

## What We Do

The Diaper Bank of Connecticut has been working for more than 15 years to raise awareness that too many in our community lack access to the basic needs that are essential throughout individuals' lifespans. Our work helps ensure:

- families have enough diapers for their infants and toddlers,
- individuals have access to period supplies, and
- youths and seniors in need can access incontinence products. No one should have to worry about affording these basic needs.

## How You Can Help

- Become a distribution partner for youth incontinence products
- Sponsor our work in this area
- Host a fundraising drive to benefit our work
- Become a member of the Shine Advisory Committee



The Shine program helps families that are raising youths (ages 4 to 20) access incontinence supplies. We distribute products through our network of community partners and advocate to expand supply chains.

Youth incontinence products can cost more than \$200 a month and, in Connecticut, insurance coverage for them is limited. This puts a financial strain on low-income parents whose children need these supplies - parents who often must reduce their work hours or stop working altogether to care for their children.

We are dedicated to giving people access to basic needs throughout their lifespan and youth incontinence supplies are a very basic - and very personal - need that no one should have to go without.

**For More information contact:**