



Community Service Committee

Purpose: Provide an outlet for Guild Members to share their creativity, time, materials, talent, and commitment in support of community organizations and agencies that serve those in need.

Organization/ Agency	Population Served	Web site	Guild Participation
Early Head Start/ Head Start - Lee County Schools	Programs provide comprehensive, developmental services for low-income children ages birth to three, pre-schoolers from three to five, and social services for their families	http://earlychildhood.leeschools.net/Head_start2.htm	Quilts: toddler
Hope HealthCare Services	Youth and adult patients use quilts for warmth and comfort. Programs include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kids Care • Pediatric Hospice Care • Hope Hospice • Valor Honors Program for veterans. 	http://www.hopehcs.org	Quilts: toddler, lap/wheelchair, patriotic fabric for veterans.
Harry Chapin Food Bank	Mission is to overcome hunger in Charlotte, Collier, Glades, Hendry and Lee counties.	http://www.harrychapinfoodbank.org/	Canned goods; member cash donations July, Dec
Lee Health System	HealthPark Medical Center Golisano Children's Hospital	http://www.leehealth.org	Quilts: baby, toddler, lap/wheelchair
Ronald McDonald House® of Southwest Florida	This is a "home-away-from-home" for families of seriously ill or injured children, receiving medical treatment at Golisano Children's Hospital or other local medical facilities.	https://rmhcsfwl.org/	Quilts: baby, toddler
Quilts of Valor Foundation - Stars and Stripes, FL # 75703	Our goal is to cover Service Members and Veterans touched by war with comforting and healing Quilts of Valor in local counties.	QOVF.ORG	Blocks, Quilts, patriotic fabric for Veterans

Suggested quilt sizes (approximately)

Baby: 36" x 42"

Lap/wheelchair: 36" x 52" or 45" x 48"

NICU: 25"x25" up to 30"x35" (2 layers flannel, no batting in middle)

Toddler: 42" x 42" up to 45" x 55"

Quilts of Valor: 55" x 65" to 72" x 90"

Please NO large size quilts (king, queen, double, twin)

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