



# CHILDREN'S HEART SURGERY FUND

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## Textile Recycling Bin Request

Hello, I am Lauren the Community Fundraiser at the charity, Children's Heart Surgery Fund (CHSF).

I am contacting you to see if you would consider placing one of our textile recycling bins within your car park/existing recycling area/within your grounds? It is completely FREE, with no costs incurred by yourselves or our charity. All you need to do is agree to have the bin on your land.

We are partnered with the company, Textile Recycling International. They will deliver one of our CHSF-branded bins and empty it regularly. Every time it is emptied, the textiles are weighed-in, and our charity receive a monetary donation. It is such an effortless way to support us!

CHSF support children and adults born with congenital heart disease (CHD), who are cared for at the Leeds Congenital Heart Unit. The unit is a world-class centre of excellence for over 17,000 CHD patients across Yorkshire, The Humber, N.E. Lincolnshire and N. Derbyshire. We fund life-saving and life-changing equipment, resources and research, as well as providing invaluable support services for both the children and their families.

### Here are some examples of how CHSF support patients and families in our region:

- We fund vital, life-saving medical equipment for the operating theatres and wards
- Provide Katie Bear teddies, medals and certificates for each patient after heart surgery
- Have accommodation within the hospital for parents to stay close by
- Three dedicated Family Support workers
- Support research projects to enhance expertise in the field

We hope you will consider supporting our charity. I look forward to hearing from you and please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any more information.

Yours sincerely,

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