



11-11-2017 New Coat Deliveries Completed



Did You Know?

The following 15 School Districts (53 Schools) have been donated to and through by 10/10/17

Hilliard Gahanna Southwestern

Worthington Columbus Olentangy

Dublin Reynoldsburg Delaware

Upper Arlington Whitehall Ohio State Funded Blind/ Deaf Schools

Mt. Gilead Big Walnut Private Special Needs

C4C also donated to and through 2 Places of Worship & 7 Youth Programs

63 Community Partnerships

- 1. Granby
- 2. Slate Hill
- 3. Colonial Hills
- 4. Daniel Wright
- 5. Indian Run
- 6. Ohio School of the Deaf
- 7. Ohio School of the Blind
- 8. Colerain Elem
- 9. Bridgeway Acad
- 10. Huy Elem
- 11. A/G Bell Elem
- 12. Ohio Ave Elem
- 13. Kae Elem
- 14. Etna Elem
- 15. Beechwood
- 16. Trevitt Elm
- 17. Broadleigh
- 18. Creative Child Care East
- 19. Highland Elm

- 20. Fairmoor
- 21. Woodward Elem
- 22. Oak Creek
- 23. Glen Oak
- 24. Hamilton Stem Acad.
- 25. Windsor Stem
- 26. Scottwood
- 27. South Mifflin Elm
- 28. Big Brother & Big Sister
- 29. Chapelfield Elem
- 30. Old Orchard
- 31. Herbert Mills Elem
- 32. Weinland Park Elem
- 33. Iglesia Undid
- 34. Northmoor
- 35. West Broad St. Elem
- 36. Prairie Lincoln Elem
- 37. Prairie Norton Elem
- 38. Georgian Heights
- 39. Britton Elem

- 40. Scioto Darby
- 41. Tremont Elem
- 42. Berwick Alt.
- 43. Leawood
- 44. Linden Life Stem
- 45. Starling
- 46. Acts of Faith Crusade
- 47. Harrison
- 48. Boys & Girls Club of Marion
- 49. Boys & Girls Club of Marion
- 50. Olentangy Meadows
- 51. Park Ave. Elm
- 52. Big Walnut Elm.
- 53. Cassady Alt.
- 54. Shady Lane
- 55. Cardington Elm
- 56. Oakmont Elm

- 57. Duxberry
- 58. Delaware Job & Family Svcs.
- 59. United Way Marrow County
- 60. Dungarvin Foster Care-Cols
- 61. Directions for Youth
- 62. Whitehall Senior Center
- 63. Trevitt Elm (Adopted)











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Community Partnered with us to
help keep our Ohio Children Warm





Providing Warmth for 11 Years









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Georgian Heights-Columbus





- Schools
- Children Organizations
- Any Place of Worship































Olde Orchard- Columbus



Leawood -Columbus



Herbert Mills-Reynoldsburg



















West Broad St. & Starling Elm-Columbus





A/G Bell & Huy Schools-Columbus









We Adopted A School

Coats **4** Children and New Hope Church Club **45** Community Partnered for Trevitt Elementary a Columbus Public School.

We provided brand new Coats

300













Woodward Elm-Delaware







Serving Ohio Communities

- Schools
- Children Organizations
- Any Place of Worship





Big Brother Big Sister-Columbus

Dungarvin Foster Care- Columbus

Boys & Girls Club-Marion







Food Pantry of Morrow County





Cardington, Park Ave, Harrison, Northmor

Mt. Gilead District

United Way-Morrow County













Ohio Community

We Donated to and through

- BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS
- Boys & Girls Club of Marion*
- Dungarvin Foster Care-Cols*
- Delaware Job & Family Services
- United Way Morrow County
- Directions for Youth & Families
- WH Senior Ctr. Adopt A Youth



"All Children in Ohio Deserve Warmth"









Founder of coat charity eases chill for children





Little Miss Buckeye Community Partnered

Charming Charlie Easton & Polaris

Texas Roadhouse East Main Street







Special Thanks to:

- Cardinal Health Foundation
- Cardinal Health Giving Station
- Creative Child Care East
- New Hope Church Endowment Fund





Cardinal Health









Special Thanks for the following Coat Drives:



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Nationwide Dept. TEAM
New Hope Church
Cardinal Health Dept. TEAM











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Coats 4 Children
Donated 79 Brand
New Baby outfits
to Nationwide
Children's Hospital



Through Community Partnership

New Hope Church Collected 4,409

















What do you see behind every door?







THE COLUMBUS FOUNDATION

Columbus Div. of Fire Turning Up The HEAT for Ohio Children

Eric A. Barua, M.D. April 26, 2015

Protecting our Children from the Cold and Why we need Coats 4 Children

With the past several Ohio winters being recorded as some of the coldest in the past 30 years, it has become more important than ever to be vigilant against hypothermia in our children. From 1979 to 1988, the Centers for Disease Control recorded approximately 14,000 deaths from hypothermia in the United States alone. ¹ However, the total number of cases is likely much larger because the diagnosis is often missed.

Hypothermia is typically defined as a core body temperature below 35°C (95°P) and can be classified according to mild, moderate and severe. For mild hypothermia (35-32°C), the child may display shivering, goose bumps, pallor or a bluish discoloration of the extremities. These changes all arise from physiologic mechanisms designed to preserve core body temperature. Other signs and symptoms include numbness in the extremities, sluggishness, drowsiness or lethargy, and increased heart rate and breathing. With moderate hypothermia (32-28°C), mental function may begin to be impaired consisting of slurred speech, clumsy movements, and impaired thinking (including "paradoxical undressing"). As hypothermia progresses, shivering stops while heart rate, breathing, and blood pressure become variable and then depressed. With severe hypothermia (below 28°C), the child may become unconscious and unresponsive.

Still, a child need not be in subzero temperatures to risk hypothermia. All that is required is for the environmental temperature to be less than the actual body temperature, and the child will start to radiate his or her own heat to the surrounding environment. If the heat generated by the

 $^{\rm I}$ From the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Hypothermia-related deaths - Utah, 2000, and United States, 1979-1998 JAMA 2002; 287:981

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child's body is less than that lost to the environment, then core body temperature will begin to fall. As such, hypothermia can occur even in warm climates and especially when a child is exposed to wet, cool, or windy conditions.

Compared to adults, children are at greater risk for developing a cold-related injury. For example, due to their smaller ratio of body mass to surface area, children tend to lose heat more rapidly than adults. Additionally, young children have limited glycogen stores necessary to support increased heat production in response to cold. But even more importantly, children are less likely to recognize the dangers of cold exposure, and they are less likely to seek help for a cold-induced injury. This may be especially true for children with developmental delay, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) or oppositional defiant disorder (ODD) who may not be able to assess cold weather risk and thus show poor judgement regarding appropriate attire.

It is quite evident that children should be dressed properly for cold weather. Outer wear should be dry and intact. Missing buttons or a malfunctioning zipper can clearly reduce a coat's effectiveness to maintain insulation and thus should be addressed promptly. Parents should also encourage their children to dress in multiple layers. Specifically, children should try to wear at least one layer more than an adult would wear in any given weather condition. And lastly, parents must not neglect the importance of keeping children's heads covered as a child's relatively larger head size is a significant source for heat loss.

The impact of winter clothing donation programs, such as Coats 4 Children, to help needy families dress their children appropriately and safely cannot be overemphasized. Organizations such as these truly understand this fundamental need, and they provide help and support in a way that preserves pride in those that they help. The fact that Coats 4 Children only utilizes brand new coats shows how much value they put into every single child. Knowing that a child has a brand new coat and not necessarily a hand-me-down only encourages that child to wear his or her coat with pride, and this in turn promotes responsible dressing during our cold Ohio winters. We should all commend these organizations for what they do, and I encourage all of you to provide support for them in whichever way that you can.

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Children behind every door deserve warmth



Founder/Executive Beverly Robinson Coats 4 Children 11th Year Serving Ohio

