Cribs For Kids Referral Form

Email to: safesleepky@ky.gov

Today's Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Baby's Birth/Due Date: _____ / _____ / _____
(If an induction is scheduled for sooner, please give that date)

Parent/Caregiver Information

Relationship to Infant: ☐Mother ☐Father ☐Grandparent ☐Foster Parent ☐Other _____

Name (First, Middle Initial, Last): _____

Parent/Caregiver's Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____ Best Contact Number:_____

Alternate Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Street Address (no P.O. Boxes): _____ Apt #: _____

City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Kentucky County of Residence: _____

Primary Language Spoken: ☐English ☐Spanish ☐Other (Please State) _____

Ethnicity: ☐Hispanic ☐Not Hispanic

Health Insurance: ☐CHIP ☐Medicaid ☐None ☐Private/Other ☐Unknown

Race: ☐White ☐Black ☐Asian/Pacific Islander ☐American Indian/Alaska Native ☐Biracial/multiracial

☐Other _____

Referring Source

Name: _____ Agency: _____

Address (no P.O. Boxes): _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____ Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Please give the best email for corresponding with the referring agent or their proxy.

Comments:

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Kentucky Safe Sleep Program Enrollment and In-Service Form

Parent/Caregiver Name: _____

Mother's Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____ Baby's Birth/Due Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Street Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

	Initials of Referring Agents	Initials of Mother
SIDS – What is it? Leading cause of death among infants: most SIDS deaths happen mostly between 2-4 months of age, premature infants, and a higher rate among African Americans.		
Leading SIDS risk factors: 1. Stomach sleep; 2. Maternal smoking; 3. Infant exposure to smoke; 4. Lack of prenatal care; 5. Premature/low birth weight babies, less than 5 lbs. 8 oz.; 6. Soft, fluffy bedding; 7. Bed-sharing		
Lowering the danger of SIDS (Preventions)		
#1 and the best – **Place infants on their backs to sleep.** Problems with stomach sleep: 1. under-developed muscles to support sufficient breaths when lying on the stomach; 2. mouth and nose trapped in soft or loose bedding or soft, fluffy toys; 3. carbon dioxide exchange; 4. overheating; 5. apnea – pauses in breathing, 6. roll-over/suffocation.		
Smoke-free environment. Don't smoke around your baby. Don't take your baby around others who smoke. Anyone holding your baby should be wearing smoke-free clothing. Second-hand smoke has cyanide and other poisons. Babies in smoke-free homes have fewer colds and infections.		
Closeness. Keep your sleeping baby nearby but in a separate safe bassinet/crib or Pack-N-Play. Be sure you can hear her/him if she/he cries or is in distress.		
Bedding. Only use a firm mattress with a tightly fitted crib sheet. Do not put your baby to sleep on or around soft or fluffy things, such as a pillow, quilt, waterbed, soft or loose bedding or stuffed animals		
Temperature. Make sure your baby is warm, but not too hot. Keep the room at a temperature that is comfortable for an adult and use light sleepwear for the baby.		
Doctor visits. Take your baby in for regular checkups. Any time your baby is sick or has trouble breathing (panting or grunting), take her/him to the doctor or clinic.		
Unsafe beds – No sleeping on sofas, recliners, waterbeds, bean bags, air mattresses, soft mattresses, nursing pillows, or adult beds. Babies can get trapped and unable to breathe in places such as cracks between sofa cushions, an adult mattress and headboards or footboards, loose bedding such as bedspreads and comforters, soft areas such as waterbeds and bean bags. Babies can roll off sofas, recliners, and adult beds.		
Bed-Sharing – Do not bed-share. Another child or an adult can easily roll too close to your sleeping infant or your infant might roll too close to the child/adult and cause their air passages to be blocked. Tired, worn-out, or medicated adults are dangerous sleeping partners even on a couch or in a recliner with baby.		
Tummy Time – Do not forget it! Do it while your infant is awake and being watched. Tummy time strengthens the chest, back, neck, and arm muscles. It prevents a flat spot on the back of your baby's head.		
Childcare Away from Home requires the same precautions as at home – Check It Out! Be sure your baby is sleeping safely. Take your crib with your baby. Always let others know these rules.		
Comments		

I have received and understand the information presented to me on SIDS prevention, Back to Sleep and Bed-sharing. I have asked questions about anything I do not understand and have had my questions answered.

_____ _____ _____

Crib Recipient Signature *Referring Agent Signature* *Date*

_____ _____

Print Name of Crib Recipient *Referring Agency*

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Scan the QR code for video instructions on how to properly assemble the Cribette™

Hold Harmless Agreement

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Recipient of Crib

The Department is not responsible for the use or manufacture of these products.

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