

EMBRAVE

AGENCY TO END VIOLENCE

Holiday Giving 2024

Give the gift of hope and care this holiday season to survivors of gender-based violence and their children.





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Holiday Giving at Embrace



For many of us, the winter holidays are a very special time of time. It is a time of gathering with loved ones and reflecting on the successes, comforts and privileges we've shared over the last year.

However, for survivors of violence at Embrace: Agency to End Violence, the holidays can be very challenging. At Embrace we do our best to share holiday programming with our residents that inspires hope for a brighter future and shines a light on the possibilities that await them through their healing.

Our goal is to encourage and reignite hope in survivors that allows them to believe in the promise of a brighter future. It is these glimmers of hope that provide the strength and stability to get through difficult times.



We need your help to reach this goal! Due to increasing funding constraints and the rising cost of living, your support is needed now more than ever.

This holiday giving guide will outline the options available in supporting the work of Embrace and survivors of gender-based violence this holiday season!



Together we will bring hope to survivors!



Support-A-Family

at Embrace this holiday season!

This holiday season you can warm the hearts of survivors of gender-based and their children by supporting a family at Embrace!

How does it work?

Email our Events & Operations Manager Sylvia (sylvia@embrace.ca) to indicate your interest in supporting a family!

We'll send you an email with all the details you need! Including a wishlist from one of our clients and their children.

Time to shop!

Drop off the items at Embrace on December 13th or 14th and know that you've made a difference in the life of a survivor and their family.

Questions? Email Sylvia at sylvia@embrace.ca



Circle Of Care

**Give the gift of hope and care
this holiday season!**

Two Ways to Support!

In-Kind Donation

You can warm the hearts of survivors of gender-based violence and their children this year by making an in-kind donation of some of our most needed items

Check out page 7 for a full resident wish list of our most needed items.

Donations are encouraged
between
November 11 - December 13.

Email Sylvia at
Sylvia@embrace.ca to
schedule a drop off.

Monetary Donation

Your monetary donation will fund one of our Circle of Care Packages for the residents and their children at our shelters.

Check out the care packaged on page for more details!

You can make a donation on our website or by contacting Sylvia at sylvia@embrace.ca (You will receive a tax receipt)



Circle Of Care Packages

Pamper Package



\$50

Help keep hope alive for a survivor at Embrace by providing a care package stuffed with indulgent self-care products.

Holiday Wishes Package



\$75

Help keep hope alive for a survivor at Embrace by providing a care package stuffed with indulgent self-care products.

Bundled-Up Package



\$150

Provide warm outdoor clothing for two siblings staying at Embrace.

Holiday Party Package



\$750

Help Embrace residents feel the warmth and magic of the season with a festive celebration at one of our shelters.

RESIDENT *Wish* LIST

NON-PERISHABLE & FROZEN FOOD ITEMS

Pasta - Pasta Sauce - Cereal - Rice - Granola Bars - Spices - Juice -
Soup - Condiments

Frozen Items: Vegetables - Fruit - Large Prepared Meals - Juice Mixes -
Meat Products (Halal & No Pork)

PERSONAL CARE



HYGIENE

- Haircare Products (culturally specific)
- Body and Face Lotion
- Body and Face Wash
- Prenatal Vitamins
- Menstrual Products



BABY CARE ITEMS

- Baby Food Pouches
- Baby Snacks (eg. Puffs and Mum Mums)
- New Baby Clothes (size 6-12-18-
24M/2T/3T)
- New Baby Bottles
- Pacifiers
- Diapers
- Baby Wash and Shampoo
- Baby Lotion and Oil
- Children's Water Bottles



NEW CLOTHING

ADULT (ALL SIZES)



- New Undergarments
- Winter Boots

CHILDREN (ALL SIZES)

- All Seasonally - Appropriate
Styles
- Winter Boots

NEW TOYS FOR CHILDREN



- Toys for babies & infants

GIFT CARDS FOR RESIDENTS

- Major Drugstores
- Gas Vouchers
- Supermarkets
- Major Shopping Malls



Together We Can End Gender-Based Violence.

How You Can Help

Your gift will provide vital supports that will transform the lives of survivors today through rehabilitation, reintegration and having a brighter future that is violence free.

If you have any questions regarding Ways to Give, please contact:

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For more information about Ways to Give, visit

<https://embrave.ca/support/>



Ways to Give

Here are just a few ways you can support Embrave: Agency to End Violence:

- ✓ **Join the Adopt-A-Room Program**
- ✓ **Join the Legacy League**
- ✓ **Host an Online Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser**
- ✓ **Host a Third Party Event**
- ✓ **Become a Corporate Sponsor**



“I am really thankful for the shelter support. Embrave was there for me and my family when I needed it the most! I was able to get on my feet and find a house to live in with my children.”

- Former Embrave Resident



**Embrace Brave.
Inspire Bravery.**



Embrace: Agency to End Violence is a non-profit organization that provides shelter, counselling, and advocacy supports for women, Two-Spirit, gender-queer, trans and non-binary folks and their children impacted by gender-based violence. We amplify the voices of survivors, educate the community, and inspire systemic change to create a society free of violence.

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