

All Agency Wish List

Unless otherwise specified, all donated Items should be New

Clothing-- New clothing only

All sizes and genders: infant, children, youth, adult and maternity

- Pajamas (PJ pants and shorts)
- Robes (mostly for teens) & Slippers
- Sweat pants & Hoodies
- Tee Shirts
- Jeans & dress pants
- Dresses
- Onesies and other infant clothing
- Shirts & Blouses
- Underwear
- Stockings and Socks
- Shoe Store Gift Cards (DSW, Payless)

Gift Cards, Certificates (incentive and program expenses)

- Payless, Target, Meijer, Walmart
- Local Grocery and Department Stores
- Gas Stations
- Pizza Places
- Fast Food: McDonald's, Wendy's, Arby's, Subway, Taco Bell
- Entertainment Gift Cards: City Limits Bowling, Movie Theaters, Skating, Lansing Lugnuts, Miniature Golf, Museums, Ice Skating, Aquatic Center, MSU Sports (any game)

Other Gift Certificates:

- CATA Bus Passes & Tokens
- Beauty Salons

Household Items

- Cleaning supplies (NO pine scented products! Lemon Scented preferred)
- Laundry & Dishwasher Detergent, Dish soap
- Clorox wipes
- Window Cleaner
- Bleach Laundry detergent (dye-free and hypo-allergenic kinds, etc)
- Plastic cups and kids cups
- Plastic food storage containers
- Pie Pans & Frying Pans
- Pots and Pans Sets
- Dish Sets and Serving Dishes

- Floor Lamps
- Eating and Cooking Utensils
- Central Air Unit protectors
- Plastic Storage Bins (outdoor and indoor), Food Storage Bins & Storage Shelving Units
- Bath Towels & Hand Towels
- Kitchen Hand Towels & Sponges
- Scrub brushes Baby Bottles and Formula
- New <u>or gently used Car Seats</u> (Cannot have been in an accident)
- Laundry Baskets

Hygiene Products

- Diapers and Wipes—One of our biggest needs for Angel House!
- Deodorant
- Hairbrushes , combs and other hair accessories
- African-American hair products
- Feminine products (Pads and tampons all varieties)
- Shaving Cream for men and women
- Make-up
- Hair Blow dryers
- Cotton balls
- Sunscreen
- Toothbrushes & Toothpaste
- Shampoo/conditioner
- Body wash
- Hand sanitizer

Weather Specific Needs

- Winter Coats and Boots
- Sweaters and Hoodies (MSU, U of M, Tigers, Red Wings, etc)
- Snow Suit (infant and children)
- Winter Hats and Gloves (not knitted, non woolen but warm)
- Throws, Aphgans (any size and type)

School Supplies

- Backpacks and school supplies (paper, pencils, pens)
- Trapper-Keeper style three ring zipper binders



- PC and Laptop Computers (new or new refurbished with Warranty)
- Memory Sticks
- SD Cards
- Batteries (all types)
- Texas Instruments Calculators
- Best Buy gift cards to purchase electronic equipment needed to be successful at school

Sports Equipment

 Air pump, Balls (all sports), bats, gloves, Basketball Hoop (needed at Gateway Youth Services!)

Bedding and Luggage

These items are used for children/youth because when placement takes place, children often come with their possessions in a large trash bag. We want to provide them with an easy to pack duffle, a blanket and pillow of their own that they can carry easily when placements occur.

- Blankets and quilts (twin, full and queen)
- Standard pillows
- Twin, full and queen size sheet sets & comforter sets
- Heavy Duty Duffle Bags

Other Items often needed as incentive gifts and birthday presents:

- MP3 Player & iPod
- GameBoy and Game Boy games (new or refurbished with warranty)
- Playstation, XBox most up to date version and games
- Kindle (can be used, but refurbished with warranty)
- Digital cameras with SD card

For our Administrative Offices:

- Laptops
- PC Computers
- Printers
- New Desks and Filing Cabinets

Things we CANNOT use:

- Used clothing, unless very gently used
- Used toys no used toys
- Used or Broken furniture
- Cell Phones
- Used, not refurbished electronic games and other items
- Used bedding and other items

Occasionally: we have items that are needed quickly such as beds, bikes, etc...if you would like to be added to the email list to receive information about these needs, please send an email to **Demphna@childandfamily.org** and request to be added to the special request email list.

Annual Support: Child and Family Charities participates with several local companies, organizations and individuals to provide Holiday gifts for the children and youth who relate to our agency. To be added to that list and receive information on the Hope for the Holidays Gift Giving Campaign, please email **Demphna@childandfamily.org**.

Thank you for your support and generosity!

Child and Family Charities is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Your donations are tax deductible to the extent allowable by law.

For more information or to call to schedule a pickup of your donation, please contact:

Demphna Krikorian, Director of Development at <u>demphna@childandfamily.org</u>

Or 517.882.4000, ext. 126

Child and Family Charities

4287 Five Oaks Drive • Lansing MI • 48911 • 517.882.4000 • www.childandfamily.org

Agency divisions and programs include the following

Child Welfare Services, including foster care, adoption and post adoptions support; Child Abuse Prevention Services, including Respite child care, and foster care supportive visitation; Pregnant & Parenting Teen Services, including Angel House and Angel Academy; Behavioral Health Services, providing family mental health counseling and teen assessment and substance abuse treatment; Juvenile Justice Services, including Ingham Teen Court and TEAM truancy outreach,

and Gateway Youth Services, including a homeless and runaway youth program.