

"We need your help!" DBA Community Involvement Committee and the DAYL Elder Law Committee "adopted" a senior living facility to help them in their time of need. Older adults are the most vulnerable to COVID-19. This already isolated group is now living in complete isolation in order to protect themselves. During uncertain times such as these, it is more important than ever that we pull together as a community to care for our most vulnerable populations. Luckily, you can help! There are two simple ways that you and your family can lend a hand.

1. Simpson Place Skilled Nursing Facility & Simpson Place Assisted Living Facility are taking donations for items from the wish list below. Please send donations directly to the facility at the address provided; all donations will be sanitized upon arrival. If you prefer to send your own care packages based on items from the wish list (no homemade food), please send care packages by **April 3, 2020**. The **wish list** is as follows:

Amazon: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/TQMSWORXR7D0?ref_=wl_share*

2. As you may be aware, nursing home and assisted living residents are restricted from receiving any visitors at this time, leaving them lonely and without vital social interaction. Letters and drawings are a simple effort that can bring so much joy to a resident. DAYL Elder Law Committee is asking parents to get involved with their children to create **letters and drawings** for the residents, staff, and nurses. When sending a letter or drawing, please fill out your information in the Letter Log or send an email directly to alexandra@dallasprobate.com.

Letter Log:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/10Pzu8bBD32Egx6LUuOVHrbxxZ7g663Pnc81T_UCeEm8/edit?usp=sharing

Letter Templates:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/18KXaORHDhPJ0BQNTYtirExOoMM-Z88qS7RdUYeRhWUw/edit?usp=sharing>

Letters, drawings, wish list items, and care packages should be mailed to:

Simpson Place Skilled Nursing Facility & Simpson Place ALF