

Seattle Children's Hospital Project

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Hospitals can be frightening places for children. Seattle Children's Hospital uses toys to cheer up and comfort young patients. Right now, the hospital is running extremely low on toy donations. But you can help!

6th graders from Team 21 at Brier Elementary are collecting donated items for the Seattle Children's Hospital as part of their class Giraffe Project -- sticking their necks out to help others who need special help.



Here's how you can stick your neck out too!

We need new toy donations!

Here are some suggestions for new toys. Baby toys (strong need for these), new baby blankets (hypoallergenic), new stuffed animals, dolls, Legos, makeup for teens, bottles of bubbles (no-spill containers), games, etc.

We need new toiletry items!

The hospital is completely out of toothpaste and Chapstick. There is an urgent need for deodorant, mouthwash, conditioner, toothbrushes, dental floss, shampoo, shaving cream, body wash, and lotion. Small hotel sample bottles of the above items are great but larger items are also greatly appreciated.

We need new craft items!

Children at the hospital and their siblings have many opportunities to enjoy arts and crafts. But the hospital is desperately in need of new craft items such as water paints, pastels, black velvet pictures, glitter pens, fabric markers, story sticker sets, doodle art, sculpey/fimo clay, beading materials, and coloring supplies.

We need gently used items!

Clean out your room! You never know what you will find there that could make a child's stay more enjoyable. Here is what can be accepted used: Hard surface toy that can be wiped, books (all ages) VHS & DVD tapes (adult & kid's genres), handheld game cartridges (DS – in cases, Gameboy – no cases), video games (Wii, Game cube, Xbox, and Playstation).

Here is what we cannot accept

No guns or any toys representing violence, no large metal trucks, or game cartridges rated M. We cannot accept money or food donations. Additional information can be found at <http://waystohelp.seattlechildrens.org/>

Please help us stick our necks out to help children who need it!

To see a full wish list, go to <http://waystohelp.seattlechildrens.org/donations/toys.asp>

Thank you for your support!

