

Help us host  
**100 baby showers**  
in celebration of  
**100 Years!**



## How to Host a United Way Community Baby Shower!

We are always happy to  
help! Call or email Suzette  
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### Collect baby items in your workplace!

- ♥ Hang the flyers around your office (United Way will provide them for you.)
- ♥ Place totes in designated areas for the items collection – it's always fun to wrap them in Baby Shower wrapping paper!
- ♥ Send an all-staff email with, letting your co-workers know you're doing a collection of brand new baby items to benefit the United Way's Community Baby Shower!
- ♥ Call United Way when your collection is concluded and we will come and pick everything up!

### Host a baby shower in your workplace!

- ♥ Choose a date, time, and a location within your office (Most companies do this in their boardroom or a large meeting room)
- ♥ Choose what you want to do for the food - some companies order lunch in and some have a "potluck" style lunch, where everyone who attends brings something to share.
- ♥ Decide if you want to have games and prizes; a 50/50 split drawing; and/or door prizes!
- ♥ You can decorate the room with Baby Shower decorations!
- ♥ Send out the invitation to your staff and let them know the "price of admission" is to bring a brand new, unwrapped gift for the United Way Community Baby Shower!
- ♥ If you would like to bring a speaker in from United Way or one of our partnering agencies to talk about the Baby Shower and the families and babies this benefits – and why we do it – we are more than happy to have someone come out!
- ♥ Take pictures for your Facebook and Twitter! Share the fun!
- ♥ Call United Way and we'll come pick everything up!

### Non-workplace showers- great fun for all types of groups!

- ♥ We have elementary, middle, and high schools that do collections with their students, faculty, and families!
- ♥ College Campuses host collections for us.
- ♥ Churches hold showers and tea parties for the Community Baby Shower!
- ♥ Local groups and organizations host showers for their memberships, as a way to network, have fun, and give back to the community all at the same time! We have knitting groups, book clubs, and "wine groups" who get together to add a United Way Community Baby Shower to their calendar!