

Toy Drive Guidelines



Children's Hospital Colorado
Foundation

A giving spirit makes anything possible at Children's Hospital Colorado and embodies the reason why *Here, it's different*. From our care team to you, the community, we all play a part in delivering the highest quality of care and comfort to children when they need it the most.

No one wants to spend the holidays in the hospital, so Children's Colorado strives to make this time of year extra special through differentiating family services that aren't covered by insurance. Throughout the month of December, Children's Colorado received generous amounts of toy donations from the community. These toys are then magically transformed into **Snow Pile** - a warm and hopeful place that eases the financial burden and allows families to shop for the holidays here at Children's Colorado.

You can help bring the magic of the season to patients and their families spending the holiday in the hospital by donating toys.

Toy Donations: Children's Hospital Colorado

All donations must be new and in their original packaging. We typically run short every year on items for adolescents. All items must be received no later than **Thursday, December 17th**. We rely on donations of new toys, books, stuffed animals, craft materials and other gifts throughout the year! Please review our donation guidelines and wish lists by location below.

Wish List

**Anschutz Medical Campus, South Campus
(Highlands Ranch) and North Campus (Broomfield)**

Wish List

Colorado Springs

Highest Need: Toys for Adolescents, Infants, and Toddlers

Please keep in mind:

- Due to infection control guidelines, we can only accept items that are brand new and manufactured
- Items need to be in their original packaging
- We cannot accept toy guns or toys that depict violence (Nerf guns, figurines with guns/swords, military toys, etc.)
- We cannot accept the following items: food products, potted plants, latex balloons
- Infant/toddlers and adolescents are the age groups in greatest need
- We are not able to accept any infant swings or bouncers
- Please remember that we can only accept NEW toys and stuffed animals

Your time is valuable, and our families take comfort and joy knowing that our community stands behind them.