



Alsager Community Support Information Sheet



Where to Take Items to be Re-Used or Recycled in Alsager

Consumables

Non-perishable Food, Plastic Carrier Bags, Toiletries, Disposable Nappies etc – Alsager Foodbank, various drop off points including most supermarkets, churches, and the Annex at Alsager Community Church
<https://www.alsagerfoodbank.org.uk/> 07743659906

Used postage stamps - Alsager Community Support to support the charity MIND 01270 876605
info@alsagercommunitysupport.org.uk

Batteries – All supermarkets should have collection boxes in store, Car batteries should be taken to Household Waste Recycling Centre, Hassall Road, Alsager. 01270 877691
https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/waste_and_recycling/using-household-waste-recycling-centres/using-household-waste-recycling-centres.aspx

Water filters (Brita/Tesco), Inkjet Cartridges, Batteries & Energy Saving Lightbulbs – Large Tesco stores, including Kidsgrove.

Leftover or out of date Medicines & used inhalers – return to any pharmacy for safe disposal. Cedars medical centre have a box for inhalers in their reception area.

Empty medicine blister packs - Save and recycle via any branch of Superdrug (nearest are Crewe, Congleton or Hanley)

Empty jars – Rose's Refills, Lawton Road, Alsager 07703763638

Clothing and Fabrics

School uniform, winter coats & footwear - Alsager Community Support for distribution to local families. 01270 876605 info@alsagercommunitysupport.org.uk

Bras – in reasonable condition – Greenmoss Medical Centre for Smalls for All donation 01270 376800
<https://www.smallsforall.org/> or to a Marks and Spencer Shwopping point in store
<https://www.marksandspencer.com/ie/c/plan-a-shwopping>

Children's clothes and bedding – St Luke's Hospice Children's charity shop, 3, Crewe Road, Alsager. Phone 01270 879151. <https://slhospice.co.uk/shops/alsager/>

Clothing, shoes - any local charity shop (Age UK, Headway, Alsager Cancer Support, Douglas Macmillan & St Luke's Hospice shops are all in Alsager).

Linen & Textiles - Dunelm can accept clean and undamaged duvets, pillows, bed linen, towels, curtains, cushion covers, cushion inners, bedding protection, and more. For more details check www.dunelm.com/info/about/take-back-scheme

Adults & Children's clothing - Care4Calais - for newly arrived asylum seekers. Email annie@care4calais.org for more details. Drop off points in Congleton and Stoke

Old blankets, Towels, Fleece Throws, Pet Food, Dog & Cat Bedding & Equipment (for use with rescued pets)– Alsager Animals in Need. Phone 01270 875260.

Furniture and White goods

Children's beds, cots, wardrobes, bedding and clothing- Alice Charity distributes direct to families in need across Stoke & Newcastle areas. Phone 01782 627017. <https://alicecharity.org/support-us/>

Furniture & Household items, Baby Equipment, Bikes, Children's clothes, Cookers, Fridges, Freezers, Tumble Dryers – St Paul's Centre Crewe, for distribution to families in need or for sale to raise funds. Phone 01270 586186 to arrange collection. <http://stpaulscentre.org.uk/donate-furniture/>

Sofas, Suites, Armchairs, Tables, Chairs, Desks, Cabinets, Beds and Bedroom Furniture, TVs, Hi-Fis, Washing Machines, Small Electricals ** - British Heart Foundation 13-14 Victoria Centre, Crewe. Phone 01270 861985 or book online to arrange collection. www.bhf.org.uk/shop/donating-goods/book-a-free-furniture-collection

Electrical items in non-working order **, soft furniture without a fire safety label & other bulky items should be taken to the Household Waste Recycling Centre or collection can be arranged for a fee (usually £40) by Cheshire East Council. Phone 0300 123 5011, or see https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/waste_and_recycling/using-household-waste-recycling-centres/bulky-household-waste-collection.aspx

Bric-a-brac

Books – Alsager Book Emporium, 5 Hassall Road, raising funds for Englesea Brook Museum of Methodism. Open Fri & Sat 10am - 2pm. Phone 01270 625444. <https://engleseabrook.org.uk/alsager-book-emporium/>

Spectacles – Local opticians Bayfields 01270 882235 <https://www.bayfieldsopticians.com/practices/alsager>
Scrivens 01270 873256 <https://scrivens.com/branch/alsager-6>

Mobile Phones, Laptops & Tablets** – Working devices can be left with Alsager Community Support 01270 876605 info@alsagercommunitysupport.org.uk for distribution to those in need. Old or broken devices can be repaired and revamped at Alsager Computers 01270 747008 or disposed of at the household recycling centre 01270 877691 https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/waste_and_recycling/using-household-waste-recycling-centres/using-household-waste-recycling-centres.aspx

Children's toys, books & equipment – St Luke's Hospice Children's charity shop, 3, Crewe Road, Alsager. Phone 01270 879151. <https://slhospice.co.uk/shops/alsager/>

Small electrical items in working order ** – Headway charity shop.

Unwanted gifts, toys, CDs, DVDs, bric a brac etc - any local charity shop (Age UK, Headway, Alsager Cancer Support, Douglas Macmillan & St Luke's Hospice shops are all in Alsager).

Seeds and plants, flower pots & trays – [Alsager Community Plant Swap, Hints & Tips](#). Is a free to join group for swaps and donations, the Canalside swap shop <https://www.facebook.com/Canalsideplantswapshop> is open for all, or Alsager Gardens Association have a hut at Cedar Ave for their members to use <https://www.alsagergardens.org.uk/>

Books, Decorative items, Memorabilia, Pictures etc. for sale at monthly auctions to raise funds – Alsager Animals in Need. Phone 01270 875260.

Computers – Desktop & Laptops **, Sewing & knitting machines, Garden tools, Electric Power Tools, Carpentry, Plumbing, Motor Mechanics, Building Tools and Bibles. Phone Gordon on 01270 872832. Will collect for Tools with a Mission, to be refurbished & sent to Africa. <https://www.wesley-place.org.uk/recycling> <https://www.twam.uk/>

Places to advertise miscellaneous unwanted items

www.freecycle.org/town/creweUK or <https://www.freecycle.org/town/StokeUK>
www.ilovefreecycle.org/explore/Crewe-Nantwich-Freecycle

Also Facebook sites: [Alsager - Reuse and Repurpose](#) and [Alsager items for free](#)

**** For your own security**, before recycling always ensure your personal data has been, or will be, removed from your electronic devices, including mobile phones, tablets, laptops, smart TVs & sat navs. More information here: <http://www.recyclenow.com/what-to-do-with/electrical-items-0>