

You can make a difference by collecting aluminum pop tabs! Pop tabs may be small but they add up and make a big difference for the families who call RMHC "home" while their child receives medical care.

If you are interested in collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House, here are a few things to keep in mind:



GETTING STARTED

Once you've decided you want to collect pop tabs, spread the word! Tell family, friends, co-workers, and everyone else that you are collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. Maybe they'll join in!



STORING YOUR COLLECTION

Now the fun begins! As you collect pop tabs, find a fun way to store them! You can collect (and turn-in) pop tabs in zip-lock bags, cardboard boxes, coffee cans or plastic trash bags.



I'M READY TO DROP OFF MY POP TABS! NOW WHAT?

Swing by Ronald McDonald House Charities West Michigan with your pop tabs and we will gladly take them! **Our address is 1323 Cedar St. NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503.** Pop tabs can go in our drop-off bin by the front door, or a staff member can help you, Monday through Friday, 8am to 9pm.

If you have any questions about pop tab donations, please contact Kortney at khapner@rmhcwm.org.





Frequently Asked Questions

Why does Ronald McDonald House Charities collect pop tabs? The money earned from recyclable aluminum tabs allows us to keep families close to their children being treated in our local medical and mental health hospitals.

How much do you get for each pound of pop tabs? The House gets the going rate for pop tabs which varies based on the demand for aluminum. We work closely with Padnos Recycling to get the best rate for each pound of pop tabs.

Why do you only collect the tabs from cans? Although the entire aluminum can is valuable, the tab itself is much cleaner and easier to collect in large quantities. The tab of a standard soda can is made of high quality, high grade aluminum. By itself, it doesn't mean much, but when we pull together, pop tabs add up and become a valuable donation to the Ronald McDonald House.

Who can participate in the pop tab program? Anyone is welcome and encouraged to participate! A pop tab collection is a terrific program for schools and other youth groups to get involved and make a contribution in their community. Offices, church groups, hospitals, grocery stores, and other clubs also find this program to be ideal and easy to organize.



FUN FACT: Since 2018, over 12 million pop tabs have been donated to Ronald McDonald House. Charities West Michigan. We invite you to join us and be part of our Pop Tab Collection Program!



