

OPERATION Breakthrough

Sponsor a Family That's Building Back From Homelessness

Most of the families served by Operation Breakthrough live below the poverty line. Moving into a new house or apartment after a period of homelessness typically takes every dime they have for deposits and rent. There is nothing left to buy the necessities they need to make it a home for their family.

You can help by sponsoring a family through Project Housewarming. It takes around \$325 to purchase everything a family of four needs to get established in their new home — able to cook a meal for the family, give the kids a bath and clean the house or apartment. Here's what Project Housewarming provides for each family.

Pots and pans set with utensils	Kitchen trash can
Silverware (set for 4)	Kitchen trash bags (1 box)
Plastic plates (set of 8)	Shower curtain(s)
Plastic bowls (set of 8)	Shower curtain rings
Plastic tumblers (set of 8)	Bathroom wash cloths (set of 6)
Kitchen knives (set of 3)	Hand towels (6)
Cutting board set (set of 3)	Bath towels (6)
Pizza pan	Bathroom rug(s)
Cookie sheet	Bathroom trash can(s)
Mixing bowls (set of 3)	Toilet brush
Colander	Vacuum
Can opener	Broom and dustpan
Dish towels (set of 4)	Mop
Kitchen wash cloths (set of 6)	Bucket
Kitchen towels (set of 2)	Cleaning supplies (1 each of four cleaners)
Oven mitts (set of 2)	

Items are purchased new through a Target registry and are shipped directly to Operation Breakthrough. The cost ranges from just a few dollars for can openers, towels and trash cans to \$65 for vacuums. Most are in the range of \$5 to \$15. You also can purchase a Target gift card so we can buy what's needed most at the time or certain items that need to be purchased in a store rather than online.

VISIT THE REGISTRY: <https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift/projecthousewarmingkc-ob>

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