

HOST A DIAPER DRIVE

What is it?

Volunteers host a diaper drive to collect and donate new diapers that support March of Dimes programs and families. Unopened packages only.

Why is it important?

On average parents use 8-12 diapers a day. The average family spend around \$1,000 in the first year on disposable diapers and supplies [[healthline](#)]. For families, costs add up quickly and providing diapers can go a long way in supporting the basic needs so families can focus on what's most important – bonding with their new baby.

HOW YOU CAN DO IT:

1. If you haven't already, please let us know you are taking this action.
2. **Get Connected:** If you are connected to a local March of Dimes staff contact on your project, please follow their directive, otherwise, you can find an organization to donate your diapers to locally that is in need. This could include:
 - A local diaper bank. To find your local diaper bank, visit www.NationalDiaperBankNetwork.org.
 - Public Health Centers, parent and family services
 - Local health departments, WIC clinics
 - Women's centers, shelters
 - Nonprofit or government funded Child care centers
 - Churches
 - In cases where there isn't a local organization, please ship diapers to March of Dimes Fulfillment Center. Place the completed donation form inside your package. You can use any carrier you prefer. Shipping cost is at the volunteer's expense.
March of Dimes Fulfillment Center
200 Charis Drive
Moody, AL 35004

Before you collect donations, it is important to identify where the diapers will be donated, what quantities can be accepted, and to confirm if there are any specific needs or requirements for diaper donations.

3. **Do it:** Pick a theme (stuff the bus, fill the room, etc.), set a goal for how many packages of diapers, you or your group would like to collect or purchase and by when.
4. **Promote it:** Share your theme, goal and collection date and promote your diaper drive via email, text, social media and word of mouth!
5. **Share:** Post a picture of your collection and tag @MarchofDimes.
6. **Donate:** Deliver or ship the collected diapers as determined in step two.



DONATION FORM

ITEM DONATION FORM – INDIVIDUAL

In order for individual donors to receive acknowledgement for their in-kind donation. Please provide the following information for each donor.

DONOR CONTACT INFORMATION

Donor name: _____ Donor signature: _____

Date of Donation: _____

Address: _____

Contact name: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

DONATION:

This shipment includes:

_____ (quantity) of _____ (item) total value of items \$ _____

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Please ship to:

March of Dimes Fulfillment Center
c/o Lamar Glidewell
200 Charis Drive
Moody, AL 35004
Phone: 205-947-4530

Email the donation form to **Patty Gentry** at **PGentry@MarchofDimes.org**.
Please include a printed copy of donation form in your shipment as well.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

Centralsupport@marchofdimes.org

800-906-3463

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DONATION FORM

ITEM DONATION FORM – GROUP

If you aren't able to make a direct site donation, please complete this form and submit with any physical donations. Send to the March of Dimes fulfillment center.

DONOR CONTACT INFORMATION

Group name: _____ Group signature: _____

Date of Donation: _____

Address: _____

Contact name: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

DONATION:

This shipment includes:

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