The Salvation Army Orlando Women’s and Children’s Shelter, is a 62 bed facility providing safe emergency shelter to women and their children experiencing homelessness. Through partnerships with Housing and Urban Development and the Veteran’s Administration, they are able to offer supportive programs to assist families in the transition back to stable housing, including special assistance for our central Florida female vets.

Since the start of the COVID pandemic, the shelters have witnessed a huge decline in donations of essential items. Our community is trying to maintain stability themselves, therefore are unable to provide to those who are most vulnerable. Our world is starting to see a new face of homelessness and The Salvation Army continues to adapt on a daily basis. The Salvation Army has had to increase its budget to make sure there is funding available to ensure their clients continue to have a clean, safe place to sleep, hot meals every day and access to the resources needed to help them regain stability.

 The Florida Nurse Practitioner Network is honored to sponsor an opportunity to donate to this worthy local cause at our upcoming Annual Conference, to be held LIVE at the Orlando World Marriot on August 26th – 28th, 2021. We will be accepting **new and packaged items** at our donation table throughout the conference. Please refer to the list below, provided by the shelter, for the most needed items.

* Feminine Products (Pads, No Tampons)
* Underwear (2t-3XL)
* Bras (all sizes)
* School supplies (pens, folders, pencils, highlighters, notebooks, whiteout)
* Backpacks (Toddler- elementary- high school students)
* Socks (all sizes- infants-adults)
* Sunscreen
* Tissues
* Baby Wipes
* Flushable Wipes
* Disinfectant Wipes & Sprays
* Laundry Soap
* Shampoo
* Conditioners
* Body Wash
* Hairbrushes, Combs
* Diapers (all sizes)
* Hand Sanitizer

\*Visit their website if you prefer to make a cash donation

https://salvationarmyflorida.org/orlando