

## Care Packs

When you meet someone experiencing homelessness, share a genuine hello, a kind smile, and a Care Pack of essential items. Create Care Packs during the first week of the month, and keep a few in your car.

## Connection Cards

Keep Connection Cards on hand to share with your neighbors who might need help connecting with resources.

Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.

Matthew 25:40



**CARE MINISTRY**



All ages can serve within the Care Ministry.

## Care Cards

Write a card with a scripture, poem, or a few words of encouragement, and we'll share it in a Care Pack, with someone who is sick, an older adult, a child in our community programs, or within our family of churches around the world.

## More Info

Contact your Community Rep or visit [nrcoc.org/ministries/hope-worldwide](http://nrcoc.org/ministries/hope-worldwide)



## What goes in a Care Pack?

Fill a gallon-size bag with the items below, and keep it in your car to give to someone experiencing homelessness.

- Connection Card with local resources
- Care Card of encouragement
- Small water bottle
- Nonperishable, prepackaged food item
- New pair of socks
- Tissues
- Wet wipes
- Toothbrush
- Travel-size toothpaste
- Chapstick
- Travel-size lotion
- Pen

You can also create mini Care Packs to keep in your purse or backpack. Fill a quart-size bag with the first four items listed above in yellow.

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For extra Care Pack items, Connection Cards, and blank Care Cards, visit the HOPE Depot in the Lighthouse.