

## PLANNING YOUR MOVE

## Moving Day

Remove bedding and disassemble beds	Use a padlock to lock up a rented truck
Pick up the truck rental early  Take movers on a walk-	At your new place verify utilities are working - power, water, heating, and cooling
through of the house & inform them of all your needs	Perform an initial inspection,
Walk through the empty place	note all damages, take photos in needed
to check for things left behind - look behind doors, in closets, under stairs etc.	Clean the kitchen & bathrooms. Vacuum as needed (especially where furniture will be going)
Leave your contact info for new residents to forward mail	Direct movers/helpers where to put things
Take inventory before movers leave, sign bill of lading	Offer drinks and snacks, especially if the helpers are volunteers
Make sure your movers have the correct new address	Assemble beds with bedding
Lock the windows and doors, turn off the lights	Begin unpacking, starting with kitchen, bathroom and other essential areas