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# News

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## Dear Wisconsin Children's Safety Advocates:

In October 2017, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission issued a total of **9 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.

- **Playtex Recalls Children's Plates and Bowls Due to Choking Hazard ([18-001](#))**
- **SRAM Recalls Bicycle Brakes Due to Crash and Injury Hazards ([18-002](#))**
- **Toys "R" Us Recalls Infant Wiggle Balls Due to Choking Hazard ([18-004](#))**
- **Cost Plus World Market Recalls Girona Outdoor Dining Chairs Due to Fall Hazard ([18-007](#))**
- **Target Recalls Leather Pouf Ottoman Due to Suffocation and Choking Hazards ([18-009](#))**
- **Herman Miller Recalls Fiberglass Rocking Chairs Due to Fall Hazard ([18-010](#))**
- **Kids Preferred Recalls Wind-Up Musical Toys Due to Choking Hazard ([18-012](#))**
- **Fisher-Price Recalls Infant Motion Seats Due to Fire Hazard ([18-015](#))**
- **Plan Toys Recalls Baby Gyms Du to Strangulation Hazard ([18-016](#))**

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If you have any questions or want to file a complaint regarding an unsafe product, contact:

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# KEEP YOUR KIDS SAFE

**Release Number: (#18-801)** Playtex Products, LLC, of Shelton, Conn., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 3.6 million children's Playtex plates and bowls. This recall involves Playtex plates and bowls for children. The plates have various printed designs including cars, construction scenes, giraffes, princesses, superheroes and more. The white polypropylene plates and bowls also have a colored rim on top and a non-slip bottom. Playtex is written on the bottom of the plates and bowls. The plates and bowls were sold separately and together as sets. A Mealtime set is comprised of a plate, a bowl, two utensils and a cup.

**Problem:** The clear plastic layer over the graphics can peel or bubble from the surface of the plates and bowls, posing a choking hazard to young children.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled plates and bowls and take them away from young children. Consumers should contact Playtex for a full refund. Consumers can contact Playtex toll-free at 888-220-2075 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or online at [www.playtexproducts.com](http://www.playtexproducts.com) and click on "Recall" for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Playtex-Recalls-Childrens-Plates-and-Bowls#>

**Release Number: (#18-802)** SRAM LLC, of Chicago, Ill., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 7,000 bicycle brakes. This recall involves the Avid SD7 bicycle mechanical rim brake. There is a date code stamped on the back of the brake arm with the date format DDMMYY representing the day, month and year of manufacture. The brakes were sold separately by SRAM and were also installed as original equipment on ElliptiGO model 11R elliptical cycles.

**Problem:** A rivet in the brake assembly can loosen or disengage, resulting in brake failure, posing crash and injury hazards to the rider.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled brakes and contact SRAM to receive free replacement brakes and installation instructions. Consumers can contact SRAM at 800-346-2928 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. ET Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Fridays or online at [www.sram.com](http://www.sram.com) and click on the "Recall Notice" tab for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/SRAM-Recalls-Bicycle-Brakes#>

**Release Number: (#18-804)** Toys “R” Us Inc., of Wayne, N.J., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 29,700 Bruin infant wiggle ball toys. This recall involves Bruin Infant Wiggle Ball toys also called a giggle ball. The blue ball has textured bumps for gripping and has orange, green and yellow rubber knobs around the ball. The ball wiggles, vibrates and plays three different musical tunes. It has an on/off switch and requires 3 AA batteries to operate. The recalled wiggle balls have model number 5F6342E and Toys “R” Us printed on the product.

**Problem:** The wiggle ball’s rubber knobs and plastic back can detach, posing a choking hazard to infants.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled balls, take them away from babies and return them to Babies “R” Us or Toys “R” Us for a full refund. Consumers can contact Toys “R” Us at 800-869-7787 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at [www.toysrus.com](http://www.toysrus.com) and click on Product Recalls for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Toys-R-Us-Recalls-Infant-Wiggle-Balls#>

**Release Number: (#18-807)** Cost Plus Management Services Inc., of Alameda, Calif., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 2,600 Girona outdoor dining chairs. This recall involves Girona outdoor wooden dining chairs with four legs, and a back and seat made of flat woven weather-resistant wicker straps. The chair is sold in two colors: white (SKU/UPC 536034/0000002536034) and grey (SKU/UPC 536033/0000002536033). The SKU and UPC can be found on the UPC ticket attached to the underside of the chair seat.

**Problem:** The seat base can separate from the chair back causing the chair to collapse, posing a fall hazard to consumers.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled chairs and return them to any Cost Plus World Market or World Market store for a full refund. Consumers can contact Cost Plus toll-free at 877-967-5362 from 7 a.m. to midnight ET daily, or online at [www.worldmarket.com](http://www.worldmarket.com) and click on “Product Recalls” for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Cost-Plus-World-Market-Recalls-Girona-Outdoor-Dining-Chairs#>

**Release Number: (#18-809)** Target Corp., of Minneapolis, Minn., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 7,500 Room Essentials leather pour ottomans. This recall includes black, leather pouf ottomans filled with polystyrene beads. They measure about 22 3/16 inches long by 22 3/16 inches wide by 17 11/16 inches high. 'Room Essentials' and model number 249-19-1286 are printed on a white tag which is sewn into the seam of the product. The model number can also be found on the sales receipt.

**Problem:** The zippers on the pouf ottomans can be opened by children who can then suffocate or choke on the pouf's polystyrene beads.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled pouf ottoman, place it out of reach of children and return it to any Target store for a full refund. Consumers can contact Target at 800-440-0680 from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. CT or online at [www.target.com](http://www.target.com) and click on "Recalls" at the bottom of the page, then "Furniture" for more information, or the "Product Recalls" tab on [www.Facebook.com/Target](http://www.Facebook.com/Target).



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Target-Recalls-Leather-Pouf-Ottoman#>

**Release Number: (#18-810)** Herman Miller, Inc., Zeeland, Mich., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 1,600 Eames fiberglass rockers. This recall involves Herman Miller's Eames-branded molded fiberglass armchair rockers with model numbers beginning with RFAR. The rockers were sold in multiple shell colors and frame finishes, and with or without upholstery. The upholstered rockers measure about 25.25 by 25.5 by 27 inches and the non-upholstered about 25 by 25.5 by 27 inches. Recalled rockers were manufactured from May 1, 2013 through September 8, 2017. The manufacture date in MM/DD/YYYY format and the model number are printed on a label located on the underside of the seat. The Herman Miller, the Eames Office and the Eames signature logos are molded into the underside of the seat.

**Problem:** The rocker's base can separate from the seat, posing a fall hazard.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled rockers and contact Herman Miller to return the product free of cost for a full refund. Consumers can contact Herman Miller online at [www.hermanmiller.com](http://www.hermanmiller.com) and click on Recall Information at the bottom of the page, email at [recall\\_info@hermanmiller.com](mailto:recall_info@hermanmiller.com) or toll-free at 866-866-3124 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Herman-Miller-Recalls-Fiberglass-Rocking-Chairs#>

**Release Number: (#18-812)** Kids Preferred LLC, of East Windsor, N.J., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 587,000 wind-up musical toys. This recall involves Carter’s®, Child of Mine®, Guess How Much I Love You® and Just One You® brands of wind-up musical plush toys. The toys have a metal wind-up mechanism that can be turned to play music. They were sold in variety of animal characters and colors. The model number and batch code are printed on the smallest white sewn-in label behind the care label.

**Problem:** The metal post and/or handle of the wind-up mechanism can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled toys, take them away from young children and contact Kids Preferred for a free replacement toy. Consumers can contact Kids Preferred toll-free at 888-968-9268 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at [recall@kidspreferred.com](mailto:recall@kidspreferred.com) or online at [www.kidspreferred.com](http://www.kidspreferred.com) and click on “Product Safety” for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/Kids-Preferred-Recalls-Wind-Up-Musical-Toys#>

**Release Number: (#18-015)** Fisher-Price, of East Aurora, N.Y., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 63,000 soothing motions seats. This recall involves Fisher-Price Soothing Motions Seats with model numbers CMR35, CMR36, CMR37, and DYH22 and Smart Connect Soothing Motions Seats with model number CMR39. The seat bounces, sways, or bounces and sways together. The seat also vibrates, plays 10 songs and nature sounds, and has an overhead mobile. The model number is located on the underside of the motor housing.

**Problem:** The motor housing can overheat, posing a fire hazard.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled Soothing Motions Seats and contact Fisher-Price for a full refund. Consumers can contact Fisher-Price at 800-432-5437 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at [www.service.mattel.com](http://www.service.mattel.com) and click on Recalls & Safety Alerts for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/FisherPrice-Recalls-Infant-Motion-Seats-Due-to-Fire-Hazard#>

**Release Number: (#18-016)** PlanToys Inc., of Union City, Calif., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 500 baby gyms. This recall involves PlanToys baby gyms that are set on the floor for babies. Babies lay under the gym to play with the hanging mobiles. The wooden gyms are tan and have four legs with four different color balls in the middle that are connected by two ropes on the sides. There are two space-themed mobiles hanging from the top bar. The manufacturing date code TH 080116 through TH 082916 is printed on the top corner joint connecting ball.

**Problem:** Babies can strangle on the side rope crossbars on the baby gyms.

**What to do:** Consumers should immediately stop using the baby gyms and contact PlanToys for a free replacement baby gym. Consumers can contact PlanToys toll-free at 866-517-7526 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, email at [Michael@plantoyinc.com](mailto:Michael@plantoyinc.com) or online at [www.PlanToys.com](http://www.PlanToys.com) and click on Safety at the bottom of the page for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2018/PlanToys-Recalls-Baby-Gyms#>