

# New Homeowner Checklist

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Once you close on your house, you're not done yet! For starters, you'll still have to move, update your new address in various places, and make sure you're prepared to live in your new home. It's easy to forget the details, but we're here to help. So don't sweat the small stuff after you move in – follow the list below to help you ease into your new home faster.

## Key Address Updates

Move over/set up utilities for new address (energy, water, gas, internet, cable, etc.)

Update your mailing address with USPS (including forwarding address updates)

Update your ID or driver's license

Update your car registration and insurance

Update your voter registration for any needed address changes

Update your address on your bank and investment services accounts

Update your address on your credit card accounts

Update new address for your employer

Find doctors and reliable professionals around you or update your new address in your online medical portals

Transfer subscription services to your new address

Register your child(ren) to a school within your area

## Moving/Post-Moving Essentials

Line up a pet sitter (or other arrangements) for moving day

Organize and unpack your moving boxes by rooms

Consider autopay to stay on top of monthly home payments and expenses (HOA fees, property taxes, etc.)

Child-proof and pet-proof your new space

Purchase a security system

Purchase cleaning supplies that fit your new home's needs

Stock up your pantry, fridge, freezer and cabinets

Buy a gift for your Realtor or Real Estate Agent

Meet your neighbors!

Invite family and friends over to celebrate once you're settled

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