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Green Bay Doulas and House of Hope Green Bay to Host 5th Annual Diaper Drive

[GREEN BAY, WI] On July 16, Green Bay Doulas and House of Hope will host the 5th annual Diaper Green Bay diaper drive to benefit infants and families in our community experiencing homelessness and housing instability. The drive will raise diapers, wipes, funds, and awareness about family and childhood homelessness and the many families in need of clean, dry diapers throughout Green Bay. Businesses and organizations throughout the community will serve as diaper drop-off locations from June 20 to July 16, 2022.

One in three families in America struggles to provide their babies with clean diapers. Unfortunately, there are very few public resources to alleviate this problem. Food assistance programs do not cover diapers, most licensed daycare facilities require disposable diapers, and most laundromats do not allow the washing of cloth diapers due to sanitary concerns. This can lead to babies being kept in dirty diapers for extended periods of time, causing both physical and emotional suffering for so many little ones.

Green Bay Doulas and House of Hope have partnered to raise awareness for these babies and families. Since its inception in 2018, Diaper Green Bay has raised more than 180,000 diapers. The 2022 goal is to collect 50,000 diapers to help families in need in the Green Bay area. Please help by contributing diapers and wipes! Open or partial packages of diapers are acceptable. The most needed items are larger diapers (sizes 4-7) and potty-training pants (Pull-Ups) in all sizes. Donations benefit House of Hope and other local organizations.

The final collection event will be held at House of Hope on Saturday, July 16. The public is invited to stop by between 10 am and 2 pm to donate diapers and wipes. Food will be served, and tours of the shelter will be offered.

Please join us in making a difference for babies and their families right here in our community. More information about drop-off locations and sponsorship opportunities is available online at <https://www.houseofhopegb.org/diaper-green-bay> or <https://www.facebook.com/DiaperGreenBay/>.

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