest information about accepted items and drop-off options, contact Baltimore County's Department of Environmental Protection and Sustainability at **410.887.3745**.

Linens

Baltimore Animal Rescue and Care Shelter	410.396.4695
Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Baltimore Humane Society	410.833.8848
Earl's Place	410.522.0225
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County	410.285.7496
Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Scene II by Hadassah	410.484.9590
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343

Medical Equipment/Supplies

MADRE - Helping Hands Program	212.627.0444
National Multiple Sclerosis Society, MD Chapter	800.344.4867
Shepherd's Clinic	410.467.7146

Medication (Prescription & Non-Prescription)

*MADRE does not accept any medications that expire within six months of the date they are mailed to the program. Both organizations only accept **unexpired** and **sealed** medications.*

MADRE - Helping Hands Program	212.627.0444
Shepherd's Clinic	410.467.7146

Music (CDs & DVDs)

BCPL (Towson Branch)	410.887.6166
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343

Musical Instruments

Guitar Exchange	410.747.0122
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Music-Go-Round	410.666.3996
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343
Ted's Music Shop	410.685.4198

Office Equipment & Supplies

Baltimore Humane Society	410.833.8848
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Shepherd's Clinic	410.467.7146
Turtle Wings	301.583.8399

Packaging Materials/Styrofoam®

Styrofoam® peanuts and bubble wrap are accepted at packaging service stores, including Mail Boxes Etc., Parcel Plus, and Postman Plus. Check the phone book under "Packaging Service."

EPS Industry Alliance	410.451.8340
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Paint

Paint can be taken to the Eastern Sanitary Landfill in White Marsh from April through November, Monday through Saturday, 7:30 am to 3:30 pm. This facility is located at 6259 Days Cove Road, off the 11400 block of Pulaski Highway/Route 40 East. The paint is reused by The Loading Dock. For more information, call the Bureau of Solid Waste Management at 410.887.2000.

Paper Goods

Assistance Center of Towson Churches	410.296.4855
Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Our Daily Bread Employment Center	443.986.9031
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343

Pet Supplies

Baltimore Animal Rescue and Care Center	410.396.4659
Baltimore Humane Society	410.833.8848

Printer Cartridges

Many retailers will accept used printer cartridges for reuse. Check with your local office supply store for more information.

Annapolis Office Technologies	443.336.3018
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Refrigerators

American Rescue Workers	410.566.3300
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Sports Equipment

Local recreation centers and P.A.L. (Police Athletic League) centers may accept used sports equipment. Contact the Baltimore County Department of Recreation and Parks (410.887.3871) or P.A.L. (410.887.5892) for information.

Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Play It Again Sports	410.882.1810

Stoves

American Rescue Workers	410.566.3300
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Toiletries

Assistance Center of Towson Churches	410.296.4855
Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter ..	410.285.4674
Earl's Place	410.522.0225
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County	410.285.7496
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123

Tools

Goodwill Industries	410.837.1800
Loading Dock (The)	410.558.3625
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Toys

Baltimore Free Store	410.340.9004
Lutheran Mission Society	410.636.0123
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
Surprise Shop (The)	410.828.9343

Vehicles

Earl's Place	410.522.0225
Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530

Video Games

Video games can be sold or traded at many video rental stores and computer/electronic stores.

Washers & Dryers

Salvation Army (The)	410.525.0530
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ORGANIZATIONS INDEX

The following section is an alphabetical listing of reuse organizations. The listing provides details about each organization, what items they accept, and drop-off procedures.

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
American Rescue Workers 2441 West Baltimore St. Baltimore, MD 21223 410.566.3300	Usable stoves (no gas), refrigerators, appliances, clothes, furniture, household items.	Mon–Sat, 10 am–4:30 pm; can also call.	Yes; call to schedule.	No	Sold at the thrift store and given away to families in need. Proceeds fund drug and alcohol rehabilitation program, soup kitchen, and overnight shelter for homeless or those in need.	Need a referral from an agency such as Social Services or Red Cross.
Annapolis Office Technologies 561 East Central Ave. Edgewater, MD 21037 443.336.3018 annapolisrecycling@verizon.net Contact: Chris Suite	Inkjet and toner cartridges.	Call to discuss.	Yes, for large donations.	No	Refilled if possible, or melted down to plastic and recycled.	
Assistance Center of Towson Churches 120 W. Pennsylvania Ave. Towson, MD 21204 410.296.4855 Contact: Cathy Burgess	Non-perishable food, toiletries, paper goods, brown paper bags and plastic bags for packing.	Mon–Fri, 10 am–2:30 pm.	No	No	Food given to homeless and low-income families.	Call for more information or come into the center.

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<p>Baltimore Animal Rescue and Care Shelter 301 Stockholm St. Baltimore, MD 21230 410.396.4695 baltimoreanimalshelter.org Contact: Jennifer Brause</p>	<p>Pet supplies, crates, towels, blankets, pet toys, baby wipes, pet food, animal bottles, puppy & kitten milk, cardboard flats (used to package food/soda cans). See website for more.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 2 pm–6 pm; Sat–Sun, 11 am–4 pm.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Used for the animals at the shelter.</p>	
<p>Baltimore Child Abuse Center 2300 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD 21218 410.396.6147 bcaci.org</p>	<p>Crayons, colored pencils, markers, coloring books, construction paper, glue sticks, child-friendly scissors, stickers, children’s books, healthy wrapped snacks.</p>	<p>10 am–4 pm; call Chuck Ritz first to arrange drop-off at 443-923-7006 or critz@bcaci.org.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>		
<p>Baltimore County Public Library - Towson Branch 320 York Rd. Towson, MD 21204 410.887.6166 towsonfriends@gmail.com</p>	<p>Children’s, young adult, and adult fiction and non-fiction books in good condition; CDs; DVDs.</p>	<p>Mon–Thu, 9 am–9 pm; Fri–Sat, 9 am–5:30 pm; Sun, 1 pm–5 pm; drop off at Borrower Services Desk; receipt available upon request.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Items are sold at the annual Friends of the Towson Library Book Sale, which raises funds to support the Towson Library.</p>	<p>Attend the annual book sale to purchase used items.</p>

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Baltimore Free Store Baltimore, MD 410.340.9004 freestorebaltimore.org BmoreFREE@gmail.com	Clothes, toys, electronics, blankets, games, books, household items, baby items, small appliances; no furniture.	Storefront is in process of moving - visit website or call for updated information.	Yes - occasionally, and by appointment only, for a small fee.	No	Donations are redistributed to the public, completely free of charge.	Visit website or call for more information.
Baltimore Humane Society 1601 Nicodemus Rd. Reisterstown, MD 21136 410.833.8848 x207 bmorehumane.org Contact: Jen Swanson	Any pet or animal supplies, appliances, office supplies, laundry detergent, towels, blankets; see website for more.	Mon, 9 am–4 pm; Tue–Sun, 9 am–6 pm.	No	Yes	Used in the Baltimore Humane Society shelter. Monetary donations are used for pet medical treatments, buildings maintenance costs, and preparing the shelter for slower parts of the year.	
Book Thing of Baltimore 3001 Vineyard Ln. Baltimore, MD 21218 410.662.5631 bookthing.org Contact: Russell Wattenberg	All books, regardless of age or subject matter.	See website; can be dropped off anytime in book drop.	No	No	Given freely to those who want/need them.	Call or visit website.

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
<p>Community Assistance Network - West Side Shelter Baltimore, MD 410.285.4674 canconnects.org Contact: Kevin White</p>	<p>Cell phones, furniture, household products, linens, beds, non-perishable food, toiletries, baby items, new paper and plastic bags.</p>	<p>Call for information.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Items go to the Samaritan Program, which helps to set up permanent housing for the homeless.</p>	<p>Call.</p>
<p>Earl's Place 1400 E. Lombard St. Baltimore, MD 21231 410.522.0225 Contact: Sheila Helgerson</p>	<p>Food, linens, toiletries, vehicles.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 9 am–6 pm; call ahead.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Used by residents.</p>	<p>Submit request to Sheila Helgerson.</p>
<p>EPS Industry Alliance 1298 Cronson Blvd. Suite 201 Crofton, MD 21114 410.451.8340 epsindustry.org Contact: Diana</p>	<p>Clean, white expanded polystyrene (EPS) packaging material.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 9 am–5 pm; can also drop off during non-business hours (leave material outside door in a plastic bag).</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Reused for packaging or recycled.</p>	

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County P.O. Box 3909 Baltimore, MD 21222 410.285.7496 Contact: Rebecca Foster	Cell phones with charger and battery, clothing, food, toiletries, pillows (new), bath towels (in good condition).	Call for drop-off information.	No	No	Items go to domestic violence house.	Call.
Freecycle.org This is a grassroots, nonprofit movement of people who are looking to give and get stuff for free.	Thousands of various items that can legally be traded (i.e. toys, furniture, baby items, electronics, etc.).	Post a listing on freecycle.org.			This is a peer-to-peer reuse network based on the idea that one person's trash is another's treasure.	Visit the website.
Garden Harvest, Inc. 14045 Mantua Mill Rd. Reisterstown, MD 21136 410.526.0698 Contact: Jim or Edie Dasher	Any type of gardening, farming, or landscaping equipment, clippers, wheelbarrows, gloves, scissors, lawn mowers, trimmers, garden hand tools.	Mon–Fri, 9 am–5 pm; call ahead.	Yes; call ahead to request.	No	Equipment is used by volunteer farmers to grow food; the food grown is given to Baltimore County and City organizations that feed the hungry and homeless.	Legitimate organizations that help the hungry and homeless can contact the office.

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Goodwill Industries 410.837.1800 goodwillches.org	Electronics (no TVs), clothing, furniture (wood only, no upholstery), housewares, books, small appliances, shoes, blankets, bed frames (no mattresses or box springs), tools; no baby items, no pianos.	Drop-offs can be made at any Goodwill thrift store - see Appendix A for locations and times. Visit web site or call for additional drop-off locations.	No	No	Items are sold in thrift stores.	Go to thrift store. See Appendix A for a list of stores.
GRC Wireless Recycling National cell phone mail-in program. 877.744.3601 grcrecycling.com	Cell phones.	See website to request free shipping labels.	No	No	For each phone donated, up to \$30 is donated to GRC's charity partners.	
Guitar Exchange 740 Frederick Rd. Catonsville, MD 21228 410.747.0122 Contact: Bruce	Guitars (new, used, or broken); will pay.	Call for appointment.	Yes	Yes	Items are sold at the store.	Visit store.
Lenscrafters Check phone book or website for store locations. lenscrafters.com	Gently-used eye-glasses, prescription or non-prescription sunglasses.	Drop off at any retail store during business hours.	No	Yes	Provided internationally to those who need glasses but cannot afford them.	

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
<p>Loading Dock (The) 2 N. Kresson St. Baltimore, MD 21224 410.558.3625 loadingdock.org</p>	<p>Building supplies: lighting, cabinets, faucets, sinks, toilets, bathtubs, plumbing, stairs, banisters, doors, windows, roofing supplies, tools, lumber, drywall, plywood.</p>	<p>Call for pick-up or drop-off information. Items may also be dropped off at select Baltimore County sites - see page 7 for details.</p>	<p>Yes, for large donations.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Redistributed to low-to moderate-income families and nonprofit organizations.</p>	<p>Apply for Loading Dock membership.</p>
<p>Lutheran Mission Society 438 Eastern Blvd. Essex, MD 21221 1706 Eastern Ave. Baltimore, MD 21231 410.636.0123 Contact: Kathy or Sharon</p>	<p>Large and small appliances, household items, baby items, beds, bicycles, books, cell phones, clothing, computers, electronics (no console TVs), non-perishable food, furniture (no sofa beds, water beds, hospital beds, or large metal desks), linens, CDs and DVDs, musical instruments (no pianos), office equipment, refrigerators, sports equipment, stoves, toiletries, tools, toys. Items must be in clean, usable condition.</p>	<p>Essex: Tue–Sat, 9 am–3 pm Baltimore: Mon–Sat, 9 am–4 pm</p>	<p>Yes; call for info and to schedule pick-up.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Some are given free of charge to people in need. Others are distributed for a small fee.</p>	<p>Visit any LMS Compassion Center.</p>

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Lutherville Bikes 1544 York Rd. Lutherville, MD 21093 410.583.8734 luthervillebikeshop.com Contact: Ron Metzger	Used bicycles, even if broken.	Call first.	No	Yes	Repaired bikes are donated to St. John's church in Lutherville.	
MADRE - Helping Hands Program 121 W. 27th St. Suite 301 New York, NY 10001 212.627.0444 helpinghands@madre.org Contact: Nancy Sadek	Medical equipment and supplies, prescription and non-prescription medication (must not expire within six months of mailing date, and must be in tamper-resistant manufacturer packaging), glasses, contact lenses (must not expire within six months of mailing date), good quality children's clothes, toys, hygiene products. See website for full list.	Mail to 27th St. address - Attn: Helping Hands. Visit website for details.	No	No	Delivered to women in need in Latin America, the Caribbean, and Africa.	
Maryland Food Bank 2200 Halethorpe Farms Rd. Baltimore, MD 21227 410.737.8282	Surplus food, prepared foods, grocery supplies, health and beauty aids.	Mon-Fri, 7:30 am-2:30 pm.	Yes, for large donations; call.	No	Given freely to needy people by over 600 emergency care providers located in Maryland.	Call for more information, or visit 211md.org (410.685.0525).

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
Music-Go-Round 10112 York Rd. Cockeysville, MD 21030 410.666.3996 musicgear@prodigy.net Contact: Jim	Working guitars, drums, keyboards, accessories; store will pay.	Mon–Fri, 10 am–8 pm; donor must be over 18 years of age.	No	Yes	Items are sold in store.	Visit store or call.
National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Maryland Chapter 2219 York Rd. Suite 302 Timonium, MD 21093 800.344.4867	Durable medical goods less than three years old in good working condition. No hospital beds, walkers, or canes.	Call first.	Yes	No	Goes to the loan closet to be checked out by persons with multiple sclerosis.	Persons with MS can call and ask for the loan closet. Those who qualify can borrow on a short term or long term basis.
Our Daily Bread Employment Center 725 Falls Way Baltimore, MD 21202 443.986.9031 catholiccharities-md.org Contact: Dennis Murphy or Kim Kahl	Perishable and non-perishable food, Ziploc® and paper bags, salt, pepper, sugar, tea bags, gently used metal forks, oatmeal cereal.	Daily, 8 am–2:30 pm.	No	No	Food is used in soup kitchen to feed seniors, homeless, and the disabled in Baltimore City.	Call or visit website.

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
<p>Plato's Closet 919 Taylor Ave. Towson, MD 21286 410.583.0590 platosclosetbaltimore.com</p>	<p>Gently used, brand-name, current-style teen and young adult clothing and accessories; store will pay for accepted items.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 10 am–7 pm; Sat, 10 am–5 pm; Sun, 12 pm–4 pm. Call ahead. Items must be in shopping bags or boxes. No hangers, trash bags, or loose items.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Clothing is resold in the stores at up to 70% off mall retail prices.</p>	<p>Visit store.</p>
<p>Play It Again Sports 7968 Belair Rd. Baltimore, MD 21236 410.882.1810</p>	<p>Sports equipment in good condition.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 10 am–9 pm; Sat, 9:30 am–7 pm; Sun, 11 am–5 pm.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Items are sold directly, sold on consignment, or traded for new equipment.</p>	<p>Visit store.</p>
<p>Purple Heart 700 A Nursery Rd. Linthicum, MD 21090 877.851.8111 purpleheartpickup.org</p>	<p>Clothing and small household items; donations must be in box or bag.</p>	<p>Call for information.</p>	<p>Yes; door-to-door service. See website for details.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Resold in their thrift stores; proceeds go to veterans.</p>	<p>Shop at one of their store locations.</p>

Organization, Contact, & Phone Number	Accepted Materials	Drop-Off Times & Procedures	Pick-Up Service?	Repair Items?	End Use of Donation	How Can I Get Items?
Race Pace Bicycles Check phone book or website for store locations. 410.581.9700 racepacebicycles.com	Used bicycles with a \$10 donation to cover shipping and handling for Bikes for the World.	Call ahead.	No	Yes	Given to Bikes for the World, which donates used bicycles to the needy. This organization also helps developing world economies by promoting self-sustaining bicycle repair businesses.	
Saint Vincent de Paul 1123 Wilso Dr. Baltimore, MD 21223 410.276.7600 vincentbaltimore.org	Clothing.	Visit website for drop-off locations.	No	No	Distributed to people through homeless shelters, soup kitchens, and outreach centers.	Visit website for distribution information.
Salvation Army (The) 2700 W. Patapsco Ave. Baltimore, MD 21230 410.525.0530 800.SA.TRUCK	Appliances (large and small), beds, bedding, furniture, rugs, tools, linens, computers, household items, books, cell phones, vehicles, clothes, and toys that are in fair and working condition.	See Appendix B for locations.	Call ahead; three-hour window on day of pick-up.	Yes	Some items are redistributed to individuals in need. Sold goods support local adult drug/alcohol rehabilitation programs and other worldwide Salvation Army efforts.	Go to 814 Light Street and fill out an application for the Salvation Army's screening process.
Scene II by Hadassah 1500 Reisterstown Rd. Pikesville, MD 21208 410.484.9590	Clothing, housewares, small household appliances (no refrigerators), linens, decorative accessories.	Mon–Thu, 10 am–5:30 pm; Fri and Sun, 10 am–4 pm.	No	No	Proceeds go to needy people in Israel and around the world.	

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Second Chance 1700 Ridgely St. Baltimore, MD 21230 410.385.1700 secondchanceinc.org Contact: Cari Clemens	Building materials: lighting, plumbing, windows, doors, antiques, kitchens, bathrooms, furniture, appliances.	Daily, 9 am–5 pm.	Call ahead or fill out form online.	No	Items are sold in warehouse stores.	Visit their four warehouses, from 1400 to 1601 Warner Street.
Shepherd's Clinic 2800 Kirk Ave. Baltimore, MD 21218 410.467.7146 shepherdsclinic.org Contact: Karen Carter	Computers, laptops, LCD projectors, height/ weight scales, office chairs in good condi- tion, stacking chairs, unexpired and sealed medication. Call for full list and more info.	Tue–Fri, 9 am–4 pm.	No	No	Donations are used in clinic.	
Surprise Shop (The) 122 Allegheny Ave. Towson, MD 21204 410.828.9343 surpriseshop.org Contact: Erin Woodward	Small appliances, clothes (including children's and men's), household items, books, small furniture, CDs, DVDs, linens, toys, musical instruments, calendars, magazines, cards, and jewelry.	Mon–Fri, 10 am–4 pm.	No	No	Items are sold at store or donated. Proceeds fund Trinity Church homeless outreach.	Go to store - parking in rear.
Ted's Music Shop 11 E. Center St. Baltimore, MD 21202 410.685.4198 Contact: Fernando Roman	Broken or working musical instruments; no pianos.	Mon–Fri, 9:30 am–6 pm; Sat, 9:30 am–5 pm.	No	Yes	Repaired instruments are given away, and spare parts are given to local sculptors for artwork.	Call.

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<p>Turtle Wings 1771 Olive St. Capitol Heights, MD 20743 301.583.8399</p>	<p>Electronics, computers, printers, cell phones, pagers, mainframes, copy machines, office equipment, battery power supplies, tele-com equipment, metal (most free of charge, but not considered a donation - will be issued a certificate of recycling). Certified data destruction service available.</p>	<p>Mon–Fri, 8:30 am–2:30 pm. Fee applies for certain CRT monitors and TVs - call for details.</p>	<p>Yes, with a small fee.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Materials are either refurbished or dismantled and then recycled.</p>	
<p>Ukazoo Books 730 Dulaney Valley Rd. Towson, MD 21204 410.832.2665 ukazoo.com Contact: Edward F. Whitfill</p>	<p>Books; compensation is offered based on book condition and need.</p>	<p>Mon–Sat, 10 am–7 pm; Sun, 11 am–5 pm. Books must be evaluated in-person at store; bring fewer than 100 books at one time.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Sold in store and online.</p>	<p>Available for purchase in store.</p>

APPENDIX A

Goodwill Thrift Stores

Goodwill Donation Centers office phone number: 410.837.1800

BELVEDERE

410.323.6638
5620 The Alameda
Mon–Thu, 10 am–6 pm
Fri–Sat, 10 am–7 pm

CATONSVILLE

410.869.4831
6600 Baltimore National Pike
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

EASTPOINT

410.282.8750
7928 Eastern Ave.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

KENWOOD

443.868.0304
6255 B Kenwood Ave.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–7 pm

OWINGS MILLS

410.581.8960
11411 Reisterstown Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

PADONIA

410.666.7929
200 West Padonia Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

PERRY HALL

410.248.0070
8818 Belair Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

PHOENIX

410.628.1562
3433 Sweet Air Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

SECURITY STATION

410.448.9368
1700 North Rolling Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

TOWSON

410.663.2192
1753 East Joppa Rd.
Mon–Sat, 9 am–9 pm
Sun, 11 am–6 pm

APPENDIX B

Salvation Army Drop-Off Locations

The Salvation Army office phone number: 410.525.0530

Call for drop-off hours.

BALTIMORE CITY

410.644.9705
2250 Gable Ave.

LANSDOWNE

410.525.0530
2700 West Patapsco Ave.

RANDALLSTOWN

410.655.9399
8715 Liberty Rd.

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