Holiday Cheer Program

Do you belong to a group that is looking for a holiday season project to help someone in need? Please consider supporting our Kids Path holiday cheer program.

Thank you for your interest in participating in this year’s holiday cheer program. In the past, we have had participation from families, churches, businesses, schools, scout troops and other community groups.

Kids Path is a distinctive program that offers supportive home health and hospice care for children facing the challenge of coping with a serious, progressive, health condition. It offers counseling services to children and their families, who have experienced grief and loss. Services are provided through individual or group support, in-school education and additional activities designed to help the grieving child.

Adult homecare patients are individuals with a life-limiting illness and a life expectancy of six months or less. Hospice and Palliative Care of Greensboro (HPCG) offers physical, emotional and spiritual care to enhance the quality of life for patients, families and those individuals who share their lives.

The holiday cheer program provides assistance to patients and families, who have limited financial resources and support. The recipients of this program are identified by HPCG’s social workers from the children and adult home health and hospice programs. Patients and families “adopted” by other community charities are not eligible for adoption by our project.
Donations should be specifically earmarked and noted for the **Holiday Cheer Program**. You can provide assistance by adopting a patient or family and providing:

- **Gift cards** (Walmart, Target, grocery stores or gas stations) for families to use at the holidays and throughout the year.
- **Supplies** (a list can be provided to you) for use at Kids Path.

Participating groups will receive a family wish list (reviewed by the social worker) no later than Thanksgiving. Please bring wrapped gifts to the Kids Path building during the second or third week of December. If you cannot wrap the gifts, our volunteers can wrap them for you.

Since many of the patients and families served have compromised immune systems, all donated items must be new. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept used toys, stuffed animals, etc.

Thank you for helping patients and families this holiday season by supporting the holiday cheer program. For more information or questions, please contact Cathy Lohr at 336.544.2274 or clohr@hospicegso.org.