

BC Children's Hospital and BC Women's Hospital + Health Centre (C+W) Wish List

At C+W our primary concern is the comfort and wellbeing of our patients and their families. You will find below a listing of age-appropriate toys & gifts that we are able to accept.

Donation Guidelines:

- Due to infection control and allergies, we are **unable to accept used items** of any kind. This includes stuffed/plush animals.
- All donations must be new and not gift wrapped. Toys need to be inspected so that they can be matched with an appropriate child.
- Please do not donate toys or action figures with weapons or violent themes such as guns, knives, swords or other projectiles.
- Due to privacy and infection control, we cannot allow personal delivery of gifts and donations directly to patients.
- Occasionally, we receive items that may not be appropriate for us in the hospital or pose potential health concerns for our patients. These toys are shared with other children's charities in the Lower Mainland.



Items in high demand

- **Infant toys** – rattles, washable mobiles, teething toys (ask us for our NICU wish list)
- **Toddler toys** – light up/musical toys
- **Teen gifts** – sketchbooks, markers, art supplies, games, slippers
- **Arts and crafts** – self-contained craft kits, colouring books, Crayola crayons and markers
- **Small toys** – Playdough, fidget toys, small Lego sets
- **Technology** – iPads
- **Video games** – Xbox controllers, family-friendly games for Nintendo Switch/PlayStation/Xbox
- **Gift cards in small denominations** – Amazon, Walmart, Apple, Cineplex, video games (Xbox, PlayStation), local restaurants
- **Tickets and passes** – local sporting events and family-friendly activities (e.g., Science World, Van Dusen, Aquarium, PNE)



Online donations are gratefully accepted to help stock toy and activity needs throughout the year. Should you wish for us to do the shopping for you, you can donate online and we will fulfill specific needs: <https://www.bccfh.ca/donate/other-ways-to-give/toy-bank/>

Or you can make cheques payable to: BC Children's Hospital, Child Life Department c/o BC Children's Hospital Foundation, 938 West 28th Ave., Vancouver, BC V5Z 4H4

For information on where or how to donate, please contact Patient Experience at patientexperience@cw.bc.ca.

Infants (0-18 months)

- Infant development toys (eg *Fisher Price, Playskool, Leap Frog, Imaginarium, HAPE, HABA*)
- Assorted infant-sized rattles
- Non-toxic teething toys (eg *Sophie the Giraffe*)
- Balls (eg *O-ball, sensory*)
- Stacking cups/toys and sorting toys
- Mobiles
- Infant books (that include black and white pictures and/or pictures of babies)
- Crib side music and image players (eg *Fisher Price Ocean Wonders Aquarium*)
- Nighttime bedside projector (*Cloud B Twilight Turtle*) & white noise machines
- Pajamas (**brand new with tags**)

Toddlers & preschool (18 months – 4 years)

- Puzzles – 25 to 50 pieces
- *Fisher Price 'Little People' & Playmobil* figures and sets
- *Peppa Pig, Paw Patrol, Super Wings, Daniel Tiger*, etc. toys
- Small plastic animals (eg *Schleich brand*, wild, farm, domestic, dinosaur, *Little People*)
- Toy cars (eg *Hot Wheels* and *Fisher Price* brand) & ramps
- *WOW toys* (eg ambulance, helicopter)
- Toy trains/tracks (eg *Thomas the Train*)
- Themed toys (eg cards, games and dolls)
- Mini doll sets (eg *Littlest Pet Shop, My Little Pony*)
- Baby dolls
- Kitchen play food (eg *Just Like Home, Melissa & Doug*)
- Play-Doh single containers & shape cutters
- Kinetic sand
- *Crayola Scribble Scrubbies*
- Fingerlings
- Doctor kits (eg *Little MD-Parents brand*)
- Electronic learning toys by *V-Tech*
- *Skyrocket Pomsies Lumies*
- Sensory toys (eg squishy/squeeze toys, *HEX bugs*, fidget spinners, water motion timers)
- Pajamas (**brand new with tags**)

School age (5-11 years)

- *Lego* sets (eg *StarWars*, *City Lego*, *Ninjago*, *Super Heroes*, *Kingdoms*, *Toy Story*, *Creator*, *Bionicles*, *Disney* and *Friends Lego*)
- *Lego* store gift cards
- Assorted toys and figures (eg *Minecraft*, *Pokemon*, *Star Wars*, *Moana*, *Frozen*, *Princesses*, *Super Heroes*)
- *Nerf* brand toys
- Arts and crafts kits (eg *Klutz brand* or *Melissa & Doug*)
- LOL dolls
- *Play-Doh* single containers & shape cutters
- Stickers
- Model kits
- Puzzles
- Story books
- Board games (eg *Sushi Go*, *Spot It*, *Trouble*, *The Game of Life*, *UNO*, *Sorry*, *Scrabble*, *Candyland*, *Chutes and Ladders*, *Monopoly*, *Monopoly Junior*, *Connect 4*)
- Card games (*Uno*, regular decks of cards, other card games)
- Video game gift cards (*Xbox Ultimate Game Pass*, *PlayStation PS+*)
- *Google Play* gift cards
- *iTunes* gift cards
- Pajamas (**brand new with tags**)

Youth/teens (12-19 years)

- Clothing (**brand new with tags**) for **older teen sizes** (eg hoodies, pajamas, toques, flannels, cardigans)
- Socks, slippers, underwear
- *Beats* brand headphones
- iPhone, iPad
- *Lego Robotics*
- Video game gift cards (*Xbox Ultimate Game Pass*, *PlayStation PS+*)
- Video game controllers (eg *Xbox One*, *PS4*)
- Video game systems (eg *Xbox One*, *PS4*)
- VR headsets
- *Google Play* Gift Cards
- *iTunes* gift cards
- Hori Nintendo Switch LAN adapter
- Bluetooth portable speakers
- *Herschel* brand accessories (eg wallets, makeup bags)
- Bath and body products/kits
- Journals (*Indigo Chapters* brand)
- Sketch books & pencils, small canvases, acrylic paints, watercolour palettes, wooden frames & boxes

- Teen board games
- Books & puzzles
- Sports items (small soccer/footballs/basketballs & nets that can be attached to doors, jerseys)

Miscellaneous items for birthdays:

- Gift bags (assorted sizes)
- Small flameless tea lights
- *No latex balloons please*

Gift cards (in small denominations):

- Starbucks
- Best Buy
- Chapters/Indigo
- iTunes
- Amazon
- Sephora
- Opus Framing, Michael's or other craft supply stores
- Netflix
- Disney+
- Google Play
- Xbox Ultimate Game Pass
- PlayStation PS+
- Nintendo e-shop
- Clothing stores: Aritzia, Gap, H&M, West 49, Billabong, Aeropostale