

## A TALE OF A WALKER

Mrs. Jones bought a walker when she came home from the hospital . . .

. . . and soon Mrs. Jones felt stronger, so . . .

. . .she gave her walker to the Sudbury Senior Center LOAN CLOSET . . .

. . . where Mr. Smith borrowed it for the two weeks his mother was visiting . . .

. . . and after he returned it, Mrs. Green felt ready to change from a wheelchair to a walker. She donated her wheelchair to the LOAN CLOSET and took Mrs. Jones' walker home with her for good!

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## DO YOU NEED MEDICAL EQUIPMENT?

Sometimes you need a wheelchair, walker, cane, or other assistive device. Your need may be for a few days, or for an extended period of time.

The Sudbury Senior Center **MEDICAL EQUIPMENT LOAN CLOSET** has quite an assortment of used “durable medical equipment” on hand, ready to lend out for a few days, a few weeks, or as long as you have a need.

All the donated equipment has been cleaned and is in good condition.

There is no fee for borrowing equipment.

To arrange to borrow something from the Loan Closet, call the Senior Center at **(978) 443-3055**. The Volunteer Program Coordinator will call you back

to learn more about your needs. For example, if you have a two-story house, she may suggest that you borrow two walkers, one for each floor.

**The Volunteer Program Coordinator will let you know when the item(s) will be ready for pick-up at the Senior Center; there is no home delivery service.**

## EXAMPLES OF ITEMS AVAILABLE TO BORROW:

- wheelchairs and transport chairs
- shower chairs and tub transfer benches
- walkers with and without wheels
- regular and quad canes
- rollators and knee scooters
- crutches
- “reachers”
- A few unusual and one-of-a-kind items . . . ask for what you need. We may be able to find it for you.

## DO YOU HAVE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT TO DONATE?

When you no longer need your medical equipment, consider donating it to the **LOAN CLOSET**.

If you have items to donate, call the Sudbury Senior Center at (978) 443-3055 and describe your items. We can take most small medical equipment, as long as it is clean, in very good condition, and we have the space for it. We can't accept large items like hospital beds.

For tax purposes, we will be glad to give you a receipt showing a list of the medical equipment you have donated to the Loan Closet.

**All returns and/or donations are by appointment only. Please call Janet Lipkin at 978-443-3055.**



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