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News

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Dear Wisconsin Children's Safety Advocates:

In January 2018, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission issued a total of **13 recalls relating to products affecting children**. Attached is a summary of the releases identifying the product, the problem, and what should be done with the recalled product.

We have found that not all of the recalls are picked up by the news media as they occur. This monthly summary will give you the opportunity to review all of the children's product safety recalls for the past month. If you are interested in a complete text of the recall, click on the hyperlink at the end of the recall description. This will direct you to the recall notice located on the CPSC website.

- **Comfort Research Recalls Bean Bag Chair Covers Due to Risks of Entrapment, Suffocation to Children (18-076)**
- **Skip Hop Recalls Convertible high Chairs Due to Fall Hazard (18-078)**
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- **Hillsdale Furniture Recalls Bar Stools Due to Fall Hazard (18-715)**
- **Bed Bath & Beyond Recalls Hudson Comforters by UGG Due to Risk of Mold Exposure (18-080)**
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- **Panasonic Recalls Flat Screen Televisions and Swivel Stands Due to Tip-Over Hazard (18-081)**
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- **VTech Recalls Infant Rattles Due to Choking Hazard (18-083)**
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- **Walgreens Pain and Itch Relief Cream Recalled by Natureplex Failure to Meet Child Resistant Closure Requirement (18-086)**
- **Vornado Air Recalls Cribside Space Heaters Due to Fire and Burn Hazards (18-088)**

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KEEP YOUR KIDS SAFE

Release Number: (#18-076) Comfort Research LLC, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 1,200 Ultra Lounge bean bag chair covers. This recall involves Comfort Research's Ultra Lounge bean bag chair covers. The natural polyester Sherpa, teardrop-shape bean bag chair cover measures 28 inches by 28 inches by 36 inches and has two zippers on the exterior. The covers were sold without foam bead filling in a DIY package. The covers have three sewn-in tags. One tag reads "id COLORS" on the front and "RN48711" on the back. The second tag has the UPC label code "PO#12991" or "PO#13539" on the front. And, the third tag has the care and use instructions printed on one side and the warning notice on the other.

Problem: The zippers on the bean bag chair covers can be opened by children who can then crawl inside, become entrapped, suffocate or choke on the bean bag chair's foam beads.

What to do: Consumers should immediately take bean bag chairs with the recalled covers away from children and contact Comfort Research for a full refund. Consumers can contact Comfort Research toll-free at 844-578-8933 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or online at www.comfortresearch.com and click on the **Safety Recall Notices** link for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Comfort-Research-Recalls-Bean-Bag-Chair-Covers-Due-to-Risks-of-Entrapment-Suffocation-to-Children#>

Release Number: (#18-078) Skip Hop, Inc., of New York, is announcing the voluntary recall of about 7,900 Tuo Convertible High Chairs. This recall involves the charcoal colored Tuo convertible high chair, which can be converted into a toddler chair. The style numbers are 304200 and 304200CN with a date code found on the back of the chair as follows: HH102016, HH11/2016, HH3/2017 and HH4/2017. The highchairs have a reversible seat pad, removable tray, 5-point harness, beechwood footrest and legs.

Problem: The front legs on the highchair can detach from the seat, posing fall and injury hazards to children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled high chairs and contact Skip Hop for a free replacement. Consumers can contact Skip Hop toll-free at 888-282-4674 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.skiphop.com and click on "Recalls" for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Skip-Hop-Recalls-Convertible-High-Chairs-Due-to-Fall-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#18-714) Coldwater Direct LLC, of Hingham, Mass., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 43 snow globes. This recall involves two Coldwater Creek snow globes with reindeer or a snowman inside. The Reindeer snow globe, style 13826 and model number XC7484, has two white reindeer inside and a brown and cream base with a wind-up key at the bottom. The Vintage Charm snow globe, style 13660 and model number 3WGL120, has a silver snowman inside and a silver base. The Grasslands Road logo and style number appear on separate labels located on the underside of the globe. The style number is the ninth through fourteenth digits printed on the price label. The model number is printed on the product packaging.

Problem: Light refraction through the globes can singe or melt items in contact with or in the immediate proximity, posing a fire hazard.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled snow globes and contact Coldwater Creek to return the product free of cost for a full refund. The firm is contacting all known purchasers directly. Consumers can contact Coldwater Creek toll-free at 888-678-5576 anytime, email at customerservice@coldwaterdirect.com or online at www.coldwatercreek.com and click on Product Recalls at the bottom of the homepage for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Coldwater-Creek-Recalls-Snow-Globes-Due-to-Fire-Hazard-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#18-715) Hillsdale Furniture LLC, of Louisville, Ky., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 500 bar stools. This recall involves Polston and Collin models of swivel backless bar stools. The Polston bar stools have a tan seat cushion and metal base with four legs and were sold in a mocha color. They were sold in two sizes: counter height at 26 inches tall and bar height at 30 inches tall. The Collin bar stools have a wooden seat and metal base with four legs and were sold in two colors: mocha and white. They were sold in bar height at 30 inches tall. The model number is printed on the packaging and in the assembly instructions.

Problem: The stool seat can loosen or break off at the base, posing a fall hazard to the user.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bar stools and contact Hillsdale Furniture for a full refund. The firm is contacting all known purchasers directly. Consumers can contact Hillsdale Furniture at 800-368-0999 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or online at www.hillsdalefurniture.com and click on "Product Recalls" located at the bottom of the page for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Hillsdale-Furniture-Recalls-Bar-Stools-Due-to-Fall-Hazard-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#18-080) Liberty Procurement Co. Inc., of Union, N.J., an affiliate of Bed Bath & Beyond Inc., of Union, N.J., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 175,000 Hudson comforters by UGG. This recall involves Hudson comforters by UGG. The polyester comforters were sold in four different solid colors: garnet, navy, gray, and oatmeal, and three sizes: twin, full/queen, and king. See “Sold At” section for affected dates of sale.

Problem: Mold can be present, posing a risk of respiratory or other infections in individuals with compromised immune systems, damaged lungs or an allergy to mold.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled comforters and return them to Bed Bath & Beyond for a full refund. Consumers can contact Bed Bath & Beyond at 800-462-3966 any time or online at www.bedbathandbeyond.com and click on “Product Recall Information” at the bottom for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Bed-Bath-Beyond-Recalls-Hudson-Comforters-by-UGG-Due-to-Risk-of-Mold-Exposure#>

Release Number: (#18-716) Liberty Multipro Limited, of India, is announcing the voluntary recall of about 1,000 Multipro Baby Cradle N Swings sold on Amazon from January 2014 through July 2017. This recall involves Multipro bassinets, an Indian style baby cradle. It has a swing framework with a pair of metal legs on the ends of the middle rod. The Cradle N Swing is designed to swing the child back and forth in a bassinet. The bassinet is made of polka dot fabric with a mesh opening on the side. The bassinet portion attaches to a plastic frame base and is sold in a variety of colors. Multipro is written on the outside of the storage bag.

Problem: The bassinets fail to meet the mandatory federal safety standard for bassinets and cradles, posing fall and entrapment hazards to babies.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the Multipro Baby Cradle N Swing, disassemble it and throw it away. Consumers who purchased the product on Amazon.com have been contacted directly and automatically issued a gift card refund for the full purchase price of the product. Consumers who purchased the product on Amazon and did not receive direct communication, can contact Amazon toll-free at 888-280-4331 anytime or online at www.amazon.com.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Bassinets-Recalled-Due-to-Violation-of-Bassinet-Cradle-Standard-Made-By-Multipro-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#18-081) Panasonic Corporation of North America, of Newark, N.J., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 755 Panasonic 55-inch flat screen LED/LCD televisions with tabletop swivel stands. This recall involves Panasonic 55-inch, LED/LCD flat screen televisions with a tabletop swivel stand intended for use in hotels, government buildings and schools. The televisions are black and “Panasonic” is printed on the front. The television’s model number is TH055LRU50. The model number is printed on a tag located in the center of the back of the television. The swivel stand is a glossy black color and measures 50.5 inches long by 32 inches tall by 11.1 inches deep. There is a label on the front underside of the base as well as a number etched into the metal.

Problem: The mounting screws that connect the swivel stand to the television can come loose and cause the television to tip over and fall off the stand unexpectedly, posing serious tip-over and entrapment hazards that can result in injuries or death to children.

What to do: Consumers using the swivel stand should immediately detach it, place the television in a safe location away from children and contact Panasonic for a free repair kit. Consumers can contact Panasonic toll-free at 855-772-8324 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email prodisplaysupport@us.panasonic.com or online at www.panasonic.com and click on “ANNOUNCEMENT” for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Panasonic-Recalls-Flat-Screen-Televisions-and-Swivel-Stands-Due-to-Tip-Over-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#18-082) Fashion Accessory Bazaar, of New York, N.Y., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 20,000 fidget spinner keychains. This recall involves Pokemon fidget spinner keychains. The keychains have a silver metal key ring with a metal bar attached to it with a Pokemon-themed fidget spinner on the end of the metal bar. The fidget spinner is red and white in the center and yellow around the outside. They measure about ½ inch high by 2 1/2 inches wide by 4 ½ inches long.

Problem: The center post on the fidget spinner can become loose or fall out, posing a choking hazard.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled keychains and contact Fashion Accessory Bazaar for instructions on how to receive a full refund. Consumers can contact Fashion Accessory Bazaar toll-free at 888-320-3299 any time, email at supportdesk@fabny.com or online at www.fabny.com and click on “Recall Information” for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Fashion-Accessory-Bazaar-Recalls-Fidget-Spinner-Keychains-Due-to-Choking-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#18-083) VTech Electronics North America LLC, of Arlington Heights, Ill., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 280,000 shake and sing elephant rattles. This recall involves Vtech Shake and Sing Elephant rattle with model number 80-184800. The rattle has a purple elephant with yellow and blue ears at one end and a black and white plastic teething ring at the other end. VTech is stamped on the elephant. The rattle is about seven inches long and the number 1848 is printed on the back of the rattle adjacent to the battery door. The rattle sings when a button is switched on.

Problem: The ears on the elephant rattles can break off, posing a choking hazard to young children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled rattles and contact VTech for a full refund or credit for a replacement product. Consumers can contact VTech at 800-521-2010 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or online at vtechkids.com and click on Support for more information or at https://www.vtechkids.com/support/support_form.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/VTech-Recalls-Infant-Rattles-Due-to-Choking-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#18-717) Rockler Companies Inc. Medina, Minn., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 2,300 Murphy bed hardware kits. This recall involves all I-Semble vertical and horizontal Murphy Bed hardware kits. The kits are used to assemble fold down beds and were sold in three sizes: twin, full and queen. The model numbers for the I-Semble vertical-mount Murphy bed hardware kit with mattress platform are: twin size, model #54877, full size, model #55991 and queen size, model #54386. The I-Semble horizontal-mount Murphy bed hardware kit with mattress platform twin size, model #50479, full size, model #53155 and queen size, model #58262. They include a metal bed frame with wood slats for the mattress platform, a metal leg to support the foot of the mattress platform, mounting brackets to attach the metal bed frame to the wooden enclosure built by consumers, wall brackets to secure the wood enclosure to wall studs, and associated screws and bolts.

Problem: The hardware kits used to secure the wooden wall enclosures to the wall studs do not provide sufficient bracing support, posing serious tip-over and entrapment hazards that can result in death or injuries to children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using Murphy beds built using the recalled hardware kits, and contact Rockler for a free replacement repair kit with instructions. The firm is contacting all known purchasers directly. Consumers can contact Rockler at 800-260-9663 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or online at www.Rockler.com and click on **Recalls** at the top of the homepage for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Rockler-Recalls-Murphy-Bed-Kits-Due-to-TipOver-and-Entrapment-Hazards-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#18-084) VTech Electronics North America LLC, of Arlington Heights, Ill., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 37,000 lights and lullabies travel mobiles. This recall involves VTech Lights & Lullabies Travel mobiles. The recalled mobiles were sold in blue and pink. The model numbers are 80-503000 (blue) and 80-503050 (pink). The pink mobile was sold exclusively at Amazon.com. The mobile has a white and pink or white and blue plastic arm that clamps onto the side of a crib. It has three star attachments that hang from the top. The mobile has a music button that plays music, nature sounds and nursery rhymes. The mobile measures 5 inches wide by 15.8 inches tall. The model numbers are printed on the battery compartment door.

Problem: The clamp attaching the mobile to the crib rail can break causing the mobile to fall, posing an injury hazard to an infant in the crib.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled mobiles and contact Vtech for a full refund or a replacement product. Consumers can contact VTech at 800-521-2010 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or online at vtechkids.com and click on Support for more information or register online at https://www.vtechkids.com/support/support_form.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/VTech-Recalls-Lights-Lullabies-Travel-Mobiles-Due-to-Injury-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#18-086) Natureplex LLC, of Olive Branch, Mass., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 74,000 Well at Walgreens pain and itch relief cream. The recalled Well at Walgreens Pain and Itch Relief Cream tube and packaging are orange with a purple stripe with “Maximum Strength,” “Pain and Itch Relief Cream 4% Lidocaine” and “NET WT 2 OZ (56.7 grams)” printed in white on the front. The Well at Walgreens logo is located on the front upper right corner. The packaging contains the UPC bar code 3 11917 18962 8 on the back.

Problem: The packaging is not child resistant as required by the Poison Prevention Packaging Act. The pain and itch relief cream contains lidocaine, posing a risk of poisoning to young children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately place the recalled pain and itch relief cream out of the reach of children and return it to Walgreens for a full refund. Consumers can contact Natureplex toll-free at 866-323-0107 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or online at www.natureplex.com and click on Product Safety Recall for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Walgreens-Pain-and-Itch-Relief-Cream-Recalled-by-Natureplex-Due-to-Failure-to-Meet-Child-Resistant-Closure-Requirement#>

Release Number: (#18-088) Vornado Air LLC, of Andover, Kan., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 5,000 Sunny CS (cribside) nursery space heaters. This recall involves Vornado Sunny CS (cribside) model EH1-0090 electric space heaters. They were sold in white with an accent of melon and gray colors. The heaters measure approximately 12 inches high, 8 inches deep and 11 inches at the base. The controls are mounted in a soft touch panel on the top of the unit with a multi-color display in the center of the control panel. "Vornadobaby" is printed on the side of the heater. The Vornado logo is printed on the front center of the unit. The model/type "SUNNY CS EH1-0090" and serial number are printed on a silver decal on the bottom of the unit under the elastic cord wrap. The recalled heaters have the numbers 1 and 7 as the fourth and fifth digits of the serial number (XXX17-XXXXXX).

Problem: A broken motor mount can allow the electric heating element to come in contact with the interior plastic materials and ignite, posing fire and burn hazards.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled space heaters, unplug them and contact Vornado for instructions on how to receive a free replacement unit, including free shipping. Consumers can contact Contact Vornado toll-free at 844-202-7978 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or online at www.vornado.com and click on the recall graphic in the lower right corner of the homepage for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Vornado-Air-Recalls-Cribside-Space-Heaters-Due-to-Fire-and-Burn-Hazards#>