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Introducing the Buddy Bag Foundation

48,000 children require emergency accommodation in the UK every year.



Children are often fleeing a violent situation, and have to leave home quickly, without chance to collect basic items. These children arrive in emergency accommodation with just the clothes they're wearing.

Our mission is to make a difference to the children who have to live through this traumatic experience.

We provide each child with a Buddy Bag we can help to restore a sense of safety and security.

What makes the BBF unique?

We work with local communities all over the UK - we operate nationwide, but all monies that is fundraised and donated will result in bags being donated to children in a local refuge centre.

100% of donations go to the cause - from paperclips to websites, we don't use any fundraised money to pay for the running costs of the foundation

We provide tangible impact - one bag costs £25. So, for every £25 that you donate, you change the life of (at least) one child. It's as simple as that.

Getting involved with the BBF

The most popular way to get involved is by hosting a Buddy Bag Brigade, which is a half-day team building event, where we pack around 180 Buddy Bags.

It's an opportunity for 20 - 360 people to directly contribute to the packaging of Buddy Bags and often deliver them to the women's refuge centres in your community. Attendees have the responsibility to decide on the most efficient way to manage the team, organise the items, and pack the bags.

It makes for a fun and rewarding event.

To find out more information, email us at: hello@buddybagfoundation.co.uk.

Benefits of working with the BBF

Community Social Responsibility - with 100% of all monies raised going back into local communities, your efforts will result in a direct impact within your local community.

Strengthen your brand image amongst customers, employees, and clients - by associating your brand with the work we do at the foundation, stakeholders will recognise the positive impact you're having beyond your core business focus.

An opportunity for personal and professional development - through our bag packing events, employees have the opportunity to develop communication skills, build relationships with fellow colleagues, and build morale through working together towards a shared cause.