



HELP NEW MOMS PREPARE FOR THEIR BABY!

First Place for Youth is a state-wide organization that serves foster kids, ages 18 – 24, that don't have family that can help them learn the skills necessary to be responsible adults. First Place for Youth helps these kids with a safe place to live, continue with school, and find their first jobs as a family would.

First Place helps young women coming from foster care who are pregnant and parenting move into a safe place for them and their child. Having a baby is quite an adventure, and without the support of family, it is a difficult journey. Our young moms need all the support they can get to provide for their babies.

You can help provide these young moms with a new mommy basket by donating the items needed to care for a baby!**

****We aim to have at least 3 - 5 baskets available to give out to our pregnant and parenting each month. All items can be dropped off at our Oakland office at the beginning of each month.**

Here's what we need for each basket:

- Diapers (sizes for ages 0 – 1 year old)
- Disposable Baby wipes
- Burp cloths
- Blankets
- Onesies
- One piece sleepers
- Baby socks & scratch mittens
- Washcloths
- Baby soap
- Baby ointment (Desitin, A&D ointment, etc.)
- Small laundry basket

Here's what would be nice to have:

- Infant fever medicine (i.e. Tylenol)
- Diaper bag
- Bibs
- Changing pad
- Soft-hooded towels
- Pacifiers
- Baby thermometer
- Infant nail clippers
- Infant laundry soap
- Infant car seat
- Stroller

For more information about how to donate items, please contact:
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