The International Rescue Committee (IRC) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit humanitarian organization that works in the U.S. and around the world to help people whose lives and livelihoods have been shattered by conflict and disaster as they survive, recover and regain control of their future. Forced to flee conflict or persecution, many have survived for years against incredible odds. They often step off the plane with few belongings. The following donations help provide refugee families with the essentials to start their new lives in the Missoula area.

### Miscellaneous
- Grocery store, Target or Walmart gift cards
- Laptops & smartphones in good working condition
- Computer mice (wired preferred)
- Shower curtains with hooks
- Light bulbs
- Bicycles, helmets and locks
- Car seats & booster seats (purchased new or gently used)

### Kitchen items
- Frying pans, saucepans & boiling pots
- Can openers
- Large mixing or serving bowls
- Large and small wastebaskets with trash bags
- Teakettles (stovetop and electric)

### Furniture
- Floor lamps
- Kitchen tables
- Kitchen chairs
- Couches
- Dressers
- Table lamps
- Chairs
- Bed frames not requiring box springs
- New mattresses (twin, full and queen)
- End tables or nightstands
- Coffee tables

### Bedding & linens
- Alarm clocks
- Twin sheet sets + comforters
- Full size sheet sets + comforters
- Pillows (purchased new)
- Warm blankets, all sizes
- Bath towels

### Items the IRC in Missoula is unable to accept at this time
- Broken items or items in poor condition or missing pieces
- Used mattresses or pillows
- Clothing, shoes and undergarments
- Stained or damaged blankets, towels or other linens
- Home decorations (vases, wall decorations, picture frames, etc.)
- Sports equipment or other recreational items (sleds, skateboards, etc.)

### How to donate:
1. Visit our Amazon Wish List at [https://a.co/9ZEeKGL](https://a.co/9ZEeKGL) to shop directly from pre-selected items OR reference the above list
2. If you have items from the above list you wish to donate, e-mail the Development Coordinator with specific details about the item(s). Please include photos of furniture.
3. The Development Coordinator will reach out if we are able to accept the item(s) and coordinate getting the item(s) to IRC.

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