

## PYJAMA DONATIONS

**CHARITY NUMBER: 1185739** 

## **WHO ARE WE?**



Children's Hospital Pyjamas are a UK based charity that collects donations of brand new pyjamas for children aged from newborn to eighteen.

The charity has been operating since 2009 when the founder's young child was diagnosed with cancer. Having to spend long periods of time in hospital she realised that it added to her child's distress having to wear a hospital gown. No child wants to be in hospital but if they have to be they want to be as comfortable as possible.

Over time, our pyjamas were requested from other establishments so the charity decided to make donations to other places that had poorly or underprivileged children.

To support children when visiting restrictions were put in place in hospitals, Children's Hospital Pyjamas put together a team of volunteers to sew handmade hearts. These are now included in every pair of pyjamas that we donate. A heart for the child and another for anyone they choose to share it with. A way of staying together even when apart.

Children's Hospital Pyjamas are not government funded and rely solely on donations made to us.

To date we have donated in excess of 80,000 pairs of pyjamas.



## HOW CAN YOU HELP?

There are many ways you could help us to put a smile on a child's face.

By donating a pair of pyjamas

Making a financial donation

Organising an official event to raise money for us

Hold a pyjama day

Sponsor a Hospital with a full pyjama collection

By becoming a local coordinator in your area.





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You could not begin to imagine how such a small gesture like this feels to someone stuck in hospital. My son's pyjamas brought a smile to both our faces after 3 weeks as inpatients. Thank you for all you do!

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Katie Brent

Please follow us on our social media and check the website for details on where to make donations and to see us delivering your pyjamas

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