Refugee Baby Baskets

Baby baskets are given to expectant mothers and mothers who have recently had their baby. Baby Baskets must be **no larger than 20 quarts with a lid** (*standard dimensions of a 20 quart storage bin are 16.88” x 11.5” x 9.25”). This is for the convenience of our community members who have to carry these items home – usually on public transportation.

The following is a list of suggested items. Baby baskets do not need to contain all of these items. Clothing should be gender neutral (*white, cream, yellow, green and grey*) as many of our families do not find out what the sex of their baby will be before they are born. Please do not include stained, soiled, ripped or broken items.

- 2 warm long sleeve footed sleepers (*0-9 months, gender neutral*)
- Baby care kit (nail *clippers*, *baby brush and comb*, *digital thermometer*, *bulb aspirator*, *medicine dropper*)
- Baby hats
- Baby spoons
- Baby wash, baby oil/lotion, diaper cream
- Baby wash cloths
- Cloth diapers (*to be used as burp cloths*)
- Cotton pants (2) (*0-9 months, gender neutral*)
- Crib sheets
- Diapers (*disposable or cloth or both, various sizes please!*)
- Gift Card to Walmart (*any amount*)
- Hooded towels
- Onesies (*short or long sleeved*)
- Plug covers (*for baby proofing house*)
- Reusable shopping bag (*for mom to use to carry baby items*)
- Sippy cup (*with handle and soft leak proof spout*) - for 0-6 months
- Socks
- Velcro booty shoes
- Warm soft blankets (2)
- Wipes & container case

Contact the LFSRM Community Engagement Coordinator at lydia.monte@lfsrm.org or **505.933.7032** to schedule a drop-off.

Thank you