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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 a children’s cups that put young children at risk of lead exposure, laceration, and choking hazards.

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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 [here](#) 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 [Food and Drug Administration](#) and the [USDA Food Safety and Inspection Service](#).

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Amazon, Walmart, and Target**
This month, Amazon, Target, and Walmart changed their policies, no longer allowing water beads to be sold if they are being marketed for children. Colorful water beads can look like candy, tempting young children to swallow them. Once
inside the body they can continue to grow, causing blockages and other health risks. We commend these retailers for being proactive and cautious when it comes to products that pose ingestion hazards.

**CPSC Product Warnings**

This month, the CPSC has issued a series of product warnings that include crib bumpers, baby loungers, reusable water balloons, and small powerful magnets.

The “Baby Loungers” sold on Amazon.com pose a risk of suffocation and a fall hazard to infants. The loungers fail to meet the safety requirements of the CPSC’s Infant Sleep Products regulation for several reasons. Likewise, the “Karriw Crib Bumpers” sold on Amazon.com pose a suffocation hazard to infants and are banned by the federal Safe Sleep for Babies Act.

The CPSC has also warned consumers to immediately stop using the “SplishSplashFun’s SplishSplash Balls Reusable Water Balloons” and the “Ming Tai Trade High-Powered Magnetic Ball Sets” because they contain small magnets. Small magnets can cause serious injury to a child’s digestive system. When two or more small, powerful magnets are swallowed, surgery is often needed to remove them and fix the damage.

**TOP RECALLS**

**December 28, 2023 CPSC**: High-powered magnetic balls sold on Walmart have been recalled because they do not comply with the requirements of the mandatory federal magnet regulations. The Relax 5mm Science Kit, Large Hematite Magnets Magnetic Stones Building Blocks magnet sets are stronger than permitted and, if ingested, can result in severe injury and death. Units: About 4,240.

**December 28, 2023 CPSC**: Blend Jet recalled its BlendJet 2 Portable Blenders because they can overheat or catch fire and the blender blades can break off, posing fire and laceration hazards to consumers. Units: About 4.8 million (an additional ~117,000 in Canada).

**December 21, 2023 CPSC**: DGL Group recalled its Hover-1 Helix hoverboards because the recalled hoverboard’s lithium-ion battery can overheat, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 25,000.

**December 21, 2023 CPSC**: Pella recalled its Architect Series Casement Windows because the window’s sash can detach from the frame and fall, posing an injury hazard to consumers. Units: About 12,000 (an additional ~305 in Canada and ~10 in Mexico).

**December 21, 2023 CPSC**: The Litti City Premier Doctor Playset and Teacher Purse Set, Litti Pritti Stylist Handbag Set, and Prextex Slime Eggs sold online at Amazon.com and Walmart.com have been recalled because they contain levels of certain phthalates and levels of lead that exceed the federal standards, posing
a risk of adverse health effects. Units: About 205,000.

**December 14, 2023 CPSC:** Vornado expands its recall of Steamfast Home & Away Travel Steam Irons because the power cord can become damaged near the cord bushing, which can lead to overheating of the cord and/or exposed copper wires, posing fire, shock, and burn hazards. Units: About 1.75 million (an additional ~9,000 in Canada).

**December 7, 2023 CPSC:** Bugaboo recalled its Dragonfly Seat Strollers because in “parent-facing” mode, the back rest of the seat can move downward, placing the infant in a negative recline, posing an injury hazard if an unrestrained infant tumbles from the seat. Units: About 1,000 (an additional ~200 in Canada).

**December 7, 2023 CPSC:** Vibe Bear Playyard Mattresses recalled its mattresses, sold exclusively on Amazon, because they violate multiple provisions of the federal safety regulation for crib mattresses, including the firmness and thickness tests, and are missing warnings and labels, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Units: About 2,000.

**December 7, 2023 CPSC:** Primark recalled its “Wooden Music Shaker” and “DTR M&M Maracas” Baby Rattles because the bottom portion of the rattles can detach, posing choking and/or ingestion hazards. Units: About 1,380.

**December 7, 2023 CPSC:** Wet & Forget USA recalled its “Xtreme Reach” Outdoor Rapid Application Moss, Mold, Mildew & Algae Stain Remover with Hose End Nozzle because the nozzle clip can dislodge and allow the cleaning solution to spray on users, posing a risk of skin and eye irritation and other injuries. Units: About 2.7 million.

**December 7, 2023 CPSC:** Mary Meyer recalled its Bubba Bull Plush Toys because the eyes of the plush toys can break off, posing a choking hazard to young children. Units: About 1,950.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC:** Tiblue recalled its 8 oz and 12 oz Stainless Steel Children’s Cups because the bottom exterior of the cups contains an accessible solder bead with levels of lead that exceed the federal lead content ban. Additionally, the lid can crack and break during use producing sharp edges and small parts, posing laceration and choking hazards to children. Units: About 84,000.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC:** Pack and Play Mattresses recalled its DODO Baby House Pack and Play Mattresses because they violate multiple provisions of the federal safety regulation for crib mattresses, including the thickness test and missing warning labels, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Units: About 1,650.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC:** Vibe Bear Playyard Mattresses recalled its mattresses because they violate multiple provisions of the Safety Standard for Crib Mattresses, including the firmness and thickness tests and missing warning labels, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Units: About 820.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC:** Berkshire Blanket & Home Company recalled its Heated Throws and Blankets because they may overheat, posing fire and burn hazards. Units: About 800.
**RECALLS**

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**December 28, 2023 CPSC;** Blend Jet recalled its BlendJet 2 Portable Blenders because they can overheat or catch fire and the blender blades can break off, posing fire and laceration hazards to consumers. Units: About 4.8 million (an additional ~117,000 in Canada).

**December 22, 2023 FDA;** Insight Pharmaceuticals recalled its Americaine® 20% Benzocaine Topical Anesthetic Spray because a sample of the product contains a low level of benzene, a human carcinogen, posing a risk of cancer when exposed.

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** TJX recalled its foldable wood and rope bistro set chairs because the wooden frame of the chair can break or collapse when a consumer is seated in the chair, posing a fall hazard. Units: About 29,000.

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** FeraDyne Outdoors recalled its Rhino Tree Stands because testing determined the safety harness does not comply with voluntary industry safety standard, ASTM F2337-21, and the stitching can rip, posing a fall hazard to the user. Units: About 50,000 (an additional ~340 in Canada).

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** DGL Group recalled its Hover-1 Helix hoverboards because the recalled hoverboard’s lithium-ion battery can overheat, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 25,000.

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** Brandline recalled its HEAO 4-in-1 High Chairs because they were marketed, intended, or designed for infant sleep, and have an incline angle greater than 10 degrees, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Additionally, the high chairs pose finger laceration and entrapment hazards as they failed to meet mandatory requirements under the high chair standard. Units: About 820.

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** Pella recalled its Architect Series Casement Windows because the window’s sash can detach from the frame and fall, posing an injury hazard to consumers. Units: About 12,000 (an additional ~305 in Canada and ~10 in Mexico).

**December 21, 2023 CPSC;** The Litti City Premier Doctor Playset and Teacher Purse Set, Litti Pritti Stylist Handbag Set, and Prextex Slime Eggs sold online at Amazon.com and Walmart.com have been recalled because they contain levels of certain phthalates and levels of lead that exceed the federal standards, posing a risk of adverse health effects. Units: About 205,000.

**December 14, 2023 CPSC;** Traeger Pellet Grills recalled its Traeger Flatrock Flat Top Propane Grills because the burner control knob can be incorrectly labeled,
which can result in the grill being unintentionally left on, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 37,000.

December 14, 2023 CPSC; Weatherbeeta USA recalled its Collegiate English Horse-Riding Saddles because the saddle’s rivet or stirrup bar can break, causing the rider to fall, posing an injury hazard. Units: About 2,300.

December 14, 2023 CPSC; Room & Board recalled its Griffin Duo Bunk Beds because they failed to be properly assembled by Room & Board with set screws installed in to the side rail brackets at the time of delivery, creating a collapse risk and fall and injury hazards. Units: About 500.

December 14, 2023 CPSC; Savvy Rest recalled its Quilted Cotton Mattress Pads because the mattress pads fail to meet the mandatory federal flammability standard for mattress pads, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 84.

December 14, 2023 CPSC; Empower Brands recalled its PowerXL™ DUAF-10 and DUAF-005 Vortex Dual-Basket Air Fryers because the plastic U-Channel connector used to optionally combine the two food baskets inside of the air fryers can break during use, posing a burn hazard. Units: About 319,000.

December 14, 2023 CPSC; Polaris Industries recalled its Model Year 2021-2024 RZR 200 Youth Recreational Off-Road Vehicles (ROVs) because the steering system can lock up while in use, posing a crash hazard and risk of serious injury to children. Units: About 19,000 (an additional 950 in Canada).

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December 7, 2023 CPSC; XpressGoods recalled its Colorful Metal Neodymium Magic Magnetic Balls because CPSC testing determined that the magnetic ball sets do not comply with the requirements of the mandatory federal toy regulation because they contain one or more magnet that fit within CPSC’s small parts cylinder and the magnets are stronger than permitted. Small magnet ingestions can pose a risk of serious injury or death. Units: About 728.

December 7, 2023 CPSC; Sourceone Ventures recalled its Windsor Queen
Xtrabed Mobile Murphy Beds because the outer case or cabinet on the front, or smaller side, of the bed can break and fall when opening the bed from the front, posing an injury hazard. Further, the Xtrabed can tip over if not anchored to the wall, posing tip-over and entrapment hazards. Units: About 12,000 (an additional ~275 in Canada).

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December 7, 2023 CPSC; Adven Group recalled its Nap Queen 12-inch Maxima Hybrid Mattress because they fail to meet the mandatory federal flammability standard for mattresses, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 1,540.

December 5, 2023 CPSC; Foiressoft Zebra Roller Blinds because they have looped operating cords that post a strangulation hazard to children. Units: About 9,500.

November 30, 2023 CPSC; Peg Perego recalled its YPSI and Z4 Inclined Sleeper Bassinets because they violate the Safe Sleep for Babies Act by having an incline angle greater than 10 degrees, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Units: About 550.

November 30, 2023 CPSC; Specialized Bicycle Components recalled its Supacaz Orbitron Pedals because the pedal body can detach from the pedal spindle and/or the pedal spindle can break, posing a fall hazard. Units: About 3,000 (an additional ~169 in Canada and ~7 in Mexico).

November 30, 2023 CPSC; Klickpick Home recalled its children’s cup sets because the bottom exterior of the cups contains an accessible solder bead with levels of lead that exceed the federal lead content ban. Additionally, the lid can crack and break during use producing sharp edges and small parts, posing laceration and choking hazards to children. Units: About 3,600.

November 30, 2023 CPSC; Tiblue recalled its 8 oz and 12 oz Stainless Steel Children’s Cups because the bottom exterior of the cups contains an accessible solder bead with levels of lead that exceed the federal lead content ban. Additionally, the lid can crack and break during use producing sharp edges and small parts, posing laceration and choking hazards to children. Units: About 84,000.

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mattresses, sold exclusively on Amazon, because they violate multiple provisions of the Safety Standard for Crib Mattresses, including the firmness and thickness tests and missing warning labels, posing a suffocation hazard to infants. Units: About 820.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC;** Berkshire Blanket & Home Company recalled its Heated Throws and Blankets because they may overheat, posing fire and burn hazards. Units: About 29,840.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC;** GE Appliances recalled its Knob-control electric radiant cooktops, model GE JP3030, because they can remain on after use, even after being turned to the “off” position, due to misaligned burner knob stems and fractured burner knob components, posing a burn hazard to consumers. Units: About 11,000.

**November 30, 2023 CPSC;** Russound recalled its Loudspeakers Model AW70V6 because the front baffle of the speaker can separate from the rear housing, allowing the speaker to fall from its installed location, posing an impact injury hazard to people or property below. Units: About 4,600 (an additional ~600 in Canada).

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

A few more reminders:

- Register all new car seats and booster seats. [https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/recalls-register-childseat/dnsli8/711266974/h/HN1EXZImSpSkF57kuttX615A6_k0YINVcaoE7WnnCGoY](https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/recalls-register-childseat/dnsli8/711266974/h/HN1EXZImSpSkF57kuttX615A6_k0YINVcaoE7WnnCGoY)
- 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. [https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/-Incidents-ReportIncident-aspx/dnslc/711266974/h/HN1EXZImSpSkF57kuttX615A6_k0YINVcaoE7WnnCGoY](https://go.pardot.com/e/957122/-Incidents-ReportIncident-aspx/dnslc/711266974/h/HN1EXZImSpSkF57kuttX615A6_k0YINVcaoE7WnnCGoY)

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**Federal Agencies**

- CPSC - Consumer Product Safety Commission
- FDA – Food and Drug Administration
- NHTSA – National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

**More Tools You Can Use**

- Sign up to receive electronic recall notices for all consumer products from the CPSC.
- Sign up to receive notices on recalled car seats.
- Use the Safe Kids’ Ultimate Car Seat
Guide
Look up occupant protection laws in all 50 states and D.C.