

Soft Infant & Toddler Carrier Safety Tips

- When choosing a carrier, purchase from a reputable retailer and look for products with a tracking label (name of manufacturer, location, model name/number).
- Purchase new if possible, rather than secondhand, to ensure the carrier is in working condition and meets latest federal standards.
- Ensure that the carrier fits the wearer (the caregiver) and is adjusted for a comfortable, secure fit before placing an infant in the carrier.
- Caregivers should check buckles, straps, rings and other hardware to make sure no parts are broken.
- Follow all manufacturer's instructions and warnings including appropriate age/weight recommendations.
- Be sure to check for recalls at cpsc.gov/recalls





