

Operation Troop Treats

Sending Smiles, Candy and Gratitude to Our Troops Since 2012

What is Operation Troop Treats?

- The nation's largest dentist-sponsored Halloween candy exchange benefiting U.S. Service Members and their families.
- A fun community program that teaches children about good dental health and the importance of giving back to those who serve our country.
- A way to send deployed U.S. troops a "sweet" reminder of home in the form of care packages containing donated Halloween candy, dental kits, letters of appreciation, entertainment and other comforts from home.
- [Operation Gratitude](#) is a 501(c)(3), volunteer-based organization that produces and sends care packages to U.S. service members deployed in harm's way, their children, wounded heroes, veterans, new recruits and first responders.

How it Works

- Children and families can donate their Halloween candy at any participating dental office nationwide **from Saturday, October 27 through Saturday, November 3, 2018.**
- Children will receive a toy in exchange for their candy donation.
- Local dental offices will send Operation Gratitude the donated candy, dental kits, and funds to cover the assembly and shipment of care packages for U.S. troops.
- Operation Gratitude will send deployed U.S. troops care packages filled with donated Halloween candy, dental kits, letters of appreciation, entertainment, and other comforts from home.

Our Impact

- Since 2012, children and families have donated more than 16 tons of Halloween candy through Operation Troop Treats.
- Since 2012, local dental offices have donated more than 1,200 dental kits to U.S. troops stationed overseas through Operation Gratitude.
- An estimated 2.1 million care packages have been sent through Operation Gratitude.

For More Information

- Visit operationtrooptreats.com