

Thank you for helping provide for the practical needs of the children in America World's transition homes and local orphanages. As the items below are difficult to purchase in or ship to Ethiopia we are thankful for the many traveling families who bring donation items. Please contact an AWAA family coordinator if you have any questions about the items below.

## **Current Priority Transition Home Needs**

- o Antibacterial hand gel (40oz containers available at Wal-Mart for \$5)
- o Small sized diapers
- Baby bottles and nipples
- Vitamin D drops
- Unscented baby wipes \*\*\*please note, unscented/sensitive skin wipes are the only type used\*\*\*
- o Clothes for older kids-age 11-14 years
- o Crocks and shoes for older kids-age 11-14 years
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- o Towels
- Scrubs for nurses and nannies
- Crocks for nurses and nannies
- General first aid items

## Orphanage and Transitional Home General Donation Needs

- o Powder-free gloves for nannies and TH doctor
- DVD and VHS children's videos-especially Christian videos and/or ones with singing/dancing
- Crocs for nannies
- Toiletry bags (small) for children's personal hygiene items (one per child needed)
- o Puzzles for young children
- o Toy cars and trucks appropriate for toddler aged children
- o Iron drops
- Diaper rash ointment (A+D preferred)
- Paper towels
- Children's clothing (new or slightly used); Boys and Girls; sizes 0-8 years. Clothing needs include day clothes (especially pants), pajamas, underwear, and shoes.
- o Diapers for up to 30 pounds
- Toys to stimulate babies such as colorful objects, rattles, etc. that are appropriate for babies up to 2 years
- Unscented baby wipes \*\*\*please note, unscented/sensitive skin wipes are the only type used\*\*\*
- Powder formula with DHA/RHA
- o A + D Original Ointment, Diaper Rash and All-Purpose Skincare Formula
- Hand Sanitizer
- Candles
- o Children's Notebooks
- Enfamil or Similar Lactose free formula\*

\*the following Generic Brands with identical nutritional value to Enfamil & Similac are also acceptable:

1. Parents Choice formula from Wal-Mart



- 2. Target's generic Formula
- 3. Kirkland formula from Costco

Soy based or other special formulas are also acceptable as long as they are one of the brands listed above.

## Medications/Medical Donation Needs\*\*

- Multivitamins
  - o Tri-vi-sol (o to 6 months)
  - o Poly-vi-sol (6 months to 2 years)
  - o Chewable multi-vitamin (2 years to 9 years)
  - o Adult multivitamin (9 years plus)
- Tylenol (acetaminophen)
  - o Infants
  - o Children's
  - Suppository
- Syringes for giving medicines (5mL)
- o Plastic and Latex disposable gloves
- o Baby nose saline spray
- Neosporin
- Mouth and nose masks
- Benadryl liquid/elixir
- o Permetherin for scabies
- o Lice kits
- o Toothbrushes, toothpaste and dental floss

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please check the expiration date on all donation items as expired items will be discarded upon receipt and cannot be used.