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Benefiting Comitis Crisis Center and Colfax Community Network

Did you know...
Comitis serves over 111,000 meals to those experiencing homelessness every year and more than 90 people each month access Colfax Community Network’s food pantry for support. This is one of our largest fundraisers and donations will be used to purchase perishable food and supplies throughout the year to support our kitchen and Colfax Community Network’s food pantry.

How Do I Get Involved?
1. Form a team: 3-4 racers and a Pit Crew to cheer you on
2. Give your team a name, get costumes, and decorate your cart!
3. Fundraise and Donate – Ask your network to support this cause

Fundraising
Platinum, Gold, and Silver team Divisions based on fundraising levels
We encourage you to collect donations and see if your employer will match your donations. 100% of your donation is tax-deductible.

For a registration packet, contact Jeremy Stern at jstern@mhbhc.org or 720-975-0155 x18
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REGISTRATION:
- Please complete this form and email it to jstern@mhbhc.org on race day or bring it filled out with you to the event
- Limited spots available for teams to compete

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**TEAM MEMBERS (3-4 people)**
Each team member must sign a waiver and release of liability form (attached)

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TEAM LEVELS

PLATINUM TEAM: Raise $751 or more. You get 9 minutes to shop. The Platinum team that gets closest to $350 in the cart, under or over, at checkout wins our coveted Platinum Division mini-grocery cart trophy!

GOLD TEAM: Raise $501-$750 or more. You get 7 minutes to shop—The Gold team that gets closest to $250 in the cart, under or over, at checkout wins and earns our Gold Division mini-grocery cart trophy!

SILVER TEAM: Raise $250-$500 or more. You get 5 minutes to shop—The Silver team that gets closest to $150 in the cart, under or over, at checkout wins and earns our Silver Division mini-grocery cart trophy!

What if my team goes over the allowable limit?

If a team goes over the amount that their division allows, anything over the amount can be either
1) Paid for out of the total amount of donations raised by that team, or
2) Paid by additional donation

Tie breaker

If there is a tie in a division, the tie will be broken by looking at the grocery receipt to see which team purchased the most number of items for that amount of money. Example: two GOLD teams have the same dollar amount of groceries in their cart.

Racing Instructions

1. TEAM CHECK IN: 6 p.m. sharp: Team Racers will need to process any last minute donations, sign a waiver, and get ready to rumble!
2. CART DECORATING: starts at 6 pm: Your Pit Crew can do this while your Racers are checking in.
4. WHAT TO “BUY”: Attached is a wish list for the COMITIS and CCN FOOD PANTRIES. Items in red are particularly needed – Safeway will place special stickers on these items to flag them for the races. Hint: Prices in the store change on Wednesdays.
5. QUANTITIES: You can “buy” a maximum of 5 of any one “SKU” number. For example, a team can get 5 cans of Safeway brand tomato soup, 5 cans of Campbell’s soup, etc.
6. ONE CART PER TEAM: one team per company, no extra handbaskets/bags.
7. STAY WITH YOUR CART: All racers must stay close to their cart (no “divide and conquer”).
8. CHECKING OUT: Go to check stands 1 & 2 at the end of the race.
9. NO TAX: There will no zero tax applied to all items in your cart. Plan accordingly.
10. SAFEWAY CLUB CARD: Yes, you can use your Safeway Club Card and manufacturers’ coupons.
GROCERY CART RACE FOR COMITIS CRISIS CENTER
Tuesday, September 17, 2019
Check-In at 6 PM

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

Complete one form per team member:
As a participant in the Grocery Cart Race Event for Mile High Behavioral Healthcare and the Comitis Crisis Center on Tuesday, September 17, 2019, I hereby release the Havana BID, Albertsons-Safeway Denver Division, Mile High Behavioral Healthcare, and the Comitis Crisis Center and their respective officers, directors, board members and employees (hereinafter collectively referred to as the “Co-Sponsors”) from any cause of action, claim, or demand of any nature whatsoever, which I may now have, or may have in the future against the Co-Sponsors, or any of them, on account of personal injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind arising out of or in any way related to my participating in the Grocery Cart Race for the Comitis Crisis Center. This release shall be binding on me and any other person or persons making a claim by or through me or on my behalf.

Media Release Waiver: I grant to the Havana Business Improvement District, Albertsons-Safeway Denver Division, Mile High Behavioral Healthcare, and the Comitis Crisis Center and their representatives and employees the right to take photographs of me and my property in connection with the Grocery Cart Race and to copyright, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically. I agree that the Havana Business Improvement District, Albertsons-Safeway Denver Division, Mile High Behavioral Healthcare, and the Comitis Crisis Center may use such photographs of me with or without my name and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and web content, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ, UNDERSTOOD AND VOLUNTARILY EXECUTED THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY:

Name: ____________________________________________________________

Signature: __________________________________ Date: ________________

Parent or Guardian’s Signature if a team member is 18 years or younger:

________________________________________________________ Date: ________________

Thank you,

Chance Horiuchi, Executive Director
Havana Business Improvement District

Jeremy Stern, Director of Business Development & Public Relations
Mile High Behavioral Healthcare
SHOPPING WISH LIST

Please prioritize these items as you compete
(Items in red are particularly needed)

**Fats, Oils, Spices and Sweets**
- Baking Powder
- Baking Soda
- Cayenne pepper
- Chili powder
- Cinnamon
- Cumin
- Dried Onions
- Family sized tea bags
- Garlic powder
- Ground basil
- Jelly and jam
- Mayonnaise
- Minced garlic
- Nutmeg
- Olive Oil
- Pepper
- Rosemary
- Salt
- Seasoning salt
- Sugar

**Fruit**
- Applesauce
- Canned and boxed 100% juice
- Canned fruit
- Dried fruits (packaged)
- Fruit leather (100% fruit)
- Hot chocolate mix
- Juice boxes
- Raisins

**Bread, Cereal, Rice & Pasta**
- Chips/snacks
- Cold cereals
- Crackers
- Dry noodles and pastas
- Graham crackers
- Granola bars
- Oatmeal
- Pop Tarts
- Rice
- Top Raman

**Milk, Yogurt and Cheese**
- Canned and boxed pudding
- Crackers and cheese snacks
- Powdered milk
- Pudding cups (non-refrigerated)

**Meat, Poultry, Fish, Eggs and Nuts**
- Almonds
- Canned beef stews
- Canned chicken
- Canned tuna
- Peanut butter
- Peanuts

**Soups**
- Any kind of canned soup
- Canned tomato products
- Rotel chili
- Spaghetti sauce

**Other**
- Can Openers
- Deodorant (men’s and women’s)
- Diapers
- Dry Laundry Detergent
- Feminine hygiene products
- Freezer bags (Ziploc preferred)
- Kitchen serving utensils (metal preferred)
- Kool Aid (sugar added)
- Lemonade mix
- Paper towels
- Plastic folks, knives, spoons
- Sandwich bags (Ziploc preferred)
- Styrofoam cups, bowls, plates
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Donation Sheet
- Each team member can use a separate sheet
- All donations are tax deductible. Tax ID # 74-2348147
- List the names and addresses for all donors as they will receive a receipt for their donations
- Please bring donation sheets along with your donations in cash or checks to check-in

Team Name: ____________________________________________

Please make checks payable to:
Comitis Crisis Center, P.O. Box 919, Aurora, CO 80040
Donate Online: [www.coloradogives.org/ComitisCrisisCenter](http://www.coloradogives.org/ComitisCrisisCenter)

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Total Amount of Donations $
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Corporate Sponsorship Questions
Contact Jeremy Stern at 720-975-0155 ext. 18 or jstern@mhbhc.org

Platinum Sponsorship: $10,000
- Corporate logo on Mile High Behavioral Health/Comitis website for one year
- Verbal recognition at event
- Opportunity for company representative to speak
- Banner provided at event
- Free Registration for two teams to race in the PLATINUM division
- Company highlight in agency e-newsletter
- Two (2) social media mentions

Gold Sponsorship: $5,000
- Corporate logo on Mile High Behavioral Health/Comitis website for one year
- Verbal recognition at event
- Banner provided at event
- Free Registration for two teams to race in the GOLD division
- One (1) social media mention

Silver Sponsorship: $2,500
- Corporate logo on Mile High Behavioral Health/Comitis website for one year
- Verbal recognition at event
- Free Registration for two teams to race in the SILVER division

Can’t make it to the event but want to help?
Donate here: www.coloradogives.org/ComitisCrisisCenter
YOU’RE INVITED!
9th ANNUAL GROCERY CART RACE AWARDS PARTY

Tuesday, September 17
(immediately following race)

GIBBY’S BIG BACKYARD
1555 S HAVANA ST
AURORA CO  80012
(Just north of Safeway, within walking distance)