

WHAT TO DO BEFORE YOU MOVE

TRANSFER UTILITIES



Water, Utilities, Gas. Find out which companies cover your area and notify them of your move in date. *The sooner you schedule with them, the better!*

RESEARCH LOCAL BUSINESSES



You may need to choose new businesses to patron. Salons, frequent restaurants, doctor or grocery store, check your new area! *Online reviews can help!*

CONNECT INTERNET AND TV



Call your provider to find out what requirements they have for moving your service. *It's best to schedule your installation at least 2-3 weeks in advance.*

REQUEST TIME OFF AT WORK



Schedule time off work, not only for your closing, but to be available for repairs in your new home. *The first two days of a move are important to settling in!*

UPDATE YOUR ADDRESS



Forward your mail, update credit card, bank and online accounts. *You might like to print a "We're Moving" greeting card to send to close family and friends!*

SCHEDULE A CLEANING



Hire a professional service to deep clean your home before moving in heavy furniture and valuables. *This will help the home feel more like YOURS!*

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS



Collect all social security cards, birth certificates, medical records, etc. *Be sure to safely transfer needed documents to the new home so you don't lose any!*

COORDINATE REPAIRS



Scheduling any necessary repairs within the first few days will cut down stress and help you move in quicker. *Take on DIY projects quickly to maximize the love of your new home!*

TAKE PHOTOS



Take photos of valuable items. If there is damage during your move you can refer to their original condition. *This is especially important when working with a moving company.*

PACKING



Organize your belongings to what will move with you, what you can donate, and what you'll throw away. *An "Open First" box is essential for a stress free first night in your new home!*