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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 260,000 children's books that pose a choking hazards to infants.

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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.

TOP FOOD RECALLS

Walmart Marketside Chocolate Chip Explosion Cake
Undeclared peanuts; FDA

Kraft Heinz American Processed Cheese Slices
Potential for film to remain adhered to the cheese slice after the wrapper has been removed; FDA

PAISA Sweet Corn Pancakes "Cachapas de Maiz"
Undeclared wheat and soy allergens; undeclared yellow #5; FDA

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CPSC Warns Consumers About Five Products
This month, the CPSC has issued warnings cautioning consumers to immediately stop using five potentially harmful products. This includes three different bicycle helmets, the Kopobob kids multi-purpose helmets, Cyclingsell Zacro bicycle helmets, and Vera Natura bicycle helmets, that fail to protect riders in the event of a crash, posing a risk of head injury. Avoid using these unbranded Infant sling carriers sold on Walmart.com, Amazon.com, Trendyhousehold.com, and potentially others retailers because they do not comply with the federal safety

standard for sling carriers and infants can fall out of them or suffocate. Consumers should also stop using the iCraves Infant High Chairs because they fail to meet performance requirements under the mandatory safety standard for high chairs, posing entrapment and fall hazards.

TOP RECALLS

September 21, 2023 CPSC; Make Believe Ideas recalled its Rainbow Road Series Board Books because the plastic binding rings can detach from the books, posing a choking hazard to young children. Units: About 260,000 (an additional ~12,900 in Canada).

September 21, 2023 CPSC; Honey Joy recalled its Infant Swings because the swing violates the Safe Sleep for Babies Act because the product was marketed for infant sleep and has an incline angle greater than 10 degrees. Units: About 170.

September 14, 2023 CPSC; Buffalo Games recalled its Chuckle & Roar Ultimate Water Beads Activity Kits because if a water bead is ingested, it expands and can pose ingestion, choking and intestinal obstruction hazards inside a child's body, resulting in severe discomfort, vomiting, dehydration and a risk of death to a child. Units: About 52,000.

September 8, 2023 CPSC; Church & Dwight recalled its TheraBreath Kids Strawberry Splash Oral Rinse because the product, sold exclusively on Amazon, may contain a microbial contamination due to the presence of yeast, posing a risk of infection.

September 7, 2023 CPSC; Lectric Ebikes recalled Disc brake calipers sold on Lectric e-bicycles because the mechanical disc brake calipers located on the front and read of the e-bikes fail resulting in loss of control, posing crash and injury hazards to the rider. Units: About 45,000.

September 7, 2023 CPSC; Pirelli Tire recalled its Pirelli P Zero Race TLR Bicycle Tires because the tire bead can unseat from the rim and lead to rapid air loss in the tires, resulting in loss of control and posing a fall hazard. Units: About 14,500 (an additional ~550 in Canada).

August 31, 2023 CPSC; TOMY recalled its Boon Flair & Flair Elite highchairs because the bolts used to secure the seat of the recalled highchair to the pedestal base can become loose and allow the seat to detach, posing a fall hazard. Units: About 83,000 (an additional ~2,850).

August 31, 2023 CPSC; Apollo recalled its Phantom Electric Scooters because the bolt on the electric scooter can come loose causing the suspension and wheel assembly to separate, posing fall and injury hazards. Units: About 3,900.

RECALLS

September 21, 2023 CPSC; FXI recalled its Novaform ComfortGrande 14-inch and Novaform DreamAway 8-inch Mattresses because the mattresses could have been exposed to water during the manufacturing process, allowing mold to develop and posing a health risk to individuals with compromised immune systems, damaged lungs, or an allergy to mold. Units: About 48,000.

September 21, 2023 CPSC; H&M recalled its Men's clasp beaded bracelets because the clasp on the beaded bracelet contains levels of lead that exceed the federal lead content ban, posing a risk of adverse health effects to young children if ingested. Units: About 12,290.

September 21, 2023 CPSC; Make Believe Ideas recalled its Rainbow Road Series Board Books because the plastic binding rings can detach from the books, posing a choking hazard to young children. Units: About 260,000 (an additional ~12,900 in Canada).

September 21, 2023 CPSC; Honey Joy recalled its Infant Swings because the swing violates the Safe Sleep for Babies Act because the product was marketed for infant sleep and has an incline angle greater than 10 degrees. Units: About 170.

September 14, 2023 CPSC; Best Buy recalled its Insignia and Yardbird fire tables with lava rocks because the rocks can split and eject from the fire table, posing burn and impact injury hazards. Units: About 1,490.

September 14, 2023 CPSC; Generac recalled its Portable Generators because the fuel tank can fail to vent adequately from the rollover valve, causing the gas tank to build up excess pressure and expel fuel when opened, posing fire and burn hazards. Units: About 64,000.

September 14, 2023 CPSC; Buffalo Games recalled its Chuckle & Roar Ultimate Water Beads Activity Kits because if a water bead is ingested, it expands and can pose ingestion, choking and intestinal obstruction hazards inside a child's body, resulting in severe discomfort, vomiting, dehydration and a risk of death to a child. Units: About 52,000.

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September 7, 2023 CPSC; Lectric Ebikes recalled Disc brake calipers sold on Lectric e-bicycles because the mechanical disc brake calipers located on the front and read of the e-bikes fail resulting in loss of control, posing crash and injury hazards to the rider. Units: About 45,000.

September 7, 2023 CPSC; Whirlpool recalled its ADC brand 30 lb. capacity stacked commercial clothes dryers because the dryers can overheat and ignite the clothes load, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 2,500.

September 7, 2023 CPSC; ARGO recalled its Xplorer ATVs because incorrectly installed check valves and vent hoses can lead to fuel overflow, posing a fire hazard. Units: About 500 (an additional ~1,670 in Canada).

September 7, 2023 CPSC; Pirelli Tire recalled its Pirelli P Zero Race TLR Bicycle Tires because the tire bead can unseat from the rim and lead to rapid air loss in the tires, resulting in loss of control and posing a fall hazard. Units: About 14,500 (an additional ~550 in Canada).

September 7, 2023 CPSC; Emporia recalled its Emporia Smart Plugs because they are not adequately grounded and can pose an electric shock hazard to the user. Units: About 80,000.

August 31, 2023 CPSC; Potassium Hydroxide/KOH Flakes and Sodium Hydroxide sold online at DIYChemicals.xom, Amazon.com, and Ebay.com were recalled because the packaging of the products is not child resistant, posing a risk of chemical burns and irritation to the skin and eyes. Units: About 200.

August 31, 2023 CPSC; TOMY recalled its Boon Flair & Flair Elite highchairs because the bolts used to secure the seat of the recalled highchair to the pedestal base can become loose and allow the seat to detach, posing a fall hazard. Units: About 83,000 (an additional ~2,850).

August 31, 2023 CPSC; Prime-Line recalled its Glass Doorknobs because the recalled glass doorknobs can crack and separate from the doorknob assembly, posing a laceration hazard to consumers. Units: About 167,000 (an additional ~10,265 in Canada).

August 31, 2023 CPSC; Apollo recalled its Phantom Electric Scooters because the bolt on the electric scooter can come loose causing the suspension and wheel assembly to separate, posing fall and injury hazards. Units: About 3,900.

August 31, 2023 CPSC; Electrolux Group recalled its Frigidaire Stainless-Steel 30-inch 4 Burner and 36-inch 5 Burner Gas Cooktops because the plastic control knobs with a black shaft on the cooktop can crack or break during use, posing a risk of gas leak and fire hazard. Units: About 77,000.

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-/dfl91/615244086?h=sRt4jInDIdQVmshevC_HILx2WD5dX9OiJ7fwbOF7HOU
- 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/dfl94/615244086?h=sRt4jInDIdQVmshevC_HILx2WD5dX9OiJ7fwbOF7HOU

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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.

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