



Arkansas Children's Remote and Offsite Volunteer Program



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Arkansas Children's is excited to offer remote and offsite volunteering. Remote and offsite volunteers are able to support patients and families at Arkansas Children's from the comfort of their own home, office or school. The Arkansas Children's remote and offsite volunteer experience includes recognition during our National Volunteer Appreciation Week celebratory events, invitations to volunteer gatherings, and opportunities to volunteer in-person during Festival of Stars and other special events at Arkansas Children's throughout the year.

Below are our current virtual volunteer opportunities:

// **Create Craft Kits** for patients to enjoy in our hospitals and clinics.*

// **Compile Compassion Bags** for our frontline team members.* View details on the back for the list of needed items

*Volunteers will obtain one volunteer hour per ten craft kits, shoe boxes and/or compassion bags received. In addition to volunteer hours, all donations will be recorded and recognized through our In-Kind Donation Program, so please include any financial responsibility undertaken as part of your donation.

// Create Craft Kits

Fill a Ziplock® bag with fun, multipurpose supplies. These kits are used to help materials feel welcomed and entertained during their visit.

Craft Kits can be assembled at a location of your choice and delivered or mailed to the Volunteer Engagement Office. We will be excited to greet you at the front entrance of the hospital and snap a photo to share with our team!

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GUIDELINES: The health and safety of our patients, families and team is top priority when we accept generous gift donations. Please follow the guidelines below:

We will happily accept Kits with contents that are:

- Brand new (including books)
- In unopened packaging if possible for any scissors, glue sticks, etc...
- Non-toxic and latex-free
- Odor-free

We cannot accept Kits if the contents:

- Are gently used (books, magazines, toys)
- Are edible (pieces contain food)
- Contain latex or toxins (check labels carefully)
- Have been stored or displayed for any length of time
- Promote violence (guns and swords)
- Depict a religious theme of any holiday or other event



// Compile Compassion Bags

Provide healthcare heroes at Arkansas Children's with convenient nutrition through individually packaged/sacked snack bags.

Compassion Bags can be assembled at a location of your choice and can be delivered to the Volunteer Engagement Office. We will be excited to greet you at the front entrance of the hospital and snap a photo to share with our team!

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GUIDELINES: The health and safety of our patients, families and team is top priority when we accept generous gift donations. Please follow the guidelines below:

We will happily accept donations with contents that are:

- Brand new
- Individually wrapped
- In unopened packaging

We cannot accept donations that are:

- Homemade food items
- Expired
- Include any religious messaging or theme

NEEDED ITEMS:

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| Plain/Flavored Bottled Water (8oz/16.9oz) | Granola bars |
| Gatorade® or Powerade® (12oz/20oz) | Rice Krispie Treats® |
| Soda, Capri Sun®, plastic bottled juice | Nutrigrain® Bars, Belvita, cereal bars |
| Slim Jim® | Ramen Cups (Chicken/Beef) |
| Peanut Butter Crackers | Mac/Cheese cups (Microwavable cups) |
| Fruit Snacks | Chef Boyardee® Pasta Cups: |
| Chex Mix™/Pretzels/Trail Mix | (variety pack Ravioli, Lasagna, Beefaroni, Spaghetti & Meatballs) |
| Cheez It® or Gold Fish® | Fruit cups |
| Sweet N Salty Nuts | Individual packages of gum |
| Nuts/variety (Cashews, Almonds, Peanuts) | Fun size/Treat size candy: |
| Chips/variety | (Chocolate bars, Skittles®, Hershey® Kisses, etc.) |
| Pre-popped popcorn | |





THANK YOU FOR BEING A CHAMPION FOR CHILDREN!

For more information, please contact your
nearest Volunteer Engagement Office.

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