

MIHP Biweekly Update

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Infant Footed Pajamas Recall

There has been a recall on a specific type of Carter's fleece footed pajamas due to puncture and laceration hazards. The recalled pajamas are yellow with an all over heart design and a pink animal graphic. They were sold in children's sizes 12M, 18M, and 24M.

- Style number 1O102410 is printed on the front of the care tag sewn on the inside of the pajamas, and the UPC number is printed on the back of the same care tag.
- The UPC numbers included in the recall are 195861313861, 195861313878, and 195861313885.
- The style number and UPC number are also printed on the price tag.

Consumers should immediately take the recalled infant footed fleece pajamas away from children and return them to a Carter's store location for a full refund in the form of a gift card. Consumers can also contact Carter's to request a free return label and envelope to return the pajamas for a refund in the form of an electronic gift card.

See the [full recall notice and related image here](#).

Dockatot Deluxe+ is Unsafe for Sleep

The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) issues DockATot a [notice of violation](#). It is unsafe for babies to sleep in a DockATot Deluxe+; parents should immediately discontinue its use. There are publicly available reports of infant deaths associated with the product, as reported by members of the public. To access them, parents can visit www.saferproducts.gov and type DockATot into the search bar.

DockATot has marketed its Deluxe+ infant product as a sleep product for babies even though it is not safe for sleep. Last year, CPSC issued the [Infant Sleep Products Rule](#) to eliminate products too dangerous for infant sleep from the market. The rule makes it unlawful to sell non-compliant infant sleep products manufactured on or after June 23, 2022. After the rule took effect this year, DockATot was issued a notice of violation, informing the company that its product, when manufactured on, or after, June 23, 2022, violates the Infant Sleep Products Rule.

Learn more about [safe sleep spaces](#) and infant safe sleep at Michigan.gov/SafeSleep.

Infant Product Recalled



Mockingbird [recalls](#) Single-to-Double strollers due to fall hazard. The recall includes only Mockingbird Single-to-Double strollers with a lot number between 20091 and 22602. Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled Single-to-Double strollers and contact Mockingbird to receive a free frame reinforcement kit. Contact Mockingbird:

- Toll-free at 877-274-3240 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST.

- Email recall@hellomockingbird.com.

Online at www.hellomockingbird.com/recall.

Holiday Safe Sleep Reminders

The CPSC joined members of Congress and safety advocates at Chicago Lurie Children's Hospital to raise awareness of safe infant sleep practices; remind adults to keep babies safe, whether at home or traveling, by always creating a safe sleep space; and highlight new laws and regulations aimed at creating a safer marketplace to keep all babies safe. View the [full press release](#) on the event.

Good night. Sleep tight. Sleep safe.

Learn more about the safest way for babies to sleep at michigan.gov/safesleep



COVID-Associated Hospitalizations of Infants

After emergence of the Omicron BA.1 variant in December 2021, hospitalizations among children <5 years, who were ineligible for vaccination, increased more rapidly than did those in other age groups.

Maternal completion of a 2-dose primary mRNA COVID-19 vaccination series during pregnancy has been estimated to be 52% effective against COVID-19 hospitalization among infants aged <6 months.

To help protect pregnant people and infants too young to be vaccinated, prevention should focus on ensuring that pregnant women stay up to date on COVID-19 vaccines (including receiving a bivalent booster dose) and implementing nonpharmaceutical interventions for COVID-19 prevention and newborn care. [See full CDC report here.](#)

COVID-19 and Pregnancy

Michigan has participated in the CDC COVID-19 Pregnancy and Neonate Surveillance Project since March 2020. The purpose of this project is to identify people diagnosed with COVID-19 during pregnancy and follow them during pregnancy to identify disparities and better understand how COVID-19 affects pregnant people and their infants. In 2020, 1,288 pregnant people diagnosed with COVID-19 during pregnancy were identified for this cohort and included in this analysis.

[Please click here to read the full analysis.](#)

Listeria Outbreak Linked to Enoki Mushrooms

Listeria is especially harmful if you are pregnant, aged 65 or older, or have a weakened immune system. If you are in any of these groups, do not eat raw enoki mushrooms. Cook enoki mushrooms thoroughly to kill any foodborne germs.

Investigators are working to identify specific brands of enoki mushrooms that may be contaminated with the outbreak strain of Listeria. However, many brands of enoki mushrooms have been recalled since the 2020 Listeria outbreak linked to enoki mushrooms.

See the [full CDC notice here](#).

Count the Kicks

Count the Kicks® was created by five Iowa mothers who had lost infants to stillbirth or infant death. They formed a nonprofit organization, Healthy Birth Day, Inc., which is dedicated to preventing stillbirths. In 2008, they started the Count the Kicks® project with the goal to make kick counting a common practice in the third trimester.

Count the Kicks® is an evidence-based stillbirth prevention campaign that provides educational resources to healthcare providers and expectant parents. These materials were created based on public health research in Norway ([Read Norway Research](#)) that demonstrated a 30% reduction in stillbirth by teaching pregnant people how to monitor fetal movement during the third trimester of pregnancy by doing kick counts on a daily basis.

[Count the Kicks®](#) provides promotional materials and a cell phone application (watch to [Learn about the app](#)). MIHP agencies can order promotional materials at [Store - Count the Kicks®](#). The application can be downloaded at [Download the App - Count the Kicks](#).

In a related story, Indianapolis Colts player Ryan Kelly and his wife joined Count the Kicks® after experiencing the tragedy of losing a baby. Click on the link below to read an article in the IndyStar and watch a moving video.

[Kellys Want to Help Others With the Pain of Losing a Baby](#)



New Study Shows Benefits of Flu Vaccination During Pregnancy

A [new study](#) shows that pregnant women who got a flu vaccine during pregnancy had a lower risk of certain negative birth outcomes, including fetal death. Flu vaccine coverage among pregnant people in the U.S. has fallen in the past two seasons, leaving more pregnant women at risk from flu. For pregnant people who have not yet received their flu vaccine, it is not too late! For flu vaccine locations, visit www.vaccines.gov and www.michigan.gov/flu.

MDHHS Virtual Baby Fair

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) is hosting a free virtual baby fair for new and expecting parents and are looking for your help to spread the word! Families will learn about available resources, important health and safety information, and have an opportunity to ask experts questions.

The following MDHHS programs are participating in this event:

- Newborn Screening
- Michigan BioTrust for Health
- Infant Safe Sleep
- Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)
- Immunizations
- Early Hearing Detection Intervention
- Birth Defects Education and Outreach
- Breastfeeding Support
- Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program
- Vital Records

- Michigan Home Visiting Initiative
- Maternal Infant Health Program
- Children's Special Healthcare Services
- Eat Safe Fish
- Unintentional Injury Prevention
- Oral Health Program

There are three options for this event:

- Tuesday, December 6, 2022 from 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- Monday December 12, 2022 from 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- Wednesday, December 14, 2022 from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

To register for one of these sessions, please visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/virtual-baby-fair-tickers-446197848777>.

We encourage you to share this information with any group or person who may be interested in attending. For questions related to this event, please contact Kristen Thompson at thompsonk23@michigan.gov.

Upcoming State of Michigan (SOM) Holidays

November

24th and 25th SOM Holiday Thanksgiving Break

December

23rd and 26th SOM Holiday Christmas Break
30th and Jan 2nd SOM Holiday New Year Break



Previously Released MIHP Updates

To review any previously released MIHP Weekly Updates, they can be found by [visiting the MIHP webpage Michigan.gov/MIHP](http://Michigan.gov/MIHP).

Bi-Weekly Update Topic Submission

If you have suggestions for topics to be addressed in future additions of the MIHP Weekly Update, [please submit your ideas here](#).

MDHHS Publications

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Our communication for the Maternal Infant Health Program has been streamlined to a single email address and phone number. Please forward all email to MIHP@michigan.gov. For further assistance, contact the state office @ **1-833-MI4-MIHP (1-833-644-6447)**. Thank you.