

## Letters from Santa for Children with Diabetes!

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What's This?

“With a donation to the Diabetes Research Institute, your child can receive a personal letter from the big man himself, Santa Claus,” explains Tom Karlya, [Diabetes Dad](#) and [Vice-President of the Diabetes Research Institute](#).

This annual event is in its fourth year of raising money for diabetes research while putting a smile on children’s faces at Christmas time.

### Here’s how it works:

1. Visit [Santa Claus DRI 2014](#) and make a donation of at least \$15
2. The DRI’s Volunteer Elves, located across the country, will write a personal letter to your child, complete with a stamp from the North Pole!

The [Diabetes Research Institute](#) is known for its commitment to finding a cure. While many research foundations also allocate money towards non-cure-focused work, the DRI is *all about the cure*, making it a worthwhile choice for your donation to people with diabetes!

After a past event, one mother wrote to the DRI saying the letter meant so much to the child that she slept with it every night until Christmas.

To send a child a letter from Santa Claus, [visit this link](#). The deadline for participation is midnight of December 15th. For non-USA residents, the deadline is December 11th.

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