Sponsoring a teddy bear for \$100 is an expression of caring from our community



Show chíldren you care Established in 1905, the KGH Auxiliary supports patients and families every day through its services. Fundraising is a vital function of the Auxiliary, which donates almost half a million dollars to the hospital each year. All funds raised through the Teddy Bear Campaign support children and youth.

The KHSC Pediatric Program offers a wide range of services at both the KGH and HDH sites.

The KGH Pediatric Unit provides medical, surgical, oncology and intensive care services for infants, children and youth from across Southeastern Ontario as well as those from the James Bay district. KGH's Neonatal Intensive Care Unit is one of six provincial perinatal centres caring for premature to full-term babies with a variety of complications. The Children's Outpatient Centre at HDH provides a unique walk-in emergency clinic as well as specialized clinics for pediatric patients.

The Pediatric Program team includes nurses, physicians, patient care assistants, dietitians, speech language pathologists, respiratory therapists, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, pharmacists, Child Life specialists, social workers, spiritual care providers, volunteers and support staff.

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2019 KGH Auxiliary Teddy Bear Campaign

Show children you care



Kingston General Hospital Auxiliary





The KGH Auxiliary Teddy Bear Committee is pleased to present Show Children You Care, the 2019 Teddy Bear Campaign in support of the Pediatric Program at the Kingston General Hospital (KGH) and Hotel Dieu Hospital (HDH) sites of Kingston Health Sciences Centre (KHSC).

Proceeds from the sponsorship of these bears will support the purchase of highly specialized monitors for measuring carbon dioxide levels in a child's breath, which ensures the care team can more quickly detect breathing or ventilation problems and make rapid adjustments to improve respiration and gas exchange. This is especially critical in caring for children who may not be breathing adequately because they have been sedated or given pain medication.

Your support will make a difference in the lives of the many children treated at KGH and HDH, who face challenges we cannot imagine. Sponsoring a bear helps provide much needed patient care equipment and delivers a message of hope and comfort in the form of a teddy bear.

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All sponsored bears will be displayed in the Watkins Lobby at KGH wearing a tag acknowledging your kindness. At the end of the campaign, the teddy bears will be given to children in need of comfort during their hospital visit.

As a thank you for your generosity, upon request, you will receive a souvenir teddy bear.



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