



Texas Diaper Bank

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Diapers Help Ease Suffering in Flood

Houston flood victims to receive relief from San Antonio based Texas Diaper Bank.

San Antonio, TEXAS – In the midst of crisis, hope is on the way for flood victims with children in Houston, via the form of diapers. Mobilizing from San Antonio, the Texas Diaper Bank is providing disaster aid to families with children by providing 20,000 diapers to the Houston Area Catholic Charities and the National Association of Christian Churches' Disaster Relief Team. The Texas Diaper Bank is able to provide these essential health items thanks to donations made from Zachry Group and its Houston area employees.

After record-breaking floods crippled the region in April, leaving 12 to 18 inches of water behind and displacing more than 1,300 individuals, the Texas Diaper Bank sought out resources to support the victims of the flooding. Zachry Group, stepped up to help fill in the diaper gap.

“We were inundated with calls from families and agencies in the Houston area requesting assistance. Thanks to Zachry Group we’re able to provide these items to families to give them one less item to worry about, but more importantly, keep their children healthy.” Jorge Medina, Executive Director, Texas Diaper Bank

Diapers are often an afterthought when it comes to emergency relief, but they are one of the most important products when it comes to keeping young children and their families healthy in times of crisis. When a child does not have clean diapers, they are at an increased threat for diaper rash, health risks, and child abuse. Currently, there are no federal assistance programs to help with diaper disparity.

The Texas Diaper Bank is one of the largest diaper banks in the nation and is the first and largest diaper bank in the state of Texas. As one of the fastest growing nonprofits in Texas, the Texas Diaper Bank's mission is to provide services and resources to those families in crisis, currently serving 12,000 people in Bexar County and eight surrounding counties.

If businesses or organizations are interested in getting involved, please contact the Texas Diaper Bank at 210-731-8118. To make a donation to the Texas Diaper Bank, please visit their office location at 5415 Bandera Rd. #504 San Antonio, TX. 78238 or visit their website at <http://texasdiaperbank.org/>.

About Texas Diaper Bank

The Texas Diaper Bank collects, stores and distributes diapers and other health supplies to 9,100 babies each year. In 2015, over 1 million diapers, incontinence items and other health supplies were distributed to families in Bexar County. This year, the organization will distribute 1.25 million diapers and other health supplies to 12,000 babies. If your business or organization is interested in becoming involved with the Texas Diaper Bank, please contact us at 210-731-8118 ext. 302 or earriola@texasdiaperbank.org

Texas Diaper Bank is the first diaper bank in the state of Texas and the only diaper bank in Bexar County



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