

HOLIDAY FOOD DONATION DRIVE

Listed below are food items that are packed in boxes for distribution to families during the holidays. You can help by purchasing these items and delivering to Metrocrest Social Services.

Want to deliver pre-packed boxes to us? See instructions online.

For large donations, call in advance to arrange a pickup.

DEADLINE for Thanksgiving donations: November 19

DEADLINE for December donations: December 15

Canned Food

- Canned pinto or green beans
- Canned corn
- Canned fruit or juice
- Canned meat or chili
- Canned pasta with meat sauce
- Canned tomato sauce or diced tomatoes
- Canned soup
- Canned tuna, salmon, chicken or seafood
- Canned evaporated milk
- Peanut butter

Dried Food

- Boxed macaroni & cheese
- Boxed pasta
- Boxed instant potatoes
- Flavored rice or pasta mix
- Dried rice in 2 lb. bags
- Dried beans in 2 lb. bags
- Sugar in 2 lb. bags
- Ramen or instant soup packs
- Boxed Jello or pudding

No glass or perishables!

Questions? Contact Nicole Newkham at 972-446-2100 x19 or nnewkham@metrocrestsocialservices.org. **Thank you!**



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GIFT DRIVE for the HOLIDAYS

Collect and donate unwrapped holiday gift items for local families served by Metrocrest Social Services by the **December 15 deadline**.

For large donations, call in advance to arrange a pickup.

Infant gifts

- Sleepers & toddler clothes
- Push, pull, or riding toys
- Play gyms
- Car seats
- Educational games

Children's gifts

- Trucks & cars
- Remote control toys
- Disney character toys
- Tricycles & bikes
- Baby dolls & accessories
- Play dish sets & Nerf toys
- DVDs & CDs
- Pajamas & sweatshirts
- Fishing poles & equipment
- Scooters, skateboards & helmets

Preteen & Teen gifts

- Sports & college apparel
- Radios, cameras & MP3 players
- Gym bags & sports equipment
- Wallets, jewelry & watches
- DVDs & CDs
- Curling irons & hair dryers
- Nail & cosmetic sets
- Gift cards for WalMart, Target & Payless Shoe Source

Family gifts

- Comforters, blankets & sheets
- Pillows, towels & sleeping bags
- Small household appliances
- Pots, pans & tableware
- Boxed sets of glasses & dishes
- DVD players
- Pre-paid phones

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