

## CHOCO's Wish List

### Gift Cards

As the majority of our toy donations are received in the month of December we kindly encourage donations of gift cards in lieu of toys.

1. Amazon
2. Target
3. Michael's
4. Visa/Mastercard

Gift cards enable our trained Child Life Specialists to purchase toys, craft supplies and gifts as needed throughout the year based on the developmental age and gender of our current patients. In addition to helping us best meet the needs of our patients, gift card donations alleviate the need for us to secure offsite storage. Cash and checks are accepted, as well. Gift cards can be mailed to: CHOC Child Life Department, 1201 West La Veta Avenue, Orange, CA 92868

### Toy Donations

Durable, cleanable toys are most useful in the hospital setting. Please choose from the following items **only** for your toy donation. We cannot accept any used items.

#### Infant & Toddler:

- Musical toys (ones with buttons, knobs, light up, etc.) \*Highest priority
- Crib toys – mobiles, mirrors, busy boxes
- Teethers & rattles
- Little People/Weeble People
- See 'n Say/talking phones
- Shape sorters/stacking toys

#### School age:

- Action Figures (Batman, Superman, Transformers.)
- Dramatic play-medical play kits, kitchen, food, doll families
- Coloring books, Paint by Numbers, Velvet color posters
- Barbie Dolls/small dolls
- My Little Pony, Doc McStuffins,..
- Princess dolls, dress-up...
- Beads & jewelry making kits
- Craft sets/ Stickers
- I Spy Books/Look 'n' Find books
- Light-up wands/Light & spin toys
- Markers & crayons (8, 16 & 24 pack)
- Board games – popularity for different games changes over time. Please refer to our Amazon wish list for the most current requests.
- Small Lego building sets/Bionacles
- Matchbox /Hotwheel cars (small size cars)
- Playdoh/Model magic-all colors
- Playing cards & Uno cards
- Puzzles - 24, 63 & 100 pieces

## CHOCO's Wish List - continued

Teenagers: We are always in need of more activities for our teen population.

- Make-up/body care products
- Young Adult novels
- Clothes, jewelry-teen themed
- Sweatshirts
- Sports jerseys, hats
- Sports equipment
- Manicure kits with nail polish, polish remover, files, etc. are especially useful for our girls who are in the hospital for extended periods of time.
- Wooden items to paint- birdhouses, small boxes, etc. (Michaels)
- Room decoration Kits- posters, banners, party decorations in various colors/themes
- DVDs- PG13 ratings (English and Spanish) New release movies Only
- Food and movie gift certificates, iTunes gift cards
- Intricate craft kits (from stores such as Michaels)
- Model kits (snap-together cars, airplanes, etc)
- Video games: Xbox 360, Xbox One, Wii
- Magazine subscriptions: Teen Vogue, Seventeen, People, Bop, J-14, etc.  
(Mailed to: CHOC Child Life Dept, 1201 W. La Veta Avenue, Orange, CA 92868)
- Skateboard themed clothing
- Picture frames
- Jewelry making kits
- Slippers
- Gift bags

Other:

- Small toys from the Dollar Store

Craft Supplies (From stores such as Michael's or JoAnne's)

- Beads, crayons, markers, glue, paint by numbers, fuzzy art posters, coloring books, needlepoint, wooden items to paint (birdhouses, trinket boxes, etc.), seasonal crafts, scissors

**\*\*To View a video on Toy Donations at CHOC go to:**

<http://www.choc.org/programs-services/child-life/wish-list/>

The video is at the bottom of the page. Feel free to share this with your group, so they can see how donations are utilized here at CHOC.

**We are not able to accept the following items:**

Stuffed animals

Handmade blankets, hats, socks, etc.

Get well cards

Big items, i.e. bikes, skate boards

VHS tapes

Used toys or collections

Used Clothing

Promotional items with company logos

**Disclaimer** - CHOC reserves the right to exchange toy donations for toys or games most urgently needed for our patient

Our Tax ID number is 95-609-7416. Thank you so much for your generosity and support! Please contact the Child Life Department at (714) 509-4519 with any questions.