



## OPERATION SHOWER'S "SHOWER IN-A-BOX" KITS

Help Operation Shower express our gratitude and support to military moms-to-be as we give them the baby shower they deserve.

The following is a list of items which make up an Operation Shower "shower in a box." We have divided the items into "kits" that, when put together, complete a shower for a military mom-to-be. Please select one or more of the kits for your group to collect and assemble for Operation Shower.

All items must be new. All sizes are needed, but sizes 3 to 6 months or above are preferred. We also accept preemie sizes.

The items should not be wrapped, but may be tied together with ribbon or put in clear gift bags if appropriate. Operation Shower must be able to clearly see the donations.

### Ideal Baby Shower Items

#### 1. The "Play and Read" Kit

- **Toys**
  - Stuffed animal
  - 2 long-lasting infant toys
  - 2 Rattles/teethers
- **Books/Cds**
  - 2 to 4 board books
  - 2 Cds/dvds
- **Sibling gift**
  - Dvd/CD/or Book

#### 2. The "Rubber Ducky" Kit

- **Bath items**
  - Hooded towel
  - Wash cloths
  - Bath toy
  - Bath wash, shampoo and lotion
  - Bath seat

### 3. The "Mommy" kit

- **Things for Mom**
  - Parenting books
  - Blank journal/notebook
  - Camera (could be disposable)
  - Picture Frame
  - Cute tee shirt or gown

### 4. The "Sleepy Head" Kit

- **Bedtime**
  - Pajamas -- 2 pair
  - Baby gown
  - Blanket -- swaddle or sleepsack
  - Blankets - lovie --
  - Blanket - large (stroller or floor)

### 5. The "Baby Style" Kit

- **Clothes**
  - Onesies -- set of 5, 2 individual
  - Baby outfits, 2 outfits
  - Shoes, one pair pre-walkers
  - Socks, 2 pair or pack
  - Hats -- 2 hats

### 6. The "Fill the Diaper Bag" Kit

- **Diaper Bag Needs**
  - Diaper bag
  - Diapers
  - Wipes
  - Burp cloths (2-4)
  - Bibs (2)
  - Bottles (2)
  - Sippy cup (1)
  - Breast feeding items (pads, etc)

Operation Shower is a non-profit organization with 501(c)(3) status that recognizes and honors the sacrifices military families make by producing and coordinating baby showers for pregnant and expecting military personnel and their families.



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