

New Crib Safety Regulations

Federal law now requires that all wood, metal, and stackable cribs manufactured or sold in the United States comply with the new Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) standards. This applies to all sizes of cribs. Any crib used in a child care program must meet these new standards by December 28, 2012.

Please note that this is a change in federal, not state, law. This federal law requires all child care providers to replace their current cribs with new CPSC compliant cribs by December 28th of this year. A handout with information for Child Care Providers from the Consumer Product Safety Commission regarding the new crib standards was mailed to all providers. Additional information is also available at cpsc.gov/cribs.