

## **Donation Opportunities**

### **Agencies accepting donations of Food Items**

Local Food Banks and pantries  
Animal food to rescue organizations, shelters

### **Agencies accepting donations of Quilts and Blankets**

Project Linus  
ConKerr Cancer – pillowcases  
Homeless Shelters  
Animal Shelters – old blankets

### **Agencies accepting donations of Gently worn Clothing**

Wardrobe for Opportunity – work clothing  
Princess Project – prom dresses  
Loved Twice – baby clothes  
Homeless Shelters

### **Agencies accepting donations of Books**

Friends of the Library  
Children's Hospital  
East Bay Children's Book Project  
Books for the Barrios  
Local Literacy Programs

### **Items needed by: Homeless/Battered Women's Shelter Donations**

#### **FOOD/TRAVEL:**

Non-perishable food items, unexpired  
Gift cards to local grocery stores  
Gas Cards, Bus or BART Passes

#### **PERSONAL CARE ITEMS:**

Toiletries: (shampoo, hair brush/comb, soap, tooth brushes, toothpaste, body lotion, shaving cream, sunscreen, hair styling products)  
Baby Items: Diapers (all sizes), Pull-ups, wipes, (bottles, bibs, blankets)  
First Aid/Safety Kits (Bandages, band-aids, flashlights)

#### **HOUSEHOLD ITEMS:**

Laundry detergent, dryer sheets

Bedding: New Blankets and New Pillows  
Pots and Pans, Can Openers, Serving Plates, Cooking  
Utensils

New Towels: (bath, hand, dish)

Cleaning supplies: Windex, 409, Pine sol, sponges, laundry detergent, dish soap

Paper products: (paper towels, napkins, toilet paper)

School supplies: binders, crayons, markers, filler paper, calculators

#### FUN SUGGESTIONS:

Movie Tickets, Bowling Passes, Prepaid gas cards, Spa/Lotion sets, nail polish, music  
cd's, Movies (VHS and DVD), disposable cameras, photo albums, arts and crafts supplies

Toys: new and unwrapped

Gift Bags and gift wrapping paper

Greeting Cards (Blank Thank you, Birthday, and Congratulatory Cards)

#### Items need by Children's Hospital

- Art and craft supplies:
- Balls: *baseballs, footballs, soccer balls, gym balls all sizes*
- Beading Kits
- Beanie Babies
- Bionicles
- Picture books
- Children's Books in Spanish
- Crayons & Colored Pencils
- Crib Mobiles & Crib Activity Boxes
- Dolls: *especially African-American, Asian and Hispanic dolls and Barbie's*
- Hot Wheels Toys, Small Cars & Trucks
- Infant and Toddler Toys: *such as those made by Fisher-Price and Playskool*
- Journals, Blank Books, Notebooks
- Mini Needlepoint Kits
- Mylar Balloons (not inflated), Balloon Weights & Curling Ribbon
- Playing Cards: *including UNO, Old Maid, Crazy Eights*
- Portable CD Players: *with headphone and batteries*
- Rattles
- Stickers