

## 2021 UMCOR ~ United Methodist Women Hands on Project ~ Hygiene Kits

**(1) Hand towel** 15" x 25" to 17"x 27" (Kitchen, cleaning or microfiber towels, not acceptable)

**(1) Wash cloth**

**(1) Comb** (No pocket combs or picks, please).

*Comb needs to be sturdy and longer than 6". Rattail combs and combs without handles are acceptable with a minimum of 6" of teeth*

**(1) Metal nail file or clipper** No emery boards or metal files

**(1) Bath-size soap** (No Ivory or Jergens soap due to moisture content)

*3 oz. and larger sizes only and do not remove from original packaging*

**(1) Adult size toothbrush.** Do not remove from original packaging Personal advertising not acceptable

**(6) Adhesive bandages**

*¾" to 1" size common household Band-Aids*

**(1) Plastic bag** (One-gallon size sealable bags only)

**\$1 to purchase toothpaste, \$1 for shipping.**

**UMCOR is now purchasing toothpaste in bulk to be added to health kits to ensure that the product does not expire before they are sent.**

### **DO NOT PUT MONEY IN THE KITS OR ENVELOPE IN THE BOX!**

*Set the \$2 aside to be included in a separate envelope. Put all cash or checks in the envelope; write your district and church name, how many kits and how much money. Give envelope to person(s) collecting kits.*

### **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS**

- Lay out the hand towel flat on a table.
- Lay the washcloth flat in the center of the hand towel.
- Place all remaining items on top of the washcloth.
- Fold over the sides of the hand towel to cover all of the items.
- Fold over one end of the hand towel so that it covers all of the items.
- Grasp the bundle of items tightly and roll over the remainder of the hand towel tightly.
- Place the tightly rolled bundle in the plastic bag.
- Remove as much air as possible and seal the bag.

### **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- **All items must be new.**
- **Do not** wash any of the items as they will be considered used.
- Please remove all packaging.
- All emergency kits are carefully planned to make them usable in the greatest number of situations.

- Since strict rules often govern product entry into international countries, it is important that the kits contain only the requested items – nothing more.

**DO NOT** include any personal notes, money or additional material in the kits. These things must be painstakingly removed and will delay the shipment.