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# Pop Tab Partner Program

## What do you do with the pull tabs?

Metalico Annaco of Akron comes and picks them up from us and recycles them for cash! The money we collect goes towards the purchase of things that directly benefit our families during their stay. Items we purchase include, but are not limited to, coat hangers, electric tea kettles, silverware, serving utensils, and other household items to make our families' stays more comfortable.

## Why not the can also?

Cans are messy and take up much more space. Pull tabs are clean, compact and easy to collect. In addition, the aluminum in the tab is higher-grade and has a higher recycling value.

## Do I need a special container?

No! Any clean container will work. A large Ziploc bag, plastic snack or milk container or 2-liter bottles are all great things to collect the tabs in and another way to recycle. We do have labels for these types of containers . . . free!

## Do we need to collect a certain amount or count them?

No! Although some schools will make a math or science project out of collecting a million.

## We have collected, now what?

You can drop them off in our donation drop zone or mail them to the House. If you will be dropping off, give us a call at (330) 253-5400 to schedule a tour of the House during your visit. Donations may be dropped off any time daily between 9:00am – 8:00pm.

## Pull Tab Facts

- 1 inch = 1 tab
- 1 pound = 1,267 tabs
- 1 foot = 12 tabs
- 789 pounds = 1 million tabs
- 1 yard = 36 tabs
- 1 ton = 2,534,000 tabs
- 1 meter = 40 tabs
- 1 kilometer = 40,000 tabs
- 1 mile = 63,360 tabs