

Requested Material Aid Donations for the People of Nicaragua

Pre-Shipment Workday (volunteers needed): Saturday April 27th, 2019 11am-2pm
Shrine of St. Joseph, 1050 Long Hill Rd, Stirling, NJ 07980

Shipment Container Packing Day (volunteers needed): Saturday May 11th, 2019 10am-5pm
United Presbyterian Church, 525 East Front St., Plainfield, NJ 07060
Contact: Austin Haerberle, cinemaus@gmail.com

The following list is a partial list for **gently used material aid donations** requested by PeaceWorks' partners in Nicaragua. Please contact us for large items. We can NOT accept: *medicines anything with an expiration date, electronics that do not work, tube TVs, items made of glass or ceramic, books in English, stuffed animals or winter clothing. We do not accept things in disrepair.*

School Supplies

- *notebooks, pens, pencils, calculators, scissors, etc. (even gently used supplies are good!)
- *Art supplies for children and teens

*Medical supplies (no medicines or items with expiration dates)

- *dentistry equipment
- *Bandages, gauze, ace bandages, cast supplies, etc.
- *Blood pressure cuffs, thermometers, etc.
- *Reading glasses & eyeglasses
- *Wheelchairs
- *Canes, crutches
- *Commodes
- *Physical therapy equipment and supplies
- *Medical examination table, lifts for disabled persons
- *please contact us if you know of a medical office or hospital that is upgrading and can donate old equipment

Sporting equipment & uniforms

Nicaraguans are huge baseball players – an email to a coach or families with grown kids could put old equipment to good use!

Toys

- *Toys for young children (legos, blocks, puzzles, etc. – we can not accept stuffed animals or cheap plastic toys)
(Please, no books in English unless about learning the English language)

Musical Instruments

- *Guitars (nylon string)
- *Musical instruments (all desired)

Household Items

- *Linens, blankets, table cloths
- *Towels
- *Kitchen items – pots, implements, eating utensils, etc.
(please, no glass or ceramic items).
- *Electric Appliances
- *Fans
- *blenders, heaters, mixers, etc.
- *Extension cords

Sewing Items

- *Sewing machines (good working order)
- *Sewing supplies - needles, thread, zippers, spare parts for machines
- *Fabric – for clothing, costumes, curtains, etc.

Furniture & appliances

- *washing machines, refrigerators, dishwashers, etc.
- *working air conditioners
- *tables, end tables, folding chairs, desks, bed frames, file cabinets, etc. (please contact us first for bulky items. Generally, we cannot accept upholstered furniture)

*Gently used or lightly used Clothing & Shoes (light weight, no winter clothing or coats)

- *Women's, Girl's, Men's, Boy's, Baby
- *all kinds of boots and rain gear is needed
- *sandals, sneakers, dress shoes, etc. (tie pairs together!)

*Computers & Electronic equipment

- *Laptop computers (no older than 4 years, with wiped memory)
- *Desk top computers (recent, with wiped memory)
- *Printers/copiers (recent, extra cartridges are necessary)
- *Flat screen TVs and monitors (sorry, we not accept old tube TVs)
- *Projectors
- *Cameras (video and photo, but not too old)

Gardening and farming tools, equipment and supplies

- *Gardening tools – heavy duty – shovels, hoes, rakes, wheelbarrows, clippers, etc.
- *Gardening supplies – trays, pots, pails, hose, etc.
- *Sprayers for fertilizer of pesticides
- *Fencing and netting
- *Drip irrigation tubing

Carpentry Tools

- *Carpentry tools – screwdrivers, hammers, wrenches, chisels, saws, planes, etc.
- *Electric tools – saws, drills, sanders, routers, etc.
- *boxes of screws, nails, etc.

