

Crib Hazards



70% of all accidental infant suffocation deaths occur in unsafe sleeping environments...

#1
Bed sharing with babies under 8 mo old has more than doubled in the last 20 years

#2
Room sharing instead of bed sharing can decrease the risk of SIDS by 50%

#4
Suffocation, entrapment, and strangulation are other causes of sleep-related deaths in infants

#3
SIDS is the 4th leading cause of death in infants

#5
Cribs should contain "Nothin' But Baby", but 73% of parents say they place items in the crib with baby

#6
Make sure the crib, bassinet, or pack-&-play you purchase is Consumer Product Safety Commission approved

#7
The SIDS rate has been cut in half since the start of the "Back to Sleep" campaign 20 years ago

...but we can change the numbers!

#8
Tummy sleeping increases the risk of SIDS by 5 times

#9
"Safe sleep" devices like bumpers & wedges have been linked to sleep-related deaths & are not safe to use

#10
www.cpsc.gov contains up-to-date lists of all infant product recalls



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