

Baby Carrier Organizations that Donate



BABYWEARING TO THRIVE

Lift Me Up is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing ergonomic babywearing carriers to families who have children with special needs. It was founded in 2014 by three mamas. Lift Me Up is entirely volunteer-driven and made possible by donations from the community and babywearing businesses. *501c3* <http://www.babywearingtothrive.org/>



For generations, the practice of babywearing has made caring for children easier while helping them develop or maintain life-long bonds with caregivers. The goal of the Carrying On Project is to help get carriers to the families of our military so that they may better obtain secure attachments with their children, something that deployment and injuries will often interrupt. We seek to assist both the service members and the families left behind in "Carrying On" while both home and away, to make something that is difficult for the whole family a little bit easier.

<http://www.carryingonproject.org/>



Ruckabye Baby is a donation-based, 100% volunteer organization devoted to providing wounded warriors with baby carriers to enable them to safely and comfortably hold their children after sustaining debilitating injuries.

<http://ruckabyebaby.org/>

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Our purpose is to help parents and caregivers of children with special needs. We will help identify the right carrier to meet a family circumstances - whether that means finding a custom carrier to wear a 6 year old with mobility delays or finding a way to help a caregiver wear their typical newborn so they have hands free to care for an older child with special needs; and we will find a way to get those carriers into the hands of parents and caregivers at no cost to them. We raise money to buy carriers for families and caregivers of children with special needs. We accept monetary donations as well as carrier donations.

<http://321carry.com/>

For Bloomington, Indiana residents:

The Babywearing Project

Our mission is to provide education about babywearing, and to nurture baby/parent bonding by ensuring that quality carriers are available to all Bloomington-area families, regardless of income.

<http://www.thebabywearingproject.org/>

For Southeastern Pennsylvania residents:



An outreach fundraiser project through Babywearing International of Southeastern Pennsylvania. Proceeds will be used to obtain a variety of inexpensive but ergonomic carriers (stretchy wraps, ring slings, budget mei tais and SSCs) for low income families in southeastern Pennsylvania.

https://www.facebook.com/bwisepasharethewear/info?ref=page_internal

For Kansas City area residents:



Mission: *To increase maternal and infant health equities in the urban core*

Vision: *For every mother, a healthy baby; For every baby, a healthy village*

What we are about: **Uzazi Village has been established to decrease the maternal and infant health disparities found in the urban core, particularly among African-American women, but also other at-risk populations residing there.**

We accept funds and in-kind donations for slings, wraps, and carriers.

We hold Babywearing Fashion Shows quarterly that are free and open to the public. Attendees will be shown an assortment of carriers, can try them on, and all attendees who would like a carrier will leave with a *free* carrier.

With a referral from a social service agency or safety net clinic a free carrier will be provided with education on how to use it.

If a carrier is not working out for the wearer or child, or the child has outgrown it, it may be exchanged for a different/larger carrier as long as the original is in good working order and is not damaged or stained.

501c3 <http://www.uzazivillage.com/home>