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HHSA FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER DISTRIBUTES TOYS TO LOCAL FAMILIES

WHAT: Giveaway of hundreds of toys to East County families

WHO: Volunteers from the County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA)
Families picking up toys

WHEN: Wednesday, Dec. 17
9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
(Most families will be present between 9:30 a.m. – noon and 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.)
Thursday, Dec. 18
9 a.m. – 10 a.m. (Distribution of bikes only)

WHERE: HHSA El Cajon Family Resource Center
220 S. First St., El Cajon, CA 92019

WHY: Every year, the El Cajon Family Resource Center works with the Miramar Marine Air Station's Toys for Tots program and the community to collect and distribute hundreds of toys – including bicycles, video games, dolls and sports equipment – to approximately 500 needy children. Family Resource Center staff has sorted through the toys to ensure age appropriate gifts are given to the families who qualify for the program.

VISUALS: Parents picking up toys from the Family Resource Center staff members. Some parents are expected to be available for interviews.

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