

What you can do to help our patients

Children's Hospital of Wisconsin patients rely on the generous donations of people like you to make their hospital stays easier. This patient wish list includes items that will help children cope with the anxiety of being in the hospital. Your donation of a **new, unused item** will help make a child's stay more comfortable.

For infection control and privacy purposes, we are unable to welcome groups of visitors into the hospital. We are happy to accept and distribute your donations on behalf of our patients

For more information, or to make a donation, call the Kohl's Child Life Program donation hotline at: **(414) 266-2787**.

Guidelines

- All gifts must be new.
- Stuffed animals must be safe for all ages and no larger than 18". (No vending machine toys, please.)
- Toys or games with violent themes are not accepted.
- Please include batteries if required by the toy you are donating.
- Please do not wrap gifts.
- New Gift Bags always appreciated.

Electronic equipment

(shared by all patients)

- Digital cameras.
- CD boom boxes.
- Portable DVD players.
- Current release DVDs rated PG-13 or below (English and Spanish).
- iPod® players.
- iTunes® cards.
- Gift certificates in \$10 denominations.
- Phone cards.
- Small keyboards.
- Flip video cameras.

Infants

- Clothing.
- Wrist rattles.
- Musical crib toys.
- Mirrors.
- Infant-sized stuffed animals.
- All plastic mobiles.
- Lullaby compact discs (CDs).
- Cloth or cardboard books.
- Vibrating crib soothers.

Toddlers and preschoolers

- Sturdy toys with one or few pieces.
- Wooden puzzles.
- Games.
- Pop-up books.
- Bubbles.
- Dolls representing all ethnic backgrounds.

School-aged children

- K'Nex® kits.
- Lego® kits.
- Games (Memory®, Pop-O-Matic Trouble®, Uno®, Connect 4®, Scrabble™, Monopoly®, chess, checkers, Trivial Pursuit®, Candy Land®, Boggle®, Clue®, Guess Who?®, Yahtzee®, Sorry!®).
- Hot Wheels®.
- Puzzles under 500 pieces.
- Action hero figures.
- Small, over-the-door basketball hoops.
- Spanish books or DVDs.

Adolescents

- Sports-related clothing.
- Posters.
- Picture frames.
- Games (chess, Yahtzee®, Monopoly®, Uno®).
- Body lotions.
- Costume jewelry.
- Personal beauty and hair packages (headbands, hair products, body spray).

Art and craft supplies

- White pillowcases.
- Bead kits for all skill levels.
- Scrapbooking supplies.
- Stamping supplies.
- Gel pens.
- Maze books.
- Puzzle books.
- Craft kits.
- Klutz[®] activity books.
- Sun catchers.
- Paint-by-number kits.
- Blank journals.
- 8 pack crayons.
- Markers.
- Fabric markers.
- Colored pencils.
- Model Magic[®].
- Polymer clay.
- Sketch pads.
- Sketching pencils.
- Models.
- Wooden objects to paint.
- Foam shapes.
- Sticker kits.
- Garden stone kits.
- Mosaic kits.
- Latch hook kits.
- Easy sewing kits.
- Acrylic paints.
- Flat canvases.
- Sand art kits.

Kohl's Child Life Program

Child Life specialists help children and families adjust to hospital stays. They strive to help children continue activities they enjoy while in the hospital. Specialists maintain a supportive environment where children and parents can discuss anxieties.

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