

Lincoln's Promise

With the words, "To care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow, and his orphan," President Lincoln affirmed the government's obligation to care for those injured during the war and to provide for the families of those who perished on the battlefield.

Lincoln's Promise Pantry

Lincoln's Promise is a choice food pantry formed at Coatesville VAMC to help Veterans in need of food assistance.

Any Veteran worried about not having enough food for self or family is eligible.



In Partnership with the Chester County Food Bank

Coatesville VA Medical Center

1400 Blackhorse Hill Road
Coatesville, PA 19320
Building 57, Room B02b
Phone: 610-384-7711, extension 3728



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Veterans Health Administration
Coatesville VA Medical Center

Lincoln's Promise is located in Building 57, Room B02b

Walk-in hours available

Tuesday: 10 am - 12 pm

Thursday: 12 pm - 3 pm

Private appointments available

Serving you at your convenience

For information about the pantry or to set-up an appointment, please contact:

Meredith Kenny, RD, LDN
610-384-7711 extension 3728

Interested in Donating?

Organizations and individuals wishing to donate to Lincoln's Promise Food Pantry may contact **Voluntary Services** at 610-384-7711, extension 4228.

Lincoln's Pantry is a shelf-stable, choice pantry. Distribution of food is based on the size of household, healthy eating guidelines, and food preferences. A registered dietitian is onsite to guide the experience, provide education, and offer additional resources.

Suggested Items for Donation:

- ◆ Shelf-stable packaged meats/fish/poultry
- ◆ Hormel Complete meals
- ◆ Chef Boyardee (can or microwave bowls)
- ◆ Hearty soups (can or microwave bowls)
- ◆ Shelf-stable microwave meals or sides
- ◆ Shelf-stable ready-to-eat foods (no cooking or refrigeration)
- ◆ Peanut butter
- ◆ Protein shakes
- ◆ Canned potatoes, collard greens, peas
- ◆ Applesauce, fruit cocktail, mandarin oranges, mixed fruit (can or single serve package)
- ◆ Easy to chew items
- ◆ Nutri-grain bars, granola bars, Peanut butter crackers, popcorn

Personal care items

- ◆ Toilet paper
- ◆ Paper towels
- ◆ Cleaning wipes
- ◆ Trash bags
- ◆ Hand soap
- ◆ Dish soap
- ◆ Laundry Detergent
- ◆ Shampoo
- ◆ Body soap
- ◆ Deodorant
- ◆ Razors
- ◆ Mouthwash
- ◆ Tissues

