

**LOG OF MEETING
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SUBJECT: Meeting of the ASTM Soft Infant Carriers Leg Openings (SITC) Task Group Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: 7 August 2019

PLACE OF MEETING: Virtual (teleconference)

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Hope Nesteruk (ESMC)

COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Hope Nesteruk (ESMC) and Maxwell Sanborn (LSM)

NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Contact ASTM for attendee list.

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

The task group discussed the leg opening test, in particular, how the test should be modified for hip carry, back carry, and for carriers that are intended for older children. After discussion, consensus was that the task group should develop a larger test cone to be used for carriers intended to toddlers. There was some discussion about whether such a carrier should still be tested with the smaller, newborn test cone. Some task group members expressed concern that caregivers may “size up” so a child will grow into a carrier, before they would use a carrier that was too small for the child, so the task group tentatively was considering leaving in the smaller test cone for all carriers.