

We're Making a List and Checking It Twice: Open Door Accepting Donations for Its Annual Holiday Toy Drive

Santa Claus is coming to town and Open Door Family Medical Centers is at the top of his list – with the help of local businesses, schools and individuals the federally-qualified community health center hopes to collect 3,000 gifts, ensuring its young patients receive a brand new wrapped gift this December when Santa and his elves stop by Open Door's four offices with his sack in tow.

Open Door accepts new, unwrapped toys with a maximum value of \$20 for patients aged infant through 14 years. Gift certificates and monetary donations are also accepted. All donations made online via [Amazon](#) and [Toys R Us](#) Wish Lists will be delivered to Open Door. Businesses, schools, organizations and individuals interested in hosting a toy drive or gift wrapping event as well as those needing pick up for large donations should contact Alicia Ward at (914) 502-1468 or award@ood.org.

Donations are accepted at Open Door's four locations now through December 8:

- 165 Main Street, Ossining
- 5 Grace Church Street, Port Chester
- 80 Beekman Avenue, Sleepy Hollow
- 30 West Main Street, Mount Kisco

About Open Door Family Medical Centers

Open Door has received the highest Recognition as a Patient-Centered Medical Home™ (PPC-PCMHTM) from the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA). This ranking distinguishes them from medical practices across the nation as less than 12% are presently eligible to achieve this advanced standing. For 38 years, the federally qualified community health center serves a multi-cultural community and has provided top quality medical, dental care and social services to the Westchester community, particularly the economically disadvantaged. Open Door has four centers in Westchester located in Ossining, Port Chester, Mt. Kisco and Sleepy Hollow. In addition, Open Door operates five school-based health centers in Port Chester at The Edison Elementary School, Park Avenue School, Kennedy Magnet School, Port Chester Middle School and Port Chester High School. In 2009, approximately 40,000 patients were treated at Open Door, making nearly 170,000 patient visits. Over 13,483 children were treated during that same year. Funding for Open Door Family Medical Centers comes from local, state and federal grants as well as private foundations and individuals.



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