



Dear Donors:

The holidays are quickly approaching and we are launching our Annual Holiday Drive. As you can well imagine, the holidays are a difficult time for those who are in our emergency shelter as well as our non-residential program dealing with the uncertainties that domestic violence brings.

Many of you have helped before by "adopting" a family and supplying gifts to help make their holiday more enjoyable. If you or your social group would like to participate, please contact me as soon as possible in order to match you with a family and/or families in need.

How it works: You will be assigned a single, a family or families with one or more children - you let me know what is your preference. Our counselors are collecting the client's wish lists that will be matched to you and/or your group. This form will include your initials, the counselor's initials, the recipient's initials, an identification code, ages, genders, sizes, and a list of 5 gift wishes plus a gift card. We ask that you choose ONLY 2-3 of the 5 gift items for each recipient, wrapped and labeled with the identification code and clients initials.

We need to have all gifts at our administration office by Monday, December 17th in order to distribute items in time for the holidays.

As always, we appreciate your kindness and generosity and wish you a very happy holiday season!

Best Wishes,

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