

Packing Guidelines

As you prepare to go to The Connors Family Retreat & Conference Center for the Institute we hope you will take the clothing and supplies suggested below. It can be warm during the day (70-75 degrees) but cooler at night (50-60 degrees). We suggest you take everything, including all the items that are listed as optional. Note that you will be sharing a room with 1 other participant. The bathrooms are shared with other participants.

NECESSARY:

- 7 comfortable, casual outfits (shorts, pants, jeans and t-shirts, short sleeve shirts, polo shirts, sweatshirts, etc.)
- 7 pairs of socks
- 1 pair of shoes
- 1 pair of athletic shoes
- 1 **extra** set of casual (grungy) clothes and close toed shoes you don't mind getting dirty (for low ropes/challenge course on Day Two)
- 1 pair of pajamas
- 1 sweatshirt or sweater (can get cold at night or cold in AC)
- 1 light jacket/winter jacket (depending on weather)
- 1 poncho and/or umbrella
- 1 flashlight and batteries
- 1 insect repellent and sun screen (for spring/summer sessions only)
- 1 pair of sunglasses
- 1 week of prescription medication (if required/needed) (headache, cold, allergy, bee stings in case site is surrounded by woods, trees and gardens)
- 1 set of personal toiletry items

(toothbrush & paste, soap, shampoo, hair dryer, comb and brush and any other personal needs)

There are no laundry facilities available during the Institute so please plan accordingly.

OPTIONAL:

Personal journal Nominal spare cash (for personal needs) Water bottle Snacks (some snacks are provided) Camera
Alarm clock
Watch (cell phone reception is limited)

Note: Cell phones are permitted but should only be used during participants' free time.

While we can provide suggestions about what to pack, only you know what will make you comfortable!