

RELOCATION CHECKLIST

Moving can be one of the most stressful events in anyone's life. There are ways to make the move easier. It begins with preparation. Following a few steps in the right order can make the often challenging process of relocating a lot less stressful for the entire family.

BEFORE

- Create a binder/folder for moving information and quotes
- Create a budget
- Sort through your items
- Purge through your items
- Rent a dumpster
- Sell or donate the rest
- Research and hire movers
- Order packing supplies
- Create an inventory sheet
- Start packing non-essentials
- Label all your boxes
- Organize babysitters and petsitters
- Gather all important documents
- Change your address on legal docs, services, employer, banks, etc.
- Transfer utilities and services
- Pack everything!
- Pack a separate survival kit
- If your new place is empty already, clean some surfaces before the move

AFTER

- Deep clean your home
- Rent another dumpster if the previous homeowners did not clean up properly
- Unpack all belongings!
- Explore your new neighborhood
- CELEBRATE

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