

## **Pull Tab Collection For The Ronald McDonald Houses of Ohio**

In the spirit of giving and bringing joy to the lives of others, we are collecting aluminum pull tabs to donate to all the Ronald McDonald Houses in Ohio. Each Ronald McDonald House provides a home away from home for critically ill children and their families. Their mission is to enhance the healthcare experience for families and children through comfort, care, and supportive services. It is their desire to inspire hope when and where families need it most.

The pull tab collection is one of the many charitable efforts that helps to inspire hope for these families. Each Ronald McDonald House works with a local recycler to turn the donated tabs into money that supports their Family Fund. The Family Fund provides items for the families who participate in their programs, offers assistance in emergencies, and helps to give families special moments – like providing small gifts for children if they have a birthday while at a House.

You can help by collecting aluminum pull tabs from containers like soda pop cans, soup cans, pet food cans, fruit cans, vegetable cans, or any other aluminum can tabs. All you need to do is pull off the tab, place it into a bag, and turn the tabs into your chapter. Each chapter will receive a zip lock bag labeled with your chapter information that can be filled with all the tabs your chapter collects. When your pull tab bag is full, turn it into your charities director and start filling another bag. Here's a fun fact for you: 1 pound is equal to approximately 1,000 tabs!

There are six Ronald McDonald Houses in Ohio. The Houses are located in Akron, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, and Toledo. The state will be divided into six regions and each region will donate their tabs to their assigned Ronald McDonald House. All tabs must be turned into your charities director no later than May 17, 2025. Once all the tabs have been collected, arrangements will be made to drop the tabs off to each of the six Ronald McDonald Houses in Ohio. Together we can make a difference in the lives of others!

*Pull for Ronald McDonald House!*

