# AAQGO WORTHY CAUSES SUGGESTED DONATIONS LIST, 2019-2020

AAQGO promotes quilting fellowship and supports quilting activities in the community. One way we do this by partnering with Oakland or Alameda County-based agencies as recipients of AAQGO Worthy Causes donations for children and families in need.

## **OUR RECIPIENTS:**

- CALICO is the Child Abuse, Listening, Interviewing, and Coordination center serving Alameda County. CALICO achieves justice and healing for abused children, age 2 to 17, by bringing together law enforcement officers, child welfare workers, prosecutors, and other professionals to investigate abuse allegations and elicit testimony from children. CALICO serves approximately 600 – 800 children each year.
- 2) **HIGHLAND HOSPITAL NEO-NATAL NURSERY** provides intensive care unit (ICU) services for newborns whose mothers have no or limited financial means (typically new immigrants, currently incarcerated, homeless, etc.).

## **SUGGESTED DONATIONS**

### FOR HIGHLANDS HOSPITAL NEO-NATAL NURSERY:

- Receiving blankets, size 30"x32", 100% cotton flannel, <u>OR</u>
- Baby quilts, size 36"x36", 100% cotton
- FOR CALICO
  - Quilts any size larger than 36"x36" up to twin size. 100% cotton preferred.
  - Blankets, fleece. Single layer with fringe cut or double layer, fringe cut and tied.
  - Tote bags. Size 16" W by 18" L. Plus or minus 1 2 inches = OKAY!
  - Fleece Scarves lively colors, sports team, etc. Single or double layer.
  - Pillow Cases Pattern is available on the AAQGO website under *Our Projects*.
    <u>http://www.aaqgo.org/AAQGO/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/Pillow-Case 1.pdf</u>

### LABELS

Printed AAQGO labels on fabric are available for pick up at the Membership Desk. They must be (hand or machine) sewn to donated items.