



MOVING CHECKLIST

CHANGE OF ADDRESS NOTICE

- Post Office
- Charge Accounts, Credit Cards
- Subscriptions – several weeks in advance
- Friends and Relatives

BANK

- Transfer funds, arrange check-cashing in new city
- Attain credit references

INSURANCE

- Notify Life, Health, Home and Auto Insurance of new address

UTILITY COMPANIES

- Schedule start up for gas, electric, water, telephone, cable, TV, trash collection
- Get refunds on any deposits made

MEDICAL, DENTAL, PRESCRIPTION HISTORIES

- Ask Doctor and Dentist for referrals
- Transfer needed prescriptions, eyeglasses and X-rays
- Obtain birth-records, medical records, etc.

MOVER

- Schedule moving day (book ahead, they are busy)

AND DON'T FORGET

- Plan for transporting pets
- Have appliances serviced for moving
- Clean rugs and clothing and have them wrapped if necessary
- Check with your Moving Counselor: Confirm schedule of packing, loading, arrival dates and method and time of expected payment
- Plan for special car needs of infants
- Defrost and empty freezer, clean refrigerator
- Place charcoal in the refrigerator to dispel odors
- Carry enough cash or travelers checks to cover expenses until you make banking connections in the new city
- Carry jewelry and documents yourself, or use registered mail

ON MOVING DAY

- Double check closets, drawers and shelves to be sure they are empty
- Leave all old keys needed by new tenant or owner with Realtor or neighbor. Check on service of telephone, gas, electricity and water.
- Check pilot light on stove, water heater, and furnace
- Call gas company to start pilots

ONCE YOU ARRIVE

- Have new address recorded on driver's license or apply for state driver's license.
- Register car within five days after arrival in state or a penalty may have to be paid when getting new license plates.
- Register children in school
- Arrange for medical services