

# Important Diaper



# Need Facts

**1 in 2 Families**  
struggle to afford  
diapers for their children

**No Social Safety Net**  
Government programs such as  
SNAP, WIC (Nutritional  
Program) and Medicaid do  
not cover diapers

**Diapers Cost \$70-\$100 per month**  
Parents experiencing diaper need  
have missed an average of 5 days  
a month which is a \$612 loss of  
income in Connecticut.

**Diaper Need Intersects with  
Food Insecurity**  
28% skipped meals  
35% cut back on food  
and groceries

## Impact



## 2023

### Celebrating Our Grantors, Businesses, and Private Donors

Generous grant support was received from the  
Community Foundation of Middlesex County  
(Sari A Rosenbaum Fund for Women and Girls),  
Westbrook Foundation, Olga Sipolin Children's Fund,  
Guilford Foundation, American Savings Foundation  
and Madison Foundation.

We have also received generous support from  
Essex Savings Bank, Guilford Savings Bank,  
numerous local businesses as well as many  
private donors.

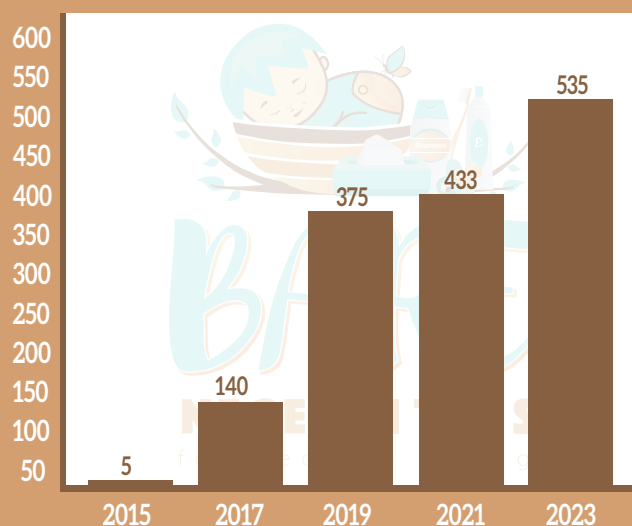
### Thank You To Our Generous Community

Our 6th Annual Bare Necessities Law  
Enforcement Diaper Drive was a big success!

We were back in the community for our 8th Annual  
**Ducky Dip** event which continues to grow and sell out

To celebrate Diaper Awareness Week, we were  
joined by Read to Grow (providing each child  
with a free book of their choice) and Dignity  
Grows (providing each family with toiletries)

## Babies Helped



**In 2023 we supplied  
324,618 diapers  
and 379,202 wipes  
to 535 babies.**

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