



WILL COUNTY
Children's
ADVOCACY CENTER

HOPE, HEALING, AND JUSTICE FOR ABUSED CHILDREN.

WISH LIST



Imagine...

If every day you opened your door, another hurting child was standing there.

In 2017,
560 new,
hurting kids
came to ours.



Will County State's Attorney James Glasgow established the Will County Children's Advocacy Center as a non-profit, 501(c)3 charitable organization (EIN #36-428949) in 1995 to provide critical services to children who are victims of sexual abuse and severe physical abuse, and their non-offending family members. We accept cash, check, or credit card donations to help fund the day-to-day operations. Below is a wish list of items (must be new and unopened) that donors may provide. *All donations are tax-deductible as allowed by law.*

SNACKS

Individually wrapped, multi-packaged snacks:

- Capri Sun, Kool-Aid, or Minute Maid Juice Boxes
- Bottled Water
- Cheez-Its or Goldfish Crackers
- Fruit Snacks (Gummies)
- Cheese & Crackers, or Peanut Butter & Crackers
- Granola Bars
- K-Cups (Hot Chocolate, or Coffee: Regular & Decaf)

STUFFED ANIMALS & BLANKETS

New Stuffed Animals, and Braided Fleece or Knitted Blankets

PLAY

- Coloring & Activity Books
- Barbie Dolls, Baby Dolls
- Toy Cars or Trucks (i.e. Hot Wheels)
- Books, Magazines (English & Spanish)
- Board Games
- Action Figures
- Backpacks, Duffle Bags
- Teen-Aged Items: Sports-Themed Items, Handheld Electronic Games, Journals, Nail Polish, Cosmetic Sets, Jewelry-Making/Bead Craft Sets, Puzzles

BIG DREAM ITEMS

- Donated Meals (for Multidisciplinary Team Case Review Meetings or Board Meetings)
- Frequent Flier Miles (for Staff to Use to Attend Trainings)
- Advertising Space in Print & Broadcast Media
- Donor Management System Software


SERVICE & PROGRAM NEEDS

- Toys, Bedding and Supplies for our Therapy Dogs
- Washable Markers, Crayons, Pencils and Pens
- Paper Towels and Toilet Paper
- Paper Plates and Plastic Eating Utensils
- Antibacterial Liquid Hand Soap in Dispenser
- Kleenex
- Lysol or Clorox Cleaning Wipes
- Bathroom Multi-Purpose Spray Cleaner
- Clear Plastic Storage Bags and Containers (All Sizes)
- Baby Wipes (Unscented)
- Storage Bins, Containers, Crates
- AAA, AA and C Batteries
- Dry Erase Markers
- Reams of 8 ½ x 11 Copy Paper (White or Bright Colors)
- Solid Colored Folders with Pockets
- Easel Board Paper Pads
- Gift Cards: Restaurant, Grocery or Gasoline

PERSONAL HYGIENE

- Soap
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrush
- Comb/Brush

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Our needs reflect the unique services we provide to children on their path to healing. For example, we may use **art therapy** and **play therapy** during counseling sessions, since art expression and play are ways children mediate and resolve traumatic experiences. We also provide **snacks** to help children and family members feel more comfortable. Your generosity ensures that our services support children in the best way possible.

Thank you for your support!