



Grant A Wish, Inc Children & Family Center

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Grant A Wish Programs

GRANT A WISH WISH PROGRAM- is a general wish program that grants wishes to needy, disabled and abused children. We are soliciting funds to provide wishes to our children. The wishes can be trips, material items, electronic equipment, and anything that is a reasonable request for a wish. A **wish** - is a desire or longing for something. We want children to dream for an improved quality of life through wishing. All of these programs are for needy, disabled and abused children only, except our food program. Applications are on line.

GRANT A WISH BABY PROGRAM- is a program designed to provide baby milk, diapers, baby clothing, playpens, cribs, strollers, car seats and general baby supplies & equipment to economically disadvantaged families. Our program is for eligible families struggling to provide for their infants and toddlers. We want to be a resource for other organizations looking for help for their client needs. We provide for newborns up to toddlers 5 years of age. We also recycle baby equipment for use by others who may need the items for their baby, providing that the equipment is in very good condition. Application are on line.

GRANT A WISH SCHOOL PROGRAM- is a program designed to provide school supplies to eligible economically disadvantaged students. You must show proof of income at the time you apply. We give out school supplies from kindergarten to a sophomore in high school and the cut off age for the program is 16 years of age. We provide bookbags and a variety of general school supplies for all grades within the Chicago & Suburban Public School Systems. Applications are on line year round.

GRANT A WISH FOOD PROGRAM- is a program in cooperation with the **Greater Chicago Food Depository**. We give out food that we purchase from the depository every month. We receive free food from USDA, TANF and FEMA through federal food programs when available. We rent a truck for the food pick up each month. We order 4,000 lbs to 7,000 lbs of food each month. We provide food for 150 to 300 households and we feed between 500 to 800 individuals every month. Together we can help eliminate hunger in our communities.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY GIFT PROGRAM- is a program designed to provide Holiday gifts to needy, disabled and abused children through selected agencies. We coordinate the process for agencies to receive Holiday gifts. Agencies must sign a contract and agree to certain terms. We solicit support from the general public to help purchase gifts for the children for the **Annual Holiday Gift Program**. We have been providing Holiday gifts for over 37 years.

" GIFTS THAT MAKE A DIFFERENCE "