

Save the Children “Hello ! Baby Box” ~Offers you newborn baby items~

Save the Children, an international NGO dedicated to supporting children, is pleased to announce our offering to provide mothers with baby items to help them prepare for the arrival of their babies. We look forward to receiving your application for the “Hello! Baby Box.”

【Contact Information】

Save the Children Japan

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Inquiry Form: <https://bit.ly/3TT3ruF> Email: japan.hello-baby@savechildren.or.jp

*Please contact us via Inquiry Form or e-mail. Inquiries in languages other than Japanese or English may take longer.

【What is Hello! Baby Box?】

we will donate the following childcare items needed for newborns.

(Shipping is scheduled for mid-June.)

* If the number of applicants exceeds the maximum number, the selection will be made internally. Even if the number of applicants does not reach the maximum number, those who do not meet the eligibility requirements will not be selected. Please note that we will not be able to provide details of the selection process.

newborn size or S size diapers* / additive-free detergent / baby soap / wipes / underwear set for newborns / towels/thermometer / toys / relaxation goods for mothers etc.

** Please note that applicants will not be able to choose the diaper size. *Image is for illustration purposes only.



【Application Requirements】

To apply for receiving the Hello! Baby Box, you must meet all the requirements 1-3 below.

*Foreign nationals, or those who are on provisional release, or have no nationality are also eligible to apply.

1. On May 30th 2024, you will be 22 weeks pregnant* (stable period) to about 1 month postpartum. *On April 17th 2024, you are 16 weeks pregnant.
2. You are in either of the following situations.

*Those to whom only F applies may not be eligible depending on the reason.

- A. Pregnancy in adolescence (under 20 years old) or students (including over 20 years old or Those who withdrew or dropped out of school after pregnancy).
- B. A house hold with multiple children (3 or more children under 18 years old, including the child whom the person is currently pregnant with) * if you have unborn twins, you can count them as 2 children.
- C. Unmarried or single parent
- D. Pregnancy with intellectual disability, mental illness, or mental instability (No disability certificate is required.)
- E. The status of residence for his/her parents/guardians is unstable (on provisional release or have no nationality, etc.), and they are unable to receive public supports.
- F. Others not listed above who have difficulty preparing newborn supplies and need

3. Income requirements

Tax-exempt household income plus about 200,000 yen

(Households receiving public assistance may apply at the discretion of the local government.)

For details, please contact us through here : <https://bit.ly/3TT3ruF>

【Application Period】

April 17, 2024 (Wed)12:00(noon)~May 30, 2024(Thu)12:00(noon)

*Applications will not be accepted after the deadline for any reason.

【How to apply】

Please access the application form from the link or QR below, fill out the form, attach images of your documents(Mother-Child handbook must be submitted by all applicants.), then submit it.

【Application Form】

<https://bit.ly/4a8tVOw>



[Documents to be submitted for application]

◆ Pregnancy in adolescence (under 20 years old) or Students over 20 years old

- 1. The cover page of your Mother-Child Handbook** (Please make sure that the name of the municipality, the date of issuance, and your name are shown on the page.)
- 2. If you have a spouse, partner, or other person with whom you share the same livelihood, please submit documents.** (See "2. Documents proving income of the expectant mother herself" below. Unmarried or single parents do not need to **provide proof of income of their partner**)
- 3. If you are pregnancy in adolescence, please submit official document that shows your age** such as driver's license, insurance card, mother-child handbook with the date of birth column page, resident certificate.
- 4. If you are student over 20 years old, please submit an image of their student ID cards.** (You may cross out the name of your school.)

◆ Other than "pregnancy in adolescence or students." (For those who meet application conditions B to F)

- 1. The cover page of your Mother-Child Handbook**(If you fall under "B. Multiple-children households," you must indicate on the cover sheet how many children you have.)
- 2. Documents proving your income such as** Withholding Tax Certificate for FY2023, (Non-)taxable in FY2023 Certificate, certificate of child support allowance, copy of tax return for 2023, certificate of welfare recipient. If none of the above are available, the most recent pay stub, online bank account or passbook page showing payroll transfers)
- 3. If you have a spouse, partner, or other person with whom you share the same livelihood, please submit documents.** (Unmarried or single parents do not need to **provide proof of income of their partner**)

*If you are unemployed at the time of application, please submit any of the above documents from the time when you were working. If you are unemployed for more than one year, please submit a tax exemption certificate, resident tax decision notice, childcare fee notice, etc.

*If you are receiving child support allowance, please submit a child support allowance certificate. those who receive partial payment are required to submit the above-mentioned documents proving income.

*E.You are in the process of applying for refugee status or on provisional release; Please submit a copy of the application for refugee status or provisional release etc.