

## Items in our inventory that may be available at the H.E.L.P. facility:

### Durable Medical Equipment

- Standard & Transport Wheelchairs
- Knee walker scooters
- Hospital Beds (by appointment only)
- Bedside Commodes
- Elevated Toilet Seat Risers
- Bath Benches / Shower Seats & stools
- Chair lift Seat
- A variety of walkers & rollators
- Canes and Crutches
- Safety Frames / grab bars
- Nebulizers with tubing
- Over-Bed Tables
- Portable Wheelchair ramps
- Hoyer Lift
- Chair scale for weights
- Electric scooters
- Lung percussor
- Geri- chair recliner
- Rolling shower chair

### Assistive Devices

- Grabbers, Sock Assist, leg lifters
- Built up utensils, divided plate
- Chair cushions, wheelchair ramps
- Slings, brace stabilizers, ace wrap
- Toilet safety frames & tub grab bars
- Walker attachments
- Bed rails & leg, & wedge pillows
- Cloth incontinent pads

### Free Disposable Accessories

- Briefs & pads, bibs
- O2 and nebulizer Tubing
- Gauze, bandages
- Isolations gowns, masks
- Colostomy & catheter bags

### Location:

3925 Churchville Ave.  
Churchville, VA 24421  
(Entrance is on west side of Churchville Pump Service)

### Coorespondence/Mailing

#### Address/Monetary Donations:

H.E.L.P.  
c/o Glossbrenner UMC  
P.O. Box 1016  
Churchville, VA 24421

### Hours of operation:

Tuesday: 9AM - 12 PM  
Thursday: 4 PM - 7 PM  
Saturday: 10 AM - 2 PM  
We follow Augusta Co. School Inclement weather policy during times of bad weather

### Phone:

HELP Phone: 540-324-6186

### Facebook:

[www.facebook.com/HelpHealthEquipmentLoanProgram](http://www.facebook.com/HelpHealthEquipmentLoanProgram) ("Like" us on Facebook)

### Website:

[www.MedicalCloset.org](http://www.MedicalCloset.org)

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Supporting churches from our Churchville community include:

Glossbrenner United Methodist Church  
St. James United Methodist Church  
St. Peters Lutheran Church  
Loch Willow Presbyterian Church

We welcome you to visit or worship with any of our supporting churches!

*The community has a new resource:  
A Medical Equipment Facility*



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#### *Vision Statement*

*"H.E.L.P. is a Christian organization that lends medical goods free of charge to those in the community who need them"*

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## **The H.E.L.P Medical Closet**

began in 2014 as a way to serve the local community. Research led us to believe that we had both a need and a readily available supply of used durable medical equipment. The gently used pieces were collected from businesses and individuals in the community. A location was found. Volunteers for manning the medical closet stepped up to the task.

### **Do you have gently used medical equipment or related items in your closet, attic, or basement that is simply taking up space and is no longer needed?**

Please consider giving it new use and life by donating it to H.E.L.P. Health Equipment Loan Program.

### **Much needed items include:**

- ◆ Durable Medical equipment
  - Pediatric Equipment, any
  - Bariatric Equipment, any
  - Swivel Seats
  - Transport chairs
  - Lightweight wheelchairs with high backs &/or extended legs
  - Air Purifiers
- ◆ Assistive Devices or disposables
  - Zipper Pulls, Buttoner
  - Long Handled Shoe Horn
  - Divided plates
  - Colostomy supplies
  - X-long twin sheet sets

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **Q. Who can use your medical equipment?**

**A.** There is no age, disability, or residency restrictions to take a loan from our closet. No prescriptions are required.

### **Q. How does a person go about getting these items from you?**

**A.** Items can be picked up at our physical facility location during the hours posted on the reverse side and can be returned during those hours. Please do not leave the items outside our doors “after hours”.

### **Q. Why do I need to fill out a contract?**

**A.** A signed legal document informs the borrower that all our equipment may be used and releases us of liability for the loan of the equipment.

### **Q. How long can I keep the equipment?**

**A.** We offer short-term loans for three months or less. If you are through with it before that, please return it so someone else may use it if needed. Occasionally a borrower needs an item for longer. Please contact us to discuss and possibly extend your loan agreement.

### **Q. Is there a cost?**

**A.** We offer these items to the community at no cost, and we welcome tax-deductible\* donations to assist with overhead costs.

\*As allowed by law.

## **Interested in Learning More?**

We would be happy to come talk to your civic group, church, or organization to tell you more about the program. We want many people to benefit from this service. See back page for contact information.

### **A special thanks goes out to our current supporters!**

- ◆ Augusta Health Cooperation;
  - Physical & Occupational Therapy
  - Skilled care and joint camp
  - Grant review team
- ◆ Orthopedic Associates
- ◆ Valley Program for Aging Services
- ◆ Highland County Respite Care
- ◆ WHSV-TV3 news
- ◆ Churchville Pump Service
- ◆ Verona Moose Lodge
- ◆ Murphy Deming College of Health Sciences PT/OT students
- ◆ All of our wonderful volunteers!

### **We cannot accept or loan these items:**

- Medications & Syringes
- Bedpans & Urinals
- Walking boots or shoes
- Equipment requiring a prescription or a medical specialist to supervise ie CPAP/ BiPap machines