

Assistive Devices

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	WHERE TO FIND	PRICE	WEBSITE
Bathroom Tools				
Foam Rollers (Goody)	Rollers can be taken apart and the foam portion can be used as a grip for pencils, utensils, etc.	Any discount or beauty supply store.	\$2.00	
Foam tubing	Purchase any length and cut to fit utensils, brushes, etc.	Menards, Home Depot, etc	Varies	
Grab bars	Zig-zag or traditional bars are mounted to the wall. Non-slip surface, can hold using hand, wrist or arm.	Dynamic Living, Medical supply stores, Menards	\$11.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Shampoo/Soap dispenser	Push-button dispenser. Dispensed with a push of a button.	The Dispenser Company	\$10.00	
Toilet Tissue Holder	L-shaped tissue holder. Tissue slides on and is easy to change with one hand.	Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$10.00	
Kitchen Tools				
Bottle/Can opener	4-way opener. Provides additional leverage to open cans, bottles and jars.	Dynamic Living	\$5.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Box opener	Box Topper. Punches through corner of the cereal box for easy opening.	Dynamic Living	\$5.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Drinking cup with cutout	Can be used by those with decreased mobility of head and neck area.	Medical supply stores	\$4.00	
Drink mug with handles and lid	Easy to grip. Can be used for soup or drinks	Medical supply stores, baby department in many stores	\$3-5.00	

Kitchen Tools (cont.)				
Eating utensils (tubing can be added to utensils for same effect)	Large textured grip. Easy to hold. Avail in forks, knife & spoons	Medical supply stores	\$7.00 up	
Egg timer	Larger timer with big, easy to read numbers.	Dynamic Living	\$18.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Feeding dish w/suction	This is actually a baby dish (Playskool) but is nice because the suction keeps the bowl stationary and the color changes if food is too hot	Discount stores	\$2-4.00	
Measuring spoons	Large print, easy to read measurements. Easy grip handles	K-Mart Best Buy Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$1.50	www.oxo.com
Measuring cup	Easy to read, do not have to be at eye level to read	Bed, Bath & Beyond Best Buy	\$5.00	www.oxo.com
Plastic bag holder	Has sharp point that slices through plastic bags with ease.	Most kitchen supply stores	\$1.00	
Pot holders	Silicon, non-slip surface for sure grip. Withstands high temperatures.	Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$7.00	
Rocker knife	Can chop with rocking motion; easy to use with one hand.	Dynamic Living	\$16.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Spatula/scrapper	Soft-grip spatula. Comfortable to grip	Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$7.00	
Vegetable peeler	Soft handle peeler. Cushioned handle is comfortable to grip.	Bed, Bath & Beyond Many discount stores	\$6.00	

Living Room/Sleeping Area Tools				
Amplified / Photo Telephone	This amplified telephone makes dialing easy by identifying programmed speed dial buttons with pictures of your friends and family.	Dynamic Living	\$47.99	www.dynamic-living.com
Appliance/Lamp Remote Control	Can control lamps/appliances from another room in the house.	Radio Shack	\$15.00	www.radioshack.com
Desk Lamp	Swing-arm magnifying light. Extra light and magnified lens useful for reading/hobbies.	Office Depot	\$50.00	
Motion Detector	Caregivers can use inside home to detect wandering	Radio Shack	\$20.00	www.radioshack.com
Mousetraps (Victor)	Quick-set mousetrap. Easy to set and empty with one hand.	Wal-Mart, discount stores	\$2.00	
Reachers	Useful for many tasks that require climbing, bending, reaching.	Target	\$10.00	
TV Remote Control	Universal remote with large lettering. Large buttons with good contrast.	Radio Shack	\$36.00	www.radioshack.com
TV Remote Control	Universal remote with simplified controls. Good for those with memory problems.	Dynamic Living.	\$14.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Office Tools				
Calculator	Large buttons and display. Easy to read and enter numbers.	Wal-Mart	\$3.00	
Check-writing Guide	Slots in plastic allow those with low vision to feel appropriate	Dynamic Living	\$2.00	www.dynamic-living.com

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Desk Lamp	Swing-arm magnifying light. Extra light and magnified lens useful for reading/hobbies.	Office Depot	\$50.00	
Envelope-writing Guide	Slots allow those with low vision feel appropriate spot to write.	Dynamic Living	\$2.00	www.dynamic-living.com
Letter Opener	Pointed end to insert under envelope flap and sharp cutter allow quick opening	Most discount stores	\$1.00	
Ruler	Large numbers with bright colors. Easy to read.	Wal-Mart	\$2.00	
Scissors (Fiskars)	Spring-action reduces hand strength needed to open blade. Large grip	Target	\$13.00	
Writing Pens	Uni-ball pen, click on-off. Large pen with grip. Think lines aid those with low vision.	Any office supply store, discount stores, grocery stores	\$2.00- \$5.00	
Personal Care Tools				
Button Hook (Good Grips)	Wire loop pulls buttons through the hole. Large grip.	Medical supply stores	\$7.00	
Key Turner	Extends grip so keys turn easier.	Medical supply stores	\$7.00	
Playing Cards and holder	Large lettering and bright colors are easy to read for those with low vision.	Medical supply stores	\$6.00	
Long handled bath brush	Makes reaching back area easier.	Most discount stores, bath stores.	\$10.00	
Shop, Yard and Garden Tools				
Garden Pruners	Comfort-grip pruner. Cushioned	Wal-Mart	\$9.00	

