

A gift from one local family to another

The Baby Bank provides essential items including nappies, wipes, clothing, pushchairs and nursery items to families in need in Waltham Forest and beyond.

Working like a food bank, we collect and provide new and pre-loved items for newborns to five years olds. The families that we support come to us through referrals from social care, health professionals and other support agencies.

Last year, Baby Bank helped 250 families

Baby Bank is run by The Lloyd Park Children's Charity. Baby Bank has helped hundreds of families in Waltham Forest and beyond. As the cost of raising children rises each year, we want to give every child the best possible start in life.

"Our Baby Bank has the potential to prevent poverty and stress in what should be the most joyful time with a new baby."

Pauline Thomas MBE, Chief Executive Officer,

The Lloyd Park Children's Charity

Helping local families in need

The Borough of Waltham Forest is ranked in the poorest 10% boroughs nationally and is the 7th most deprived out of London's 33 boroughs. We know that children living in poverty will struggle to reach their full potential. We need your support to help every baby in this borough thrive.

The Baby Bank was set up in 2013 by local parent Paula Vacarey.

"People were, and still are, struggling to cope financially. I thought pre-loved baby items could really help families in need."

How you can help



Donate money

We rely solely on donations from the local community to support our work. We are always in need of money to buy new items.

- £5 could buy 44 nappies for a newborn baby
- £10 could buy a mattress for a cot
- £25 could buy a Moses basket helping a baby sleep safely at night

www.tlpcc.org.uk/donate



Volunteer

Join our friendly team and make a real difference. Help us sort donations and bundle parcels for families, get in touch.

babybank@tlpcc.org.uk



Donate baby items

Items we always need:

- Nappies Baby wipes
- Single and double pushchairs Toys

www.tlpcc.org.uk/baby-bank

Other items we can accept

If you have clothes or other items for babies and children under five years that you no longer need, we can pass them on to a local family who really needs them. Please look at our current wish list of items **www.tlpcc.org.uk/baby-bank** all items must be clean, unstained and in good condition.



Make a referral

Are you a professional who supports local families? Or if you need support yourself, get in touch.

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