



Beds for Kids mission is to provide beds and essential furniture to children and their families in need.

In 2010, a group of individuals delivered a few furniture pieces to a family who had recently moved out of a shelter in Charlotte, and into a home. Realizing that this family was one of the thousands who were transitioning into permanent housing but often without any critical furniture possessions or financial means to fund, the idea of Beds for Kids was born. In 2011, Beds for Kids officially became a 501(c)3 non-profit. Beds for Kids refurbishes and re-purposes new and gently used beds and furniture items that have been donated from individuals, institutions, and corporations. Initially operating out of a 30'x10' storage unit, Beds for Kids provided 282 beds to children and families in need.

We strive to serve thousands of children and their families each year. As the number of beds and pieces of furniture delivered increases with each year, so does the number of families we don't have the resources to reach. Without the support of our community, we would not be able to continue advancing our mission of providing beds and essential furniture to children and their families in need. Social workers employed by our referring agencies vet and then refer their organization's clients to us for us to finish triaging and support. These referring agencies are essential because these families need supportive housing, however, they are then without necessary furnishings to make their house a home. The beds and furniture that we deliver to our client families not only fills their homes with tangible items but also fills their homes with hope that they are on their way to becoming self-sufficient and furnishing futures for their children.

We look at the quality of the interaction and the impact of the beds and furniture on the family we have served as our ultimate mark of success. Partnering with you will allow Beds for Kids to advance our mission and meet the growing demand of children and their families who are in need of beds and furniture, due to both the pandemic as well as rising housing costs in Charlotte.