

SAFE K:DS MID-SOUTH

THE FACTS

Falls can result in severe injuries. Follow these tips to help prevent a tragedy.

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FALLS SAFETY

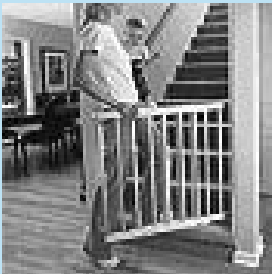
SAFETY TIPS

- Keep chairs, cribs and other furniture away from windows.
- Never leave a baby alone on a changing table, couch or other furniture.
- Always keep one hand on the baby while changing diapers.
- Always strap baby into a high chair, swing, changing table, stroller or shopping cart.
- Use stationary playcenters – Do not use the kind with wheels.
- Remove hazards in the home like loose floor rugs, electric wires or cords on the floor.
- Light the stairway and keep clutter-free.
- Use playgrounds or playing fields with rubber, mulch or sandy surfaces. Grass and dirt are not as good at preventing serious injuries. Avoid asphalt.

GET THE GEAR!

FEATURED ITEM - SAFETY GATES

- Use at the top and bottom of stairs. The slats should not be more than 3 inches apart.
- Where to find – Baby stores, discount stores
- Prices begin at \$15.00



Use Safety Gates