

Day	Construction Task	Scope of Activities
1	Exterior Wall Framing	By the end of the day, the frame of the house and garage should be completed. The studs are nailed while laying on the foundation. Braces are put on top and bottom on every other stud and then the frame is raised into position. There is a lot of nailing. Eye protection is recommended
2	Wall Sheathing	4 x 8 sheets of plywood are nailed to the outside of the frame. Nails should be no more than 6" apart (width of a hammer) and doubled up on the joints. Eye protection is recommended.
3	Finish Exterior Wall nail-off	Today is a check off day to finish off any uncompleted work from the prior days.
4	Set Trusses and Fascia	The roof trusses are raised and nailed off onto the frame. Most of the work is lifting the trusses into place. Much work is on ladders and overhead.
5	Finish Truss/fascia	The day is used to finish off the work from day 4
6	Roof decking	4 x 8 sheets of plywood are lifted onto the trusses and nailed down. By the end of the day, the house is enclosed. Knee pads are recommended
7	Install ceiling strips, interior wall layout	The ceiling strips are installed throughout the house and interior walls are laid out
8	Interior Wall Framing	Studs are nailed in to create the individual rooms for the house.
9	Prep for Vinyl Siding/Soffit/Fascia	By the end of the day, the house is wrapped and boards are installed along the base of the house as starting point for the siding.
10	Install Vinyl Siding/Soffit and Fascia	Vinyl siding is installed around the house. Nails should not be nailed in all the way so that the siding can expand and contract. There should be a gap along the edges.
11	Finish Vinyl Siding/Soffit and Fascia	Work not completed on prior days is performed today. By the end of the day, the exterior work on the house by the volunteers is completed
12	Interior Wall Painting	The interior walls for each of the rooms are painted. Molding and trim is also painted and installed later. Eye protection is recommended.
13	Interior Paint/Caulk/Spackle	Painting the inside of the house continues
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15	Final Touch-ups	Final punch lists items are completed and the volunteer work is finished.

Notes:

1. The scope of the work may vary on a particular day depending on what work was completed

from prior days. Mostly, the scope of work is as scheduled.

2. While volunteers are not at the house, Habitat for Humanity contractors come in to perform tasks – electrical, plumbing, A/C, wall board and plastering.

3. If you feel uncomfortable with the task, let others perform and ask the supervisor what else you can do