

# Creating a Quality Collection

The shoes you collect go beyond raising funds for your organization, they are given a second life with those in need. The gently worn, used and new shoes should be in good condition with the soles intact, dry, clean, no holes, and still have life left in them. If you wouldn't give them to a friend, then they are not worthy to submit with your collection.

Review this document with your team to see the Do's and Dont's of a proper shoe collection.  
#QualityMatters



- Gently worn, used and new shoes that are in good condition, clean, and still wearable
- Shoes are bound either by tying the laces together or rubber banded
- All shoes are dry
- Clean with soles attached and no holes
- 25 pairs in each bag
- Secure bag by tying it closed
- Use approved clear bag only



- Clean, gently worn, used and new shoes in clear bags
- Secure bag by tying it closed



- Shoes are clean and in good condition
- Shoes bound together by tying laces or rubber-banding the matching pair

# NO!



• No black unapproved bags



• No moldy shoes

- No black, white, or colored bags
- No soles that are distorted, melted or falling off
- No soles that are too worn and not wearable
- No broken heels or other broken parts
- No wet, moldy or unusable shoes
- No mismatched pairs
- No excessive wear or peeling
- No loose shoes that are not rubber banded or tied together
- Do not use rubber band to close the bags
- All shoes must be in good condition



• No wet shoes



• Not rubber banded or tied

If you have any questions or are unsure about the quality of collected shoes, please connect with your fundraising coaching team.



• Soles are too worn and not wearable



• Mismatched pair



• Sole is falling off. Not in wearable condition



• Heel is broken and too worn to be usable



• Soles are melted, distorted and not wearable