

# WHERE TO DONATE JUST ABOUT EVERYTHING IN INDIANAPOLIS



## KIDS + FAMILY

### CHILDREN'S CLOTHING + TOYS

Shelters, Children's Centers, Churches and Preschools  
\*Always call ahead to see what donations they accept

### EYEGLASSES

Local Optometrist or Lion's Club

### CRAFT SUPPLIES

Riley Children's Hospital  
Drop Off at the Simon Family Tower (inside the  
Front Entrance) | 705 Riley Hospital Drive

## WOMEN

### BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL SUITS, PURSES, JEWELRY + SHOES

Dress for Success Indianapolis  
<https://indianapolis.dressforsuccess.org/get-involved/donate/>  
\*Call for Donation Drop-Off Hours

### FORMALWEAR (WOMEN + MEN)

The Gifted Gown (Local)  
[www.thegiftedgown.com](http://www.thegiftedgown.com)

### PURSES + TRAVEL-SIZED TOILETRIES

Project Purse Indy  
<http://projectpurseindy.com/about/>

## MEN

### BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL SUITS + ACCESORIES

Danny's Closet of Hope (St. Vincent)  
<https://www.stvincent.org/how-we-are-different/dannys-closet-of-hope>  
\*Donations by Appointment Only

## HOUSEHOLD

### PHONES + TABLETS + TECHNOLOGY

Computers with Causes  
<http://www.computerswithcauses.org/computer-donation-indiana.htm>

### FLORAL VASES + FLOWERS

Random Acts of Flowers  
<http://randomactsofflowers.org/donate-vases>

### FURNITURE + APPLIANCES (EVEN CABINETRY + PAINT)

Habitat for Humanity's IndyRestore  
<http://indyrestore.com/>

### SHEETS + TOWELS

Local Animal Shelter  
\*Call to Confirm Specific Needs

### BOOKS

Little Free Library  
Search <https://littlefreelibrary.org/ourmap/>  
for location details

# HOW DO YOUR ITEMS HELP?



## RILEY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Craft Supplies are utilized in Art Therapy for children undergoing treatment at Riley Children's Hospital.

Journals and Scrapbooking Supplies are provided to parents with a child in the NICU giving them an opportunity to document and share milestones.

## DRESS FOR SUCCESS + DANNY'S CLOSET OF HOPE

These organizations empower men and women to feel confident in their wardrobe as they interview for a job that may be a steppingstone to a new chapter of their lives.

## PROJECT PURSE INDY

Project Purse Indianapolis collects gently-used purses, fills them with basic necessities, feminine hygiene products, and beauty supplies to distribute to homeless shelters, churches, schools, etc. that have demonstrated a need. Each purse also includes a handwritten card with words of hope, from one woman to another. (Source: Project Puse Indy)

## INDYRESTORE

Furniture, Appliance, Fixtures and Building Materials keep Habitat for Humanity building homes for amilies who otherwise may never be able to own their own home.

## RANDOM ACTS OF FLOWERS

This non-profit's mission is to deliver thousands of beautiful bouquets of recycled flowers to those struggling with injury, illness and the aging process every week in neighborhoods all over the country. (Source: Random Acts of Flowers)

## COMPUTERS WITH CAUSES

Your old technology will benefit numerous charities and families throughout Indiana (and is completely tax deductible). (Source: Computers with Causes)

## ANIMAL SHELTERS

Local Animal Shelters are consistently looking for linens to use as they bathe animals and for lining cages.

# GET THE FAMILY INVOLVED



## IN-HOME HOLIDAY TOY DRIVE

Around the holidays, conduct a "toy drive" in your own home. Have each of your kids take a box to their room and collect toys, craft supplies and clothing to donate to a local charity.

Talk about the charity/charities that you will be donating items to and let them get involved with the drop-off process so they can experience the joy of giving.

## DONATE A BIRTHDAY

For a birthday, ask friends to bring a NEW book or toy as a donation for the local children's hospital or Ronald McDonald House. During the party, write notes or draw pictures to accompany the items and let your "birthday kiddo" accompany you to drop-off donations.

## CHANGE FOR CHARITY

Keep a jar in the pantry or another common space, where your kiddos can donate a portion of their allowance. At the end of the year or another specific interval, have the family decide which charity the dollars will benefit. It's amazing to see how that change adds up!