

CPSC Approved Amendments to Safety Standard for non-full-size baby cribs (16 CFR 1220)

On March 6, 2023, The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) published direct final rule on the mandatory safety standard for non-full-size baby cribs 16 CFR 1220. According to this amendment, 16 CFR Part 1220 will now reference ASTM F406-22, Standard Consumer Safety Performance Specification for non-full-size baby cribs as mandatory with no modifications. The new rule will be effective on 3 June, 2023 .

ABOUT ASTM F406-22

On November 23, 2022, American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) approved a revised version, ASTM F406-22, which was published in November 2022. This specification covers a framed enclosure with a floor made for the purpose of providing sleeping or playing accommodations, or both, for a child who cannot climb out and is less than 35 in. (890 mm) in height. It also covers bassinet, changing table, or similar accessories to a non-full size crib/play yard. This specification does not cover inflatable products.

Compared with ASTM F406-19, the main revisions of ASTM F406-22 as follows:

No.	UPDATE POINTS	AMENDMENTS
1	Extension of application scope	Revises the phrase “sleeping and playing accommodations” to “sleeping or playing accommodations, or both.”
2	Revises length of Cords/Straps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The cord length limit now applies to the whole of in-scope products and not just to the attachment of accessories. b. Modified two cords/straps conjunction with the product form loops of test method. c. Clarifies and improves the test method in section 8.24.1 to measure the free-hanging length of single cords/straps. d. The update also adds that any hardware attached to the cords/straps, such as buckles, should be included in the length measurement. if multiple cords/straps attach to the product in the same location, they should be treated as separate and measured individually.

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