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Safe Kids is committed to keeping you informed about recalls of products that can put kids at risk. The Safe Kids' recall center is a unique place where parents and caregivers can go to stay up to date on recalls of all child-related products. This report includes more than 70 million liquid candies that pose a choking hazard to children.

Receive this report from a friend or colleague? Sign up <u>here</u> to get our monthly recall reports.

Are you new to our recall list and worried about products you may have missed? Past editions of Safe Kids Product Recalls newsletter can be found <u>here</u> under the Recalls section of our website.

### Updates to the Food Recalls

Three recalls of food products more likely to be on a kids' menu can be found on the right-hand-side. Here are links for all food/drug recall information announced by the <u>Food and Drug Administration</u> and the <u>USDA Food Safety and Inspection Service</u>.

# TOP FOOD RECALLS

Gills Diced Onions Salmonella; FDA

<u>Nature's Path Organic</u> <u>Foods Gluten Free</u> <u>Waffles</u> Undeclared Peanut; FDA

## Kroger Bagged Collard Greens

Possible Listeria monocytogenes contamination; FDA

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) Proposes Safety Requirements for Nursing Pillows

While nursing pillows can assist parents and caregivers in correctly positioning babies for breastfeeding, these products can be misused for infant sleep.

Between 2012 and 2022, there were 154 deaths involving nursing pillows. The Commission voted unanimously on a proposal to address the hazardous use of these products for infant sleep while allowing parents and caregivers to continue benefitting from nursing pillow's intended use. The CPSC is taking steps to advance proposed changes that aim to discourage resting babies to sleep on these products and require that nursing pillows be "sufficiently firm" to reduce the risk of suffocation.

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October 12, 2023 CPSC; Little Sleepies recalled its Sleepyhead Loveys and Bandana Bibs because the care instruction label on the bib can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children. Units: About 450,000 (an additional ~3,331 in Canada).

<u>October 12, 2023 CPSC</u>; The FORT recalled its Children's Play Tents because the magnet used to connect the various pieces of the fort can become dislodged from their pouches, posing choking and laceration hazards to young children. Units: 13,250.

October 5, 2023 CPSC; The Rene Rofe Girl Children's Blanket Sleepers and Robes sold online at Amazon.com, Fashionnova.com, Ruelala.com, and at children's clothing stores nationwide have been recalled because they fail to meet the federal flammability standards for children's sleepwear, posing a risk of burn injuries to children. Units: About 38,700. October 5, 2023 CPSC; Cocco Candy and KGR Distribution recalled its Cocco Candy Rolling Candy because the candy's rolling ball can dislodge from the product into a child's mouth, posing a choking hazard or death. Units: About 145,800.

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<u>September 29, 2023 CPSC</u>; Future Motion recalled its Onewheel Electric Skateboards (all models) because the skateboards can stop balancing the rider if the boards' limits are exceeded, posing a crash hazard that can result in serious injury or death. Units: About 300,000.

<u>September 28, 2023 CPSC</u>; Rust-Oleum recalled its Rust-Oleum Professional Fluorescent Pink Inverted Marking Spray Paint cans because the spray valve assemble can detach with force, posing an impact injury hazard. Units: About 84,000.

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October 12, 2023 CPSC; YourHealth Toolkit recalled its 5-pound children's weighted blankets because a young child can become entrapped by unzipping and entering the blanket, posing a risk od death by asphyxiation. Units: About 280.

<u>October 12, 2023 CPSC</u>; The Gevi Household Countertop Nugget Ice Makers sold exclusively on Amazon have been recalled because the metal blades od the auger of the ice maker can break, resulting in small pieces of metal going into the ice basket, posing a laceration hazard. Units: About 8,800.

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<u>October 5, 2023 CPSC</u>; CURiO recalled its Capri Blue Pet Sprays and Shampoos because the products contain bacteria that can enter the body if inhaled, through the eyes, or through a break in the skin and pose a risk of serious infection to people with weakened immune systems of external medical devices. Units: About 59,000.

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<u>September 28, 2023 CPSC</u>; Secura recalled its Secure Air Fryers because a wire connection in the air fryer can overheat, posing fire and burn hazards. Units: About 6,400 (an additional ~680 in Canada).

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<u>September 28, 2023 CPSC</u>; Trek Bicycle Corporation recalled its Trek Allant+ 7 bicycles with Tektro brakes because the rear brake hose can kink and break when turning the handlebars causing the rider to lose control of the bike, posing a crash hazard. Units: About 7,000.

This service collects recalls from the <u>National Highway Traffic Safety</u> <u>Administration</u>, <u>Consumer Product Safety Commission</u>, <u>Food and Drug</u> <u>Administration</u> and <u>Food Safety and Inspection Service</u>. Parents Central at <u>NHTSA's safercar.gov</u> is a go-to resource on car seats.

A few more reminders:

- Register all new car seats and booster seats. <u>https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/recalls-register-childseat-</u> /dhxyj/649768212/h/Hi5NMw22Cc62CUIXYFaqIjqM3mrBB9oVB4wtZPkaod M
- Be careful about using hand-me-downs or buying children's products at a secondhand shop or yard sale.
- It violates federal law to sell recalled products. If you know of an unsafe product, you can report it to the CPSC. <u>https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/-</u>

Incidents-ReportIncidentaspx/dhxym/649768212/h/Hi5NMw22Cc62CUIXYFaqIjqM3mrBB9oVB4wtZ PkaodM

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<u>Sign up</u> to receive electronic recall notices for all consumer products from the CPSC.

<u>Sign up</u> to receive notices on recalled car seats.

Use the <u>Safe Kids' Ultimate Car Seat</u> <u>Guide</u>

Look up <u>occupant protection laws</u> in all 50 states and D.C.



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