

## DONATION GUIDELINES

**Donations are greatly appreciated and the core of our business** and our ability to support Laurel House in their mission to ending domestic violence in each life, home and community.

Donations can be dropped off during business hours only, up to 30 minutes before closing time. Store hours: M/W/F 10-5, T/TH 10-7 and SAT 10-4.

*Please make sure to see an employee when dropping off donations.*

**Please keep these guidelines in mind...**

**Clothing (women's, men's and children's):** All clothing needs to be **current** (approx. 5 years or less); clean and free of stains, pet hair, tears, missing buttons etc. Check collars, underarms, sleeve cuffs...

**Bathing Suits, Underwear and Socks:** We can NOT accept USED bathing suits, underwear or socks. We only accept these items when they are NEW WITH A TAG.

**Shoes, Boots, Sandals, and Sneakers (women's, men's and children's):** Footwear needs to be current and in very good condition. Please avoid footwear that has worn soles, toe marks, broken heels or are worn out.

**Accessories:** Handbags, wallets, belts, scarves, gloves, hats. Handbags should be clean and free of stains, fraying, broken handles, or zippers.

**Jewelry:** Any jewelry, including broken Sterling or Gold

**Decorative Housewares, Antiques and Collectibles:** Barware, serving platters, candles, and decorative items. We are limited in space and are unable to accept kitchen items, such as pots and pans (unless new with a tag), partial dish sets, partial sets of glasses, flatware etc.

**Games and puzzles:** New ONLY.

**Books (hardback or paperback):** Like new condition, limited to current novels, nonfiction and children's books. We **DON'T** accept text books, how to books, reference books, cook books or magazines.

**Full sized toiletries:** New and unopened items. Toiletries will be donated to Laurel House or sold in store if Laurel House has an abundance of that particular item.

**Artwork:** various sizes

**Linens, Furniture and Electronic Devices (i.e. anything with a plug):** Due to space constraints we are unable to accept any furniture. **LINENS and ELECTRONICS need to be new and unopened.**

**If it is not on this list, we likely aren't able to accept it.**

**Please call ahead and ask about any item(s) you are questioning: 215-368-6037**

**Please check the Laurel House Wish List for any items that you may want to donate directly to them: [www.laurel-house.org/how-to-help/wish-list/](http://www.laurel-house.org/how-to-help/wish-list/)**