**Purpose:**

At CHLA, we are deeply committed to providing our patients with the safest and highest quality of care. In order to ensure that our patients and their siblings have access to clean and safe play equipment, toys, and other supplies, we request that donated items meet specific sanitization criteria.

**Procedures:**

1. **Toy Material Requirements:**
   * Toys provided for distribution to patients should be made of materials that can be easily sanitized or wiped down with a disinfectant. Acceptable materials include plastic, rubber, vinyl, treated woods, and metals.
2. **Avoiding Porous Toys:**
   * Please avoid donating toys with porous surfaces, such as stuffed animals, which cannot be effectively sanitized or wiped down. These toys can become contaminated with dangerous bacteria and viruses that cannot be cleaned, thereby putting our patients at risk.