Important Items You May Want To Bring

Driver's License	Visa or Passport
Children's Birth Certificates	Car keys
Your Birth Certificate	Medications
Social Security Card	Address book / Phone card
Welfare information	Pictures of you, your children &
Money and/or credit cards	your abuser
Bank Books / Check books	Change of clothing for you and
Protective Order	any minor children
Lease or House Deed	Children's small toys
Car Registration & Insurance	Toiletries / diapers / jewelry
Health / Life & Insurance Papers	Small objects to sell for immediate
All medical records	emergency income
Divorce & Custody Papers	Pet records if your pet is
Work Permits / Green Cards	accompanying you to the shelter