



Ronald McDonald House “Home for the Holidays”

It’s been seven years since the Operational Procurement team has gotten together. This year, the team met in Salt Lake City, Utah and to make the gathering more memorable and to help with team building, they decided that doing a charitable activity would be best. They chose the Ronald McDonald House for a variety of reasons, but one major reason is that Brent Strong, another member of the Procurement team, was positively affected by this charity. The team sorted through childrens toys and organized them by age to help the Ronald McDonald team for the future.

A Ronald McDonald House provides a place for families to call home, so they can stay close by their hospitalized child at little to no cost. Families are stronger when they are together, which helps in the healing process. By staying at a Ronald McDonald House, parents also can better communicate with their child’s medical team and keep up with complicated treatment plans when needed. They can also

focus on the health of their child, rather than grocery shopping, cleaning or cooking meals.

The participating team members:

Abraham Gonzales – Dynamita, MX
 Lourdes Rivera – Dynamita, MX
 Colin Rodriguez – Dynamita, MX
 Deryl Stewart – Calgary, AB
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 Lori Murphy – St Helens, OR
 Karen Bingham – Graham, KY
 Sean Burke – Simsbury, CT
 Seth Chenault – Carthage, MO
 Sue Keenan – Simsbury, CT
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