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"Operation Amber Christmas"

Benefiting children who will be hospitalized during the Holidays

Donation Guidelines

To help ensure the safety of patients, please follow these guidelines when buying or preparing your gift:

- > All toys and gifts must be new in original packaging or with tags and unwrapped
- All items must be politically and religiously neutral.
- No toys or items that depict violence, including guns, swords and/or action fighting figures.
- ➤ Hand-made blankets and items must be clean and free of pet hair, odor and fragrances.
 - Many of our patients have severe allergies.
- We are unable to accept VHS or cassette tapes only DVD.
- > Stuffed animals must be new, unused and have original tags.
 - > Due to infection control, safety and allergy concerns:
- No candy, gum or food.
- No latex items, such as balloons or Band-Aids. Mylar balloons only.
- No beads, small or magnetic items or plastic bags that might cause a child to choke.

Top requested items:

- Brand new stuffed animals with tags
- Crayola art supplies (crayons, markers, colored pencils) & coloring books
- \$20 Gift cards (Amazon, Wal-Mart, Target, Google Play, Barnes and Noble, iTunes)
- Infant toys & toddler toys especially those that are musical and/or light up, all plastic please
- > 500+ piece puzzles for teens
- Playing Cards (Regular, UNO, Phase 10 etc)

- Lego kits (Boy & Girl Themed)
- > Teen coloring books
- Super hero & princess themed dolls or action figures
- Technology accessories (earbuds, headphones, electronics chargers, gaming controllers)
- Non-wire bound journals
- PLAIN White onesies preemie & newborn sizes



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Infants and Toddlers

- Fun cups, fun straws and tea sets (to encourage drinking fluids)
- Fisher Price or Little Tikes toys
- Leap Frog toys
- V-Tech toys
- Character toys (Disney, Pixar, Nickelodeon, Paw Patrol, Sesame Street, Doc McStuffins, Caillou, etc)
- Rattles, squeeze toys, teething rings and pacifiers
- Mobiles (plastic, washable)

- Infant/Crib Mirrors
- See N' Says
- Light Up toys
- Musical toys
- Stacking and nesting toys
- Building blocks
- Busy boxes
- Lullaby CDs
- Bouncers
- Little People Play Sets

School Age

- Character toys (Disney, Pixar, Nickelodeon, Kids Movies currently in theaters)
- > Teen coloring books and colored pencils
- > \$20 iTunes gift cards
- Animal sets (farm, zoo, horses, etc)
- > Fisher Price doctor kits
- Nerf balls and basketball hoops
- Craft kits and tempera paint (in bottles)
- > Play tool sets, kitchen & play food items
- Matchbox/Hot Wheels cars and play sets

- Cars, tractors, motorcycles, trucks, all sizes
- Lego and K-Nex sets
- Super hero themed items, figures and sets (Superman, Batman, Ironman Star Wars)
- Disney Princess and Frozen themed items, figures and sets
- Dinosaur items
- > Barbie dolls and accessories
- ➤ Large baby dolls (all races)

Teens

- Adult coloring books
- \$20 Gift cards (Amazon, Target, Walmart, Barnes & Noble, iTunes
- Technology accessories (earbuds, headphones, electronics chargers, gaming controllers)
- ➤ IPod/ MP3 Docking Stations
- Hand-held video games (20 questions, Yahtzee, Star Wars, Solitaire, etc)
- Blankets (fleece and quilted)

- Books for teens
- Jewelry (no earrings)
- Stress balls
- Board games (Parcheesi, Sorry, Life, Yahtzee, Connect 4, Trouble, Scrabble, Dominoes, Clue)
- Playing cards, (Regular, Uno, Phase 10)
- Word search, mad libs, crossword puzzles and Sudoku books