Raising Safe Kids One Stage at a Time

Babies (0-12 months)



• PREVENTING FALLS

Secure furniture to the wall.

• PREVENTING MOTOR VEHICLE INJURIES

Use a rear-facing car seat in a back seat of your car until your baby is at least age 1 and 20 lbs. Switch to a rear-facing convertible seat with higher weight and height limits. Toddlers under age 2 are safer riding rear-facing, if the seat allows it.

PREVENTING BURNS AND SCALDS

Don't hold your baby while cooking or carrying hot foods and liquids.

PREVENTING POISONINGS

Lock up medicines, household cleaners, poisons and dangerous items out of your baby's sight and reach.



IF YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY, **ALWAYS CALL 911.**

For more details on the topics above and other ways to keep your children safe, visit

New York State Safe Kids at www.safekidsnystate.org.









