

# **Child Passenger Safety Checklist**

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Child Present O Unborn O Yes O No	CHILD NUMBER TWO	
		Days Height Weight/lbs
Seat Checked Before? <b>O</b> Yes <b>O</b> No		Month(s) Year(s)
Child First Name	-0	
	Child Birth Date DOB (MM/DD/YYYY)	
ON ARRIVAL	FINDINGS Yes No N/A	<b>22. CSS MFG:</b> O Same as 4,5,6 (Mark - Go to 25)
1. Child/CSS location in vehicle	7. CSS history known O O	O Baby Trend O Britax
<b>D O O</b> front row O Other seating location Explain:	8. CSS involved in a crash OOO	O Chicco O Combi
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	10. CSS expired OOO	O Harmony O Magna/Clek
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O Uninstalled	13. CSS Harness correct OOO	O Learning Curve/Tomy
O Seatbelt	14. Recline Angle correct O O O	O Dorel (Cosco, Eddie Bauer, Safety 1st, Maxi Cosi)
O Tether		O Other
O Lower anchors	15. Lower anchors correct OOO	23. Model Number:
3. Restraint type:	16. Tether correct OOO	
O RF only w/o baseO RF only w/ baseO Base onlyO RF convertible	17. Seatbelt correct OOO	24. Mfg Date (MM/DD/YYYY):
O FF w/ harness O BP Booster	ON DEPARTURE	
O Lap/Shoulder O Lap only	18. Child/CSS location in vehicle	
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O Car bed O Vest		26. CSS/Vehicle Compatible O Yes O No
4. CSS MFG:	O O O 3rd row	27. Education materials given <b>O</b> Yes <b>O</b> No
O Baby Trend O Britax		Technician discussed: (Select all that apply)
O Chicco O Combi	19.CSS installed using(select all that apply)	28. O Airbags
O Evenflo O Graco	O No CSS O Integrated Seat	29. O Unused seatbelt
O Harmony O Magna/Clek	O Uninstalled (Mark - Go to 25)	30. O Projectiles
O Orbit O Peg Perego	O Seatbelt	<ul> <li>31. O Unattended children in or around cars</li> <li>32. O Next steps</li> </ul>
O Recaro O Diono/Sunshine Kids	O Tether	
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	O FF w/ harness O BP Booster	
6. Mfg Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	O Lap/Shoulder O Lap only	
	O Car bed O Vest	
Tech Last Name	Tech Number	
		COALITION #
	Senior Checker Tech Number	
Senior Checker Last Name		
		O EVENT O INSPECTION STATION

## QUICK REFERENCE

### Direction

Babies less than 2 should ride in a rear-facing position to protect the spine and neck. Babies who have outgrown the infant only child restraint (CR) should switch to a convertible CR and use it rear-facing up to the highest height or weight (usually 30-45 pounds) permitted by the manufacturer. At a minimum, children MUST be age 1 and 20 pounds before facing forward. CR selection may be limited by what fits in the vehicle. Location

All children under age 13 should ride in a back seat. If a child must ride in the front seat, then the child with a full harness CR or properly adjusted shoulder belt, seated in the correct forward facing and upright position, should sit there. Move the vehicle seat back as far away from the airbag as possible. For older children sitting in safety belts next to side airbags, remind them to sit straight up and avoid resting their heads on a window or structural pillar of the vehicle.

### Harness

Rear-facing CR harness straps should pass through the slots at or below the child's shoulders. The forward facing CR harness straps should pass through the slots at or above the child's shoulders. Read CR instructions. Use all CRs until the upper height or weight limits are met. A child is too large for the CR when the shoulders are above the top FF harness slots, the child's head is within 1 inch of the top of the rear facing CR or he exceeds CR weight or height limits. Harness straps must lay flat on the chest and over the hips. Harness straps must pass the "pinch" test: when the buckled straps are pinched at the shoulder, there should be no slack or extra webbing. The harness retainer clip must sit at the child's armpit level, and the straps must be threaded properly through the clip.

Belt-Positioning Booster (BPB) Seats Use all BPBs with vehicle lap/shoulder safety belts. Check BPB instructions for use with switchable shoulder belts. Special products, such as vests and Y harnesses used with a booster base, must be used according to manufacturer's instructions and the vehicle owner's manual. Many children will be between 8-12 years before the safety belt alone fits properly. Use a BPB until that time.

### Installation

**Installation Fully read the vehicle and CR manufacturer's instructions.** In most cases use either LATCH or safety belts, not both together. There are a few BPB that use both lower anchors for the BPB and a seat belt for the child. Never install a rear-facing CR in front of an airbag. Even if the passenger sensing system or airbag switch has turned off the right front passenger frontal airbag, no system is fail-safe. Secure rear-facing CRs in a back seat. Follow manufacturer's instructions. Safety belts must pass through the CR exactly where and how the manufacturer directs. CRs must not move more than 1 inch side to side or front to back when grasped at the belt path. LATCH anchors are used only if both the vehicle and the CR are equipped. Check vehicle manual to identify designated LATCH and tether locations. Always use the top tether as directed by the manufacturer and the vehicle owner's manual. Tethers are never attached to the lower anchor bars. Use tethers on a rear-facing CR only if the manufacturer so directs. Vehicles made after 1996 meet federal safety belt lockability requirements; no locking clip should be needed. Test vehicle safety belts to be sure they are locked at either the retractor or latchplate. Tethers may be used in some vehicles to 40 or 48 pounds (weight of child) and in others to 60 pounds (weight of child plus CR). Heavier children who ride in a harnessed CR require special arrangements. Check with the vehicle manufacturer. Treat unused safety belts as you would any other cords. They are not toys and can be hazardous if used for any purpose other than restraint.

### Child Ready for Safety Belt

With the child's back and bottom against vehicle seat back, the knees should bend naturally at vehicle seat edge. When the safety belt is buckled, the lap belt fits low on the highs, touching the thighs, and the shoulder belt rests between neck and shoulder on the collarbone. Never place the shoulder belt under arms or behind backs. Optimally, the child's feet should touch the floor.

### Other

Remind caregivers to NEVER LEAVE A CHILD ALONE IN A CAR. The CR is not a babysitter. Children should not spend excessive amounts of time in a CR when outside of a vehicle.

### This list is not exhaustive and should not be relied upon in place of the NHTSA standardized curriculum.

