

Equipment donations sought for HELP

MENTOR - The Council on Aging Home Equipment Lending Program (HELP) is in need of medical equipment. If anyone or a family member has items they no longer need or use, consider donating them to the Council on Aging.

All donated equipment is cleaned, safety checked and made available to lend back to seniors aged 60 and over, free of charge. Donated items should be in good, clean condition.

LCCoA is in critical need of Boost and/or Ensure nutritional drinks, incontinence supplies (protective underwear, briefs, pads and liners,

and underliners) and wheelchairs.

Other equipment accepted includes: bed rails, bedside commodes, canes, professional grade stainless steel grab bars, raised toilet seats, reachers/extenders, rollators, toilet safety frames, tub seat/tub transfer benches and walkers.

Equipment can be dropped off at the Council on Aging office at 8520 East Ave., Mentor. It is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

For more information or questions call the office at (440) 205-8111 or e-mail info@lcco.org.

Meals on Wheels volunteers needed

MENTOR - The Lake County Council on Aging's Meals on Wheels program is in need of volunteer drivers to deliver meals in the Painesville/Fairport, Mentor, Wickliffe, Eastlake, Madison and Kirtland areas.

Volunteers deliver lunchtime meals and a "hello" to homebound seniors one weekday each week between 10:30 a.m. and noon. In addition to individuals, this is also a great opportunity for local businesses, community

groups, or churches to adopt a route and schedule group members to deliver on that day each week.

Meals on Wheels meets two essential needs. This service ensures clients receive a healthy, well-balanced daily meal to prevent malnutrition. Additionally, regular contact by a volunteer driver helps monitor a person's well-being.

Interested in learning more? Call Brittney Cassi at (440)205-8111, ext. 228 or e-mail BrittneyC@lcco.org for information.

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