

LABGC Thrift Store Donation Guidelines

We Gladly Accept Gently Used or New Items

- Quality Clothing/Shoes & Accessories
- Vehicles
- Refrigerators/Freezers/Washers/Dryers/ Air Conditioners Heaters/Vacuums in good working condition
- Jewelry
- DVDs
- Games, toys and sports equipment
- Wheelchairs, Walkers, Etc.
- Housewares: dishes, glassware, kitchen utensils, lamps and small appliances
- · Collectibles, antiques, knickknacks and other giftware
- Hand tools and small power tools
- New linens, curtains, blankets, etc.
- Stereos, radios, DVD players, etc.
- Furniture: dressers, tables, sofas, bed frames etc.
- Flat screen TVs (we only accept flat-screen TVs, no CRTs)
- Flat Screen Monitors

- DVD Players
- Electronic games
- Radios
- Remote controls
- Tape players
- Stereos
- Two-way radios
- Electric typewriters
- Cell phones
- Answering machines
- Telephone systems
- Laptops
- Mainframe computers
- Camcorders
- Compact disc players
- Other large items

Items We Cannot Accept

It's hard to say "no thank you" to a donation when those donations help to fund our programs and services. However, we do need to refuse some items for being non-recyclable or containing hazardous materials. Other times, the item must be refused because it costs more to transport, repair or refurbish than it can be sold for in our stores. Our donation attendants are trained to know what we can and cannot accept, and will help guide you to other possibilities for donations we cannot use.

We cannot accept the following items:

- No household chemical products such as pesticides, paint, paint thinner, drain cleaner, oven cleaner, aerosols and other environmentally-unfriendly waste products.
- No automotive hazardous waste such as tires, lead acid batteries, additives, gasoline, oils, antifreeze, etc.
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- · No fragrance items unless new
- No mattresses/box springs, including waterbed mattresses and waterbed frames unless new
- · No carpet or carpet padding
- · No plumbing fixtures or building materials
- No traditional recyclables such as glass, newsprint, office paper, cardboard, plastics, magazines, junk mail, etc.
- No cribs, car seats, walkers or other products that do not meet the current safety standards of the US Consumer Product Safety Commission, including recalled items.



- Used Mattresses—due to biohazard/bed bug concerns.
- Items with thrift store value of less than \$2.00
- E-Waste Items (non-working electronics/appliances)
- Structurally-Compromised Furniture
- Car / Booster Seats—Due to recall issues we can only accept NEW.
- Linens / Blankets / Soiled Sleeping Pillows -due to biohazard/bed bug concerns.
- We will accept NEW.
- Wet/Smelly/Damaged/Heavily-Soiled Articles (includes clothes, couches, toys, etc)
- VHS Tapes
- Chemicals
- Used Tires

Donation Hours: Tuesday – Saturday. 12pm- 5pm Phone: (323) 332-3205 Location: 2310 Pasadena Avenue #108, Los Angeles, CA 90031

www.labgc.org/thrift-store/

More Information: