



Toy Donation Guidelines – Children's Wisconsin FV

Many thanks for making a big difference to the kids we serve in our hospitals and clinics. Prior to making a donation, please be mindful of the following guidelines:

- ***For infection control and safety considerations, all donations are scheduled by appointment only and dropped off at the following address:***

Children's Wisconsin Corporate Center
333 N. Commercial Street
Neenah, WI 54956

Please call (920) 967-9129 to schedule an appointment

- *All donated items must be new (store-bought and in original packaging) and may not contain Latex*
- *Donations with religious or violent themes are not accepted*
- *Include batteries if needed for toy use*
- *Infection control guidelines **DO NOT** permit us to accept: gently used items, items that have been stored for an extended period of time and food*
- *To respect the privacy of our patients and families, we are unable to accept donors personally delivering gifts to patients*
- *For storage reasons, infection control parameters, equitable distribution and transportation logistics, please keep items to a "grab and go" size (not larger than 12" tall)*
- *All donations not purchased via Children's Wisconsin's gift registries must be approved by the Volunteer Services Donation Coordinator and dropped off by appointment only.*

Gift Cards

Gift cards are always appreciated and are used by staff to provide specific items needed for those in our care. Some suggestions include:

- *PS4 and Xbox gift cards (digital downloads)*
- *\$10 Wal-Mart, Target, Walgreens, etc. (e.g. underwear, personal hygiene items, etc.).*
- *\$10 iTunes® gift cards*
- *Amazon gift cards*

Infants

- **Onsies with snaps (NEWBORN size only)***
- *Sensory toys*

- Plastic mobiles
- Toys 6-12 mos; rattles, teething rings, pacifiers, etc.
- Musical crib toys
- Vibrating crib soothers

Toddlers & Preschoolers

- Board books
- Character Sippy cups with straws (especially boy themes)
- New release or Disney® DVDs
- Interactive toys; 12 mos. to 2 years
- Small FP Little People play sets
- Small Paw Patrol play sets
- Boy/girl toddler underwear

School-aged kids to preteens

- Transformers®/autobots
- Small action figures for boys and girls
- Individual Matchbox®/Hot Wheels® cars
- Small horse/pony play sets
- Small Lego® sets; all skill levels (<100 pc) for boys and girls
- Princess-themed toys
- Coloring books
- Boy/girl school age underwear

Teens

- Boy/girl teen underwear
- Plain sweat pants/t-shirts
- Ear buds/headphones
- Teen coloring books (e.g. mandalas, color me calm, etc.)
- New Release PG-13 DVDs
- Universal cell phone accessories
- Backpacks

Patient/care giver personal care

- Hairbrushes/combs
- Travel size shampoo/conditioner
- Travel size deodorant and soap
- Travel size toothpaste plus toothbrush

*highlighted items are of greatest need at this time

Items That Will Be Declined

- Beanie babies
- McDonald's Happy Meal toys
- Vending machine toys
- Dollar store items
- Skateboards

- Outdoor activities (bicycles, pogo sticks, water toys, etc.)
- Beauty items: lotion, lip balm, nail polish, make up
- Crocheted/knit blankets
- Completed greeting cards
- Hats
- Pillowcases
- Trading cards/sports cards
- Comic books
- Scented toiletries

We are grateful for the community's generosity and are currently not accepting the following items:

- *Board games and puzzles*
- *Knit hats and other handmade clothing*
- *Large toy sets*
- *Stuffed animals*