

20 Things to Pack and Move Yourself

Pack and transport these 20 items with you to take some of the stress out of moving day and make the first 24 hours in your new home easier and more comfortable.

Items that are Irreplaceable/Expensive and Important Documents

1. Jewelry, cameras, laptops, tablets etc.
2. Passports, birth and marriage certificates, wills, medical records, financial documents and family photos.
3. All documents and contracts related to your move.
4. Medications and medical devices.

Items you will Want Immediately in your New House

5. Toilet paper.
6. Hand soap.
7. Garbage bags.
8. Cleaning supplies (minimally Clorox wipes).
9. Paper towel.

Items to Make your First 24 Hours in your New Home Better

10. An overnight bag for everyone with toiletries, p.j.s, and a change of clothes.
11. For young children, sound machine, favourite stuffie, blanket, nightlight, toys and books.
12. Plastic cutlery and plates.
13. Easy, quick snacks and drinks for you (and your movers).
14. One pot, one pan and one cookie sheet.
15. Coffee pot and mugs (and coffee).
16. Shower curtain and liner.
17. Clean towels for each family member.
18. If you can, clean sheets for each bed.
19. Chargers for devices.
20. Wine opener (so you can relax at the end of a long day).