INFO SHEET

Hatsgiving

HATS THAT HELP

Hatsgiving is a non-profit project that relies on donations and volunteers to continue growing and reaching pediatric cancer patients around the country.

How to help

Just bring a new winter hat, sizes newborn to adult (store-bought or handmade) to any *Hatsgiving* collection site. Visit our website or speak to your local *Hatsgiving* representative for details on location and dates.

Where the hats go

All of the hats collected will be distributed to cancer patients at regional pediatric cancer treatment centers. Since 2013, *Hatsgiving* has distributed 8,584 hats to 16 pediatric cancer treatment centers in 15 different states.

Distribution by State

Every 2 minutes a child is diagnosed with cancer.
That's 300,000 kids around the world every year.

Source: St. Baldrick's Foundation

Contact us info@hatsgiving.org

A project to collect **soft**, **Warm**, **winter hats** for pediatric cancer patients.

The Story of Hatsgiving

The concept for this project was developed in 2012 by Jeremy Wernick, who had just turned 8 years old. That was the second year he shaved his head to raise money and awareness for childhood cancer research. This got him thinking about kids who lose their hair during the colder months due to chemotherapy treatments, so he created Hatsgiving. The first official collection was held in 2013. Each year, Hatsgiving continues to grow thanks to all of the wonderful, warm hats that are so graciously donated.

Increase in childhood cancers since 1975.

Source: National Cancer Institute

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donation matters

Collection totals

Hats delivered	8,584
2017	2,813
2016	2,710
2015	1,563
2014	1,272
2013	226





