



# Donations in Kind

We are always delighted to receive gifts for all our wards, but sometimes we can't accept what you send us due to concerns about infection, and restrictive storage space.

We also welcome raffle prizes from generous local companies, stores and shops for our events, balls and dances.

We are also working in our grounds with a team of volunteers to make our environment accessible and enjoyable for patients, staff and visitors. Please let us know if you would like to donate plant pots native trees and shrubs to plant in our native woodlands and round the hospital grounds.

**To help you, we've compiled a list of what we like to receive and what we can't use:**

<p><b>What our children like:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Games (for example Connect 4 and Frustration)</li> <li>• Computer games (for Playstation, Xbox and for PCs)</li> <li>• Arts and crafts (for example paints and Playdough)</li> <li>• Modelling kits</li> <li>• Jigsaws</li> <li>• Kits for girls (for example jewellery making kits and nail art)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Things we CAN'T use:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Over-sized soft toys</li> <li>• Videos'</li> <li>• Large mechanical or motorised toys</li> <li>• Used clothing</li> <li>• Second-hand books</li> <li>• Used magazines</li> <li>• Second hand Christmas decorations</li> </ul>
<p><b>What our babies like:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stimulating new toys including:</li> <li>• Mobiles and musical mobiles</li> <li>• Kaleidoscopes</li> <li>• Toys to stimulate the senses</li> <li>• Musical toys</li> <li>• Mirrors</li> </ul>	<p><b>Tips:</b></p> <p>Don't forget the age group you're donating to, our older people and teenagers are often forgotten.</p> <p>If you donate chocolate, make sure the ingredients are on the packet (we have to be careful with allergies).</p>