



JPMA Supplemental Mattress Position Statement

The Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association (JPMA) advises parents and caregivers using play yards to always follow the instructions of the manufacturer and to always use the mattress provided by the manufacturer for the product. Gaps between a mattress that is too small or too thick become immediate suffocation risks. The mattresses provided by the manufacturer are made specifically for the play yard they are sold with to ensure a baby's safety.

JPMA not only represents the interests of the North American juvenile products industry but also works as an advocate for all product safety on behalf of consumers. JPMA recognizes that some of our members do manufacture supplemental mattresses; therefore JPMA is actively working with the voluntary standards setting process to determine the best and next course of action for this product category.

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