

Moving Check List

2 months prior

- Get estimates from moving companies
- Determine if you'll need a storage unit
- Create a change of address list - who will you need to notify?
- Use the floor plan to start thinking about your furniture layout
- Start decluttering. What items can you donate or sell vs. move?
- Create an inventory of valuables, consider taking photos

1.5 months prior

- Collect boxes & supplies if you are packing on your own
- Set official moving date - your closing should be set already
- Make reservations with the movers
- Make travel arrangements for your family & pets
- Contact new schools to transfer records
- Gather your medical records and/or notify providers of transfer
- Make sure your new insurance policy is good to go
- Start packing non-essentials

1 month prior

- Confirm your loan status with your loan officer
- Setup a change of address with the post office
- Setup utility transfers for your current home
- Schedule utility service for your new home
- Do you have anything at the Dry Cleaners? Library Books? or Prescriptions to pickup or forward?

1 week prior

- Confirm travel arrangements
- Change your address with banks, subscriptions, etc.
- Send your new address to family & friends
- Pack your suitcase & finish packing
- Empty & cleanout your refrigerator (defrost?)
- Disconnect your washer & dryer, clean/dry for move
- Arrange for childcare and/or pet accommodations
- Confirm reservation with the movers
- Print a map to your new address
- Do a thorough cleaning to track down any items you might have missed while packing

moving day

- Supervise the movers, especially if they are packing
- Leave a note for the new residents with your new address just in case
- Double check all the cabinets, closets, etc.
- Turn off lights, lock windows and doors

post moving

- Verify all the utility transfers/activations
- Change address for any additional accounts
- Say hello to your new neighbors!

I purchased an Omega Home 6 years ago and love it!

From sales to construction to closing, the process was seamless and worry free. Buying a new home can be a stressful experience and the team at Omega made it fun and exciting!

Anna M., Homeowner

Home Shopping Tip #21

When moving to a new city, a great way to learn more is to follow the city & chamber of commerce on social media. Exploring their websites is another great way to start familiarizing yourself with the area.

