



## Avon Township Diaper Drive

The **Avon Township** is a partner with the Diaper Bank Partnership of Lake County and we are in need of Diapers

For those who need them, diapers are not a luxury. They are a necessity that greatly affects vulnerable populations who cannot help themselves—babies, the elderly, and the disabled. The impact of not having diapers is interwoven with a multitude of other issues surrounding life in poverty and crisis.

We will accept diapers at anytime but are in great need Now!  
Especially sizes 4,5,6 & Toddler sizes

### Know the Facts

- 1 out of every 4 babies in Illinois is born into poverty.
- A healthy change of diapers costs \$100/month or more for all ages.
- Food Stamps, Link, WIC, public aid, and Medicare do not cover diapers.
- An average infant can use up to 12 diapers per day; an average toddler can use up to 8 per day.
- A child will go through thousands of diapers in his/her lifetime.
- 15-20% of all adults over age 65 suffer some degree of incontinence.
- Cloth diapers are not an option
- Childcare centers require parents to leave disposable diapers with their child.
- Many poor households do not have washing machines.
- Adult supplies aren't readily available in cloth.

**Please Help Us Help Those In Need!**