

MEETING LOG

SUBJECT: ASTM F15.21 Infant and Cradle Swings Hazard Headings Task Group

FY 24 OP PLAN ENTRY: Infant Swings

DATE OF MEETING: 02/05/2024, 2:00 pm, ET

LOCATION OF MEETING: Virtual

CPSC STAFF FILING MEETING LOG: Carlos Torres (ESMC)

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CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Carlos Torres (ESMC), Celestine Kish (ESHF) **NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S):** Contact ASTM for the full attendee list.

Summary of Meeting:

This Task Group (TG) meeting was to discuss a discrepancy of the location of the warning statement "this product is not safe for sleep" which is different in the infant swing standard from other similar juvenile products (e.g., bouncers, rockers). Currently, the warning "this product is not safe for sleep" is under the Fall and Strangulation hazard heading in the swing standard, whereas it is under the Suffocation hazard heading in the bouncers and rockers standards. The group discussed moving the warning statement from the Fall and Strangulation heading to the Suffocation hazard heading. One concern raised was that the Suffocation hazard category is only required for certain product designs, so moving the "this product is not safe for sleep" warning statement under the Suffocation heading would not make it required for those other product designs. The group agreed to move the statement under the suffocation heading, however, make the Suffocation hazard category required for all product designs. Additional warning statements would then be added to the Suffocation hazard heading depending on their design.

Another topic of discussion was whether the first word of one bullet in the warning statements should be in bold letters, similar to all of the other first words. Neither CPSC staff nor the members had a preference.

The TG Lead will clean up the proposal and present it to the CPSC staff and subcommittee for feedback.