

# Courage in Time

## **Blanket Donations**

Donated blankets are gifted at the bedside of grieving parents at our partnering hospitals. We ask that volunteers use the specific yarn types and colors mentioned below as they are most preferred by hospitals.

**Sizes** - The best size is approximately 21in. x 21in. Maximum size is 25in. x 25in.

**Yarn Types** - We ask that the weight be between 3.5oz-5oz. All materials except worsted yarns are welcome for bereavement blankets, with baby yarn being preferred. Flannel, cotton, quilted, crocheted, knitted, knits. Whatever your skills and resources are, blankets bless families! If you use cotton, you must use flannel on one side that is the soft side against their extra fragile angel baby skin. Flannel blankets should always be double thickness to help with the moisture of these very small babies. You could also put cotton on one side and flannel on the other side.

**Yarn Colors** -Keep all colors pastel and light please. We love mixed shades of pale green, yellow, or white. A mix of blue/pink/white is beautiful.

