

Please Help Us Make A Difference in the Lives of Children and Families This Holiday Season

Please fax your preferences to Beatrice Williar
(202) 727-6505 by Nov.1st

PLEASE NOTE:

- All donations must be dropped-off at CFSA by the donor.
- Check donations must be made payable to the DC Treasurer.
- All gifts must be unwrapped.

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Child & Family Services
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Washington, DC 20024
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September 2011

Thanksgiving Food Baskets

Provide a family or several families with Thanksgiving dinner by putting together a Thanksgiving Food Basket. Fill a basket with non-perishable Thanksgiving food and provide a grocery store gift certificate for the purchase of a turkey. A certificate of \$15 should cover the cost of the turkey. We do not have access to refrigerated storage and are unable to accept turkeys. Please stock each basket to feed at least four people.

- Check box to sign-up. How many baskets will you contribute? _____
DELIVERY DATE: November 23rd/8:30am-12pm

Gifts for Specific Children

Go shopping with a particular child or children in mind. You provide us with the number of children you wish to buy gifts for, and we provide you with the name, age, gender, clothing and shoe sizes and suggested gifts for each child. Gifts must be UNWRAPPED and delivered to CFSA.

- Check box to sign-up. How many children will you sponsor? ____ children x 3 gifts each = ____ total gifts.
If you prefer children of specific ages, please indicate age range here _____
DELIVERY DATES: December 5th & 6th/8:30am-4pm

General Gift Donations

You or your company may wish to make a general donation of toys for children. This option is similar to the "Toys for Tots" model. Simply go shopping and purchase gifts that you think children would enjoy receiving. Please estimate the number of toys you anticipate collecting. Gifts must be UNWRAPPED and delivered to CFSA.

- Check box to sign up. How many gifts will you donate? _____
DELIVERY DATES: December 12th & 13th/8:30am-4pm

Family Sponsorship

If you are interested in more personal interaction with an entire family for the December holidays, Family Sponsorship is the way to go. You tell us how many and what kinds of families you are interested in sponsoring (i.e., number or age of children, grandmother caregiver, single parent etc.). Once you sign a

confidentiality form and the sponsored family signs consent to release their contact information, you will contact the family directly. Instead of delivering your donations to CFSA, you work directly with the family and deliver donations directly to them. Family sponsors generally provide both gifts and assistance with holiday meal planning.

- Check box to sign up. How many families will you sponsor? ____ Number of kids per family? ____
If you prefer children of a specific age range, please indicate the range here ____
DELIVERY DATE: Determined by donor

Monetary Donations

All checks must be made payable to the DC Treasurer. Write in the memo section 2010 Holiday Donation Drive.

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Name _____ Company _____

Address _____

City, State Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

PARTNERS FOR KIDS IN CARE 2011 FOOD BASKET AND ANGEL TREE HOLIDAY DRIVE





HOLIDAY TOYS/GIFTS WISH-LIST: (Unwrapped)

Here are some recommended gift ideas for children and youth served by CFSA. **We encourage you to please remember our foster teens; we often have the most difficulty providing gifts for teens.**

INFANTS & TODDLERS:

Crib Toys

ABC Blocks

Pull/Push Toy

Activity Blanket

Shape Sorter

Leap Frog Toys

Tub Toys

Soft Books

YOUNG CHILDREN:

AGES: 2-4

Sit-n-Spin	Jr. Basketball Hoop	Reading Books
Dolls (African Amer.)	Toy Truck/Cars	Gift Certificates
Leap Frog Toys		

AGES: 5-8

Dolls (African Amer.)	Hot Wheels	Reading Books
Crayons/Markers	Lego Blocks	Toy Truck/Cars
Balls	Movies (VHS/DVD)	Workbooks
Arts & Crafts Kits	EZ Bake Oven	Gift Certificates

AGES: 9 – 12

Barbies (Afr. Amer.)	Barbie Accessories	Hot Wheels & Tracks
Reading Books	Jr. Walkman	Books with Tapes
Art Activity Kits	Computer Software	Workbooks
Game Boy/Games	Movies (VHS/DVD)	Gift Certificates

TEENS/YOUNG ADULT: 13 - 18

For this age group, **GIFT CERTIFICATES** are preferable from the following stores: Old Navy, Footlocker, The Gap, Target, Best Buy, Bath & Body Works, Borders and Barnes & Noble.

If you do decide to purchase actual gifts for teens, below are several gift ideas:

Female

Bath & Body Gift Sets
Hat & Scarf Sets
Jewelry
Make-Up Kits
Nail Polish Kits
Popular Urban CDs
Popular Movie DVDs
Purses
Watches

Male

Hat & Scarf Sets
Popular Urban CDs
Popular Movie DVDs
Team Logo Baseball & Winter Caps
Watches
XL, XXL & XXXL Team Logo T-Shirts & Sweatshirts