Goodwill accepts most donations

We welcome your donations of high-quality items at 35+ locations throughout Minnesota and in Hudson, WI. These items are then sold in area Goodwill stores, supporting local programs that prepare people for work.

**Goodwill accepts these items**

- Apparel
  - Women’s clothing, shoes and accessories
  - Men’s clothing, shoes and accessories
  - Children’s clothing, shoes and accessories
- Battery operated electronics
- Radios and receivers
- CD players
- Boomboxes
- Headphones
- Books
  - Hard- or soft-covered books
  - College textbooks
  - Fiction and nonfiction books
- Small electronics
- VCRs
- DVD players
- Stereos and speakers
- Computer keyboards
- Kitchen items
- Games and toys
- Ensure all pieces and parts are attached or in the box
- Medical or assistive living equipment
- Wheelchairs
- Bathroom aids

*Note: we do not accept some types of electric wheelchairs.*

**Furniture in good condition (not torn or broken)**

**Goodwill does not accept these items**

- Items with holes, tears, stains or mildew
- Mattresses, box springs, water beds and sleeper sofas
- Baby furniture and equipment
- Carpeting
- Consumer product recalled items
- Fluorescent bulbs and fixtures
- Plumbing and construction materials
- Computer monitors
- Televisions
- Large exercise equipment
- Gas-powered lawn mowers
- Firearms, bullets, knives, bows, arrows and explosives
- Large appliances, including refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers and microwaves*
- Household chemicals, including paint and cleaning supplies*
- Automotive chemicals or parts*
- Health and beauty products

* Environmental regulations require that we dispose of these items in a safe, responsible manner. High disposal costs use up funds that could be better spent on job training and placement programs.