

## Sleep in Heavenly Peace Surpasses 2024 Goal, Delivers Beds to Over 73,000 Children in Need

Nonprofit Surpasses 250,000 Children Served

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EINPresswire.com/ -- Sleep in Heavenly
Peace (SHP), the leading nonprofit
organization dedicated to building and
delivering beds to children in need,
announced today it has exceeded its
2024 goal by providing beds to 73,978
children, surpassing its target by nearly
6,000 children. This achievement
represents a year-over-year increase of
12,596 children served.



Volunteers participating in a bed build to help local kids get beds of their own

The organization also reached a significant milestone in 2024, having served more than 250,000 children since its founding in 2012. This accomplishment represents enough beds to fill MetLife Stadium three times over and, if placed headboard to headboard, would stretch 320 miles.



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Jordan Allen, executive director of Sleep in Heavenly Peace "This milestone reflects the dedication of our volunteers and the growing awareness of child bedlessness in America," said Jordan Allen, executive director of Sleep in Heavenly Peace. "While we celebrate serving 250,000 children, we've received more than 1 million applications since our founding, illustrating the magnitude of this often invisible need."

In 2024, SHP's impact was made possible through:

- 5,314 community events nationwide
- 136,903 registered volunteers

- Nearly 500,000 volunteer hours

- Coverage of more than 77 million Americans in chapter service areas

The organization estimates that <u>2-3</u> percent of children in the United States sleep without a bed of their own.

Despite the significant progress made in 2024, the continued high volume of applications—190,943 this year alone—demonstrates the persistent need for SHP's services.

"I would like to extend a special thank you to all of our chapter presidents, core team members, volunteers, donors and sponsors who put in countless hours behind the scenes," Allen added. "They continue to be the



A single mother and her children gather around the new bunk beds delivered to their home.

heartbeat of Sleep in Heavenly Peace, and it is an absolute honor to serve this great mission with them."

Looking ahead to 2025, SHP will focus on supporting existing chapters, streamlining operations for chapter presidents, and expanding into new areas to reach more children in need.

For more information about Sleep in Heavenly Peace or to get involved, visit shpbeds.org.

## **About**

Sleep in Heavenly Peace (SHP) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit dedicated to building and delivering beds to children in need. Fueled by volunteers' kindness and donor generosity, we're growing our impact across the U.S. and beyond. We believe a bed is a basic need for a child's well-being, and our mission is simple: NO KID SLEEPS ON THE FLOOR IN OUR TOWN!® Learn more and get involved at shpbeds.org.

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