Durable Medical Equipment Loan Programs

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Knights Community Hospital Equipment Lend Program (KC HELP) - Kitsap Peninsula++

PO Box 1951, Poulsbo WA 98370

360-329-2461

Website: http://kofc8297.org/kc-help

Who Can Use This Service? Serves Kitsap County

Description:

Provides durable medical equipment for home use during periods of illness and convalescence.

Delivers, instructs in the use and set up of the equipment, performs repair and maintenance.

Provides equipment based on need, especially to those with marginal or no insurance coverage. Doctor's rx required only for electric wheel chairs, lift chairs or hospital beds.

Cost: No cost. Financial and equipment donations always appreciated.

Release of Liability Form? No information available.

++Knights of Columbus Loan Programs also operate in Lewis Co (Chehalis), Chelan Co (Wenatchee) and Richland Co (Pasco)

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Helpline House

282 Knetchel Way NE, Bainbridge Island 98110

260-842-7621

Website: http://www.helplinehouse.org/medical-equipment

Who Can Use This Service? Serves Bainbridge Island residents

<u>Description:</u> Provides crutches, walkers, toilet and bath equipment, wheelchairs and seated walkers. Call for information on repair of equipment.

Cost: Deposit required for some items.

<u>Donations</u>: Financial donations appreciated. Call for information about donating equipment. <u>Release of Liability?</u> Each person will be asked to complete a form.

Name, Location, Contact Info:

KingstonCares Durable Medical Equipment Lending Service

Those seeking to borrow equipment contact Fredrick Branchflower by email fbranchflower@comcast.net or by phone at 425-445-9975

Website: https://www.kingstoncares.org/medical-equipment-lending-service/

Who Can Use This Service? Serves Kingston area.

<u>Description:</u> Organization will maintain a database with names and contact information of individuals who have equipment like walkers, wheel chairs, bath chairs, crutches, raised toilet seats, etc which they are willing to loan or donate to those who need them. No storage site. Those seeking equipment will contact the program coordinator who will then check the database to see if there is the requested equipment available. If there is a match, the coordinator will then notify the borrower and lender so they can then make arrangements for pick up and use of the equipment.

Cost: No information available

Donations: No information available

Release of Liability? No information available.

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Medical Loan Closet – Soroptimist's International of Sequim

360-504-0231

Website: http://sisequim.org/what-we-do/medical-loan-closet

Who Can Use This Service? Those living within Sequim school district

<u>Description:</u> Loan new and used medical equipment on a short-term basis. Call for information on repair of equipment

Cost: It is loaned free of charge to whomever needs it

Donations: Donations of money and/or equipment are welcome.

Release of liability? No information available.

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Faith in Action Medical Equipment Bank - Mason County

111 NE Old Belfair Hwy, Belfair WA 98528 360-275-0535

Website: https://thehubbelfair.org/medical-lending-library/

Who Can Use This Service? Mason County and possibly Kitsap County.

<u>Description:</u> Make requests on line. We often get items donated through our thrift store and hold onto them to lend out rather than sell. You may keep the item as long as you need it for free, but ask that you donate it back, if it is still useable, so that it may help another senior.

Cost: No information available.

Donations: Always welcome.

Release of liability? No information available.

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Thurston County Medical Equipment Bank

5930 Mullen Rd SE (basement, back of building), Lacey WA 98503

Hours: Saturday 10-11 am

Who Can Use This Service? Anyone who cannot afford to purchase their own

<u>Description</u>: Provides wheelchairs, portable commodes, transfer benches, shower benches, walkers, hospital beds, crutches, canes, c-pap machines, and much more

Cost: No cost just asks that it be returned clean. No information on repair.

Donations: Financial donations, equipment and supplies are welcomed. No broken equipment please.

Release of Liability: No information available

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Yelm Medical Equipment Bank – Thurston County

16733 103rd Ave S (American Legion Post #164, Yelm WA

Hours: Saturday 10-11 am

Who Can Use This Service? Anyone who cannot afford to purchase their own

<u>Description</u>: Provides wheelchairs, portable commodes, transfer benches, shower benches, walkers, hospital beds, crutches, canes, c-pap machines, and much more

Cost: No cost just asks that it be returned clean. No information on repair.

Donations: Financial donations, equipment, and supplies are welcomed. No broken equipment please.

Release of Liability: No information available

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Des Moines Medical Equipment Lending Closet - Senior Activity Center

2045 S 216th St. Des Moines WA 98198

206-878-1642

Website: http://desmoineswa.gov/

Who Can Use This Service? Anyone in need of equipment

Description: If you need medical equipment such as a bath bench, walker or commode during rehab check our of self-service lending closet. Equipment is available short term use and is available on a first come basis.

<u>Cost</u>: Donation suggested. Also accepts donation of clean equipment.

Release of Liability? No information available.

Name, Location, Contact Info:

Bridge Disability Ministries aka Meyer Medical Equipment Center (MMEC)

12340 Northup Way, Bellevue WA 98005

425-885-1008

Website: http://www.bridgemin.org/mobility/index.html

Who Can Use This Service? Anyone who needs it can get equipment from us. There are no income or other eligibility requirements.

<u>Description:</u> Refurbished medical equipment. Examples: wheelchairs, hospital beds, walkers, commodes, shower chairs.

<u>Cost:</u> We have a suggested donation for all our medical equipment. We do not turn anyone away due to inability to give the suggested donation amount. The donation helps us cover our costs so that we can continue to provide services for those who are in need. The Meyer Medical Equipment Center is made possible only from donations of time and money. The amount we ask is a suggestion. Some people give more, and some give less. Those who can afford to give are, in effect, "paying it forward" for those who are in difficult circumstances.

All used equipment is cleaned and inspected prior to each use. The user is responsible for maintenance.

Release of Liability? We do require the completion of simple paperwork that either you, a friend or a family member can fill out

For Purchase

Multiple Sclerosis Helping Hands and Donor Closet - Tacoma, Edmonds, Spokane

Website: http://www.mshh-donorcloset.com/

Provides new and reconditioned medical equipment and mobility equipment (walking aids, wheelchairs, hospital beds, Hoyer lifts, scooters, etc). Will help any person in need regardless of disability or medical condition. Financial aid available. Accepts donations of clean, useable, durable medical equipment and mobility equipment. It is an all-volunteer organization and everything above their operation expenses goes to helping people with MS who are experiencing financial difficulty.

For Rent, Rent to Own, Purchase

Wheelchair Haven – Medical Equipment & Supplies

8411 Pacific Hwy E, Tacoma WA98422 253-926-8971

Website: http://www.wheelchairhaven.com

Sales – Service- Rent- Repair - Rent to Own Manual and power wheelchairs, Scooters, Lift-recline chairs, Hospital beds, Bath aids, Batteries, Knee Scooters, Dressing aids, Rollators, Lifts, Ramps & just about everything!