

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



Show children 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.

Many thanks to Royal Canadian Legion Branch 560 with their Ladies Auxiliary who continue as generous sponsors in our annual campaign.



2025 KGH Auxiliary Teddy Bear Campaign

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Kingston General Hospital Auxiliary





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The KGH Auxiliary Teddy Bear Committee is pleased to present the 22nd year for our Show Children You Care, the 2025 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 equipment for the Pediatric areas at KGH.

In 2024 we embarked on a multi-year commitment to purchase an ultrasound machine for point of care at a cost of \$55,000, and raised \$28,000. This year, we hope to raise the remaining balance.

Your support will make a difference in the lives of the many children 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. Sponsoring a teddy bear is an expression of caring from people in our community. Caring creates a work of heart!

At the end of the campaign, the teddy bears will be given to children in need of comfort during their hospital visit.

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The teddy bears will be given to children in need of comfort during their hospital stay.

How to order your bear:

You have three options to order this year:

- 1. BY MAIL:** Complete and mail in the order form here with your cheque or credit card details.
- 2. BY PHONE:** Please leave a message at 613-549-6666 extension 66352. Someone will be in touch with you to process your order. A charitable receipt is available, upon request, for the full amount of your donation.
- 3. ONLINE:** You can order a bear by donating online through CanadaHelps. Visit <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/t/51858>. Be sure to select "Campaign Teddy Bear 2025" in the Donation Details section. A tax receipt will be sent to you by Canada Helps by email.

Yes! I would like to support patient-care needs and bring comfort to a young patient by sponsoring _____ teddy bear(s) at \$100 each.

Payment by cheque or credit card:

Cheque enclosed	☐	
Mastercard*	☐	Visa ☐ Amex ☐
Card #		
Expiry date:		
Name on card:		
*Security #		
Signature:		

I wish to receive a charitable receipt.

Yes ☐
 No ☐

By mail ☐
 By email ☐

Name:	
Address:	
City:	
Postal Code:	
Email:	
Phone:	

Please complete and return to: TEDDY BEAR CAMPAIGN

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