



Infant Safe Sleep Environment Resource List by County and Jurisdiction

In partnership with local health departments, the Maryland Department of Health has compiled a list of resources by Maryland county and jurisdiction available for parents or legal guardians to obtain the items necessary to provide a safe sleep environment for infants. The development of this list is required by [HB177](#) - Hospitals - Care of Infants After Discharge (Safe Sleep Act of 2024). The resource list is updated annually. For questions, please contact mdh.mchb@maryland.gov.

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Allegany County

Allegany County Health Department - Surveillance and Quality Improvement (SQI) Program

Address: 12501 Willowbrook Road

Cumberland, MD 21502

Phone Number: (301) 759-5079

Email Address: heather.deurr@maryland.gov

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/allegany/Pages/Home.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting: In-Person, Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility: Pregnant/postpartum parent

Languages Spoken: English

Allegany County Health Department - Healthy Families America (HFA) Allegany County

Address: 12501 Willowbrook Road

Cumberland, MD 21502

Phone Number: (301) 759-5244

Email Address: angela.ellsworth@maryland.gov

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/allegany/Pages/Home.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Participant in HFA Home Visiting

Languages Spoken: English

Allegany County Health Department - Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program

Address: 12501 Willowbrook Road

Cumberland, MD 21502

Phone Number: (301) 759-5020

Email Address: tricia.evix@maryland.gov

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/allegany/Pages/Home.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Safe sleep education handout and State of Maryland safe sleep card

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Pregnant/postpartum participants

Languages Spoken: English

Allegany County Health Department - Administrative Care Coordination Unit (ACCU)

Address: 12501 Willowbrook Road

Cumberland, MD 21502

Phone Number: (301) 759-5094

Email Address: gail.kenner@maryland.gov

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/allegany/Pages/Home.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-Person, Phone

Resources Provided: ACCU mails safe sleep education flyers to families that are contacted via referral Maryland Prenatal Risk Assessments/ Maryland Postpartum Risk Assessments.

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Prenatal/postpartum parents

Languages Spoken: English

UPMC Western Maryland Hospital

Address: 12500 Willowbrook Road

Cumberland, MD 21502

Phone Number: (240) 964-6415

Email Address: ironsar@upmc.edu

Website: <https://www.upmc.com/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person

Resources Provided: The hospital participates in the Maryland safe sleep campaign education. The hospital also can provide a postpartum family with a pack-n-play if they do not have a safe sleep environment at home.

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Postpartum parents

Languages Spoken: English

Anne Arundel County

Healthy Start Anne Arundel County Department of Health

Address: 6701 Baymeadow Drive

Glen Burnie, MD 21060

Phone Number: (410) 222-7177

Email Address: hdjone00@aacounty.org

Website: <https://www.aahealth.org/family-health>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must meet Healthy Start enrollment criteria

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Additional Information: We also provide fitted crib sheets, sleep sacks, pacifiers, safe sleep books in English and Spanish, and room thermometers. We provide safe sleep rack cards including Healthy Babies Resources, Safe Sleep for Babies, Calming Your Baby, Home Safety, Second Hand Smoke, Child's Car Seat Safety, and Things Your Baby Wants You To Know About Marijuana.

Baltimore City

HealthCare Access Maryland (Safe Sleep Program)

Address: 1 N Charles Street

Baltimore, MD 21201

Phone Number: (410) 649-0500

Email Address: safesleepcrib@hcamaryland.org

Website: <https://redcap.baltimorehealth.info/surveys/?s=TY3RXTLMT3>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email, Website

Resources Provided: Portable pack n play delivered to home, safe sleep education, Medicaid education and home visiting and other referrals

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Baltimore City residents with limited financial means, with no ability to provide a safe sleep environment for their child, 36 weeks gestation or later, child under 8 months of age and <25 lbs.

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, other languages served via Language Link

Healthcare Access Maryland (Care Coordination)

Address: 1 N Charles Street

Baltimore, MD 21201

Phone Number: (410) 649-0500

Email Address: hcamccpreferrals@hcamaryland.org

Website: <https://www.healthcareaccessmaryland.org/our-programs/care-coordination/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Online referral form

(<https://redcap.baltimorehealth.info/surveys/?s=3PAH3AJ74F>)

Resources Provided: Access to free home visiting programs that provide all enrolled clients with a crib if needed, free transportation to doctors' appointments for pregnant and postpartum mothers through MCO incentives, general care coordination services for Medicaid recipients, MCO case management

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Any Baltimore City resident, Medicaid coverage or no health insurance

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, Access to Language Link for other languages

Department of Social Services Family Preservation Services

Address: 1910 N Broadway

Baltimore, MD 21213

Phone Number: (443) 378-4600

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone

Resources Provided: Cribs and cash assistance

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must be in financial need; must be a Baltimore City resident

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Baltimore Healthy Start

Address: 610 North Chester Street
Baltimore, MD 21205

Phone Number: (410) 675-2125

Email Address: <https://baltimorehealthystart.org/about-us/contact/>

Website: <https://baltimorehealthystart.org>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone

Resources Provided: Cribs/bassinets

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Clients of Healthy Start Home Visiting program or residents living in catchment area, must be pregnant or have a child under 18 months of age

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Sharebaby

Address: 1792 Union Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21211

Phone Number: (667) 212-3455

Email Address: info@sharebaby.org

Website: <https://www.sharebaby.org/need-diapers>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Website

Resources Provided: Free diapers through partner agencies

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must have a child between age 0-5, must be a client of one of the following programs on this list; individuals can then receive diapers from the partner agency

Languages Spoken: English

Baltimore County**Baltimore County Department of Health, Maternal Child Health**

Address: 6401 York Road, 3rd Floor
Baltimore County, MD 21212

Phone Number: (410) 887-0249

Email Address: maternalchildhealth@baltimorecountymd.gov

Website: <https://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/departments/health/health-services/children>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email, Website

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Baltimore County resident, Medicaid eligibility or equivalent, agree to participate in programming, limited availability as supplies last

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean

Calvert County

Calvert County Health Department

Address: 975 Solomons Island Rd N

Prince Frederick, MD 20678

Phone Number: (410) 535-5400 ext 400

Email Address: keri-jo.bobo@maryland.gov

Website: <https://www.calverthealth.org>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/playpens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Those who receive Medicaid, WIC, or SNAP

Languages Spoken: English (for Spanish, please call Claudia Zarate: (410) 535-5400 ext. 483 or cell: (443) 771-5941)

Caroline County

Caroline County Department of Emergency Services

Address: 9391 Double Hills Road

Denton, MD 21629

Phone Number: (410) 479-4161

Email Address: kjmarvel@carolinemd.org

Website: <https://www.carolinemd.org>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email

Resources Provided: Provide education to expectant and new mothers on safe sleep. We work with the Health Department to determine needs for safe sleep items; we have safe sleep demo props, signage, and literature. We focus on community outreach programs to talk about safe sleep. We partner with the Health Department with community needs for pack and play.

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Expectant and new mothers

Languages Spoken: English

Caroline County Health Department: Babies Born Healthy

Address: 403 South 7th Street

Denton, MD 21620

Phone Number: (410) 479-8185

Email Address: jennifer.knapp@maryland.gov

Website: <https://www.carolinehd.org>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Participant with Babies Born Healthy Program or as emergent need arises

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, all languages interpretation available through language line

Federalsburg Judy Center Early Learning Hub

Address: 323 South University Avenue

Federalsburg, MD 21632

Phone Number: (410) 479-3050

Email Address: harding.heather@ccpsstaff.org

Website: <https://www.carolineschools.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Cribs (We can provide cribs with a mattress, fitted sheet and sleep sack. We have purchased smaller cribs for families in apartments or homeless situations when possible.)

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Family with a child 0-5 years of age that lives in the attendance area of Federalsburg Elementary School or a family with a child(ren) 0-5 that lives in Caroline County experiencing homelessness or family with a child 0-5 years living in Caroline County with an active IFSP/IEP

Languages Spoken: English, but we have a contract with a community partner to provide interpretation and translation for other languages

Greensboro Judy Center Early Learning Hub

Address: 625 North Main Street

Greensboro, MD 21639

Phone Number: (410) 479-3856

Email Address: goddard.audrianna@ccpsstaff.org

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61551483486324>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email, Website

Resources Provided: Cribs

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Live in the Greensboro School district attendance area with a child 0-5 years of age, or live in Caroline County with a child 0-5 years of age with an active IFSP or IEP through Infants and Toddlers, or reside in Caroline County identifying as homeless with a child 0-5 years of age

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish via language line

Additional Information: Additional resources provided (to encourage a safe sleep environment): Crib mattress, fitted crib sheets, sleep sacks, educational materials, bedtime books

Carroll County

Carroll County Health Department

Address: 290 South Center Street

Westminster, MD 21157

Phone Number: (410) 876-4984

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/carroll/Pages/Safe-Sleep.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Low-income residents who have no safe-sleep environment

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean, Other

Carroll Hospital Center

Address: 200 Memorial Avenue

Westminster, MD 21157

Phone Number: (410) 848-3000

Website: <https://www.lifebridgehealth.org/birthplace-at-carroll>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Low-income residents who have no safe-sleep environment

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean, Other

Carroll County Department of Social Services

Address: 1232 Tech Court

Westminster, MD 21157

Phone Number: (410) 386-3434

Email Address: dlcarrolldept_dhr@maryland.gov

Website: <https://dhs.maryland.gov/local-offices/carroll-county/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person

Resources Provided: Sleep sacks

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Current families that are involved with DSS (Child Protection, Substance Exposed Newborns, Foster Care and In-Home Family Services)

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean, Other

Cecil County

Healthy Families Cecil County at Cecil County Health Department

Address: 401 Bow Street

Elkton, MD 21921

Phone Number: (410) 996-5168

Email Address: healthyfamilies.cecilcounty@maryland.gov

Website: <https://cecilcountyhealth.org/services/health-promotion/healthy-families/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email, Website

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Pregnant women and families with newborns who live in Cecil County and receive a positive referral screening. There are no income, education, or employment restrictions for Healthy Families Cecil County.

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Cecil County Health Department - Child Fatality Review Board Coordinator

Address: 401 Bow Street

Elkton, MD 21921

Phone Number: (410) 996-5168

Email Address: tina.bell@maryland.gov

Website: <https://cecilcountyhealth.org>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Sleep sacks

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Anyone who is pregnant or has an infant under 6 months old

Languages Spoken: English

Charles County

Charles County Department of Health

Address: 4545 Crain Highway

White Plains, MD 20695

Phone Number: (301) 609-6898

Email Address: edith.kratzer@maryland.gov

Website: <https://www.charlescountyhealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Participate in the Babies Born Healthy Program or attend a Babies Born Healthy Event (Baby shower, Safe Sleep Event)

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Dorchester County

Dorchester County Health Department

Address: 3 Cedar Street

Cambridge, MD 21613

Phone Number: (410) 228-3223

Website: <https://dorchesterhealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens, sleep sacks

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Dorchester County residents

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, Other

Additional Information: We have multiple programs that offer safe sleep education materials, sleep cushions, safe sleep books, pack n plays, etc., to the residents of Dorchester County

Frederick County

Frederick County Health Department

Address: 350 Montevue Lane

Frederick, MD 21702

Phone Number: (301) 600-3326

Email Address: rhayes@frederickcountymd.gov

Website: <https://health.frederickcountymd.gov/292/Special-Delivery-Program>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must reside in Frederick County, must enroll in our Special Delivery program, must indicate they have no other safe sleep environment

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Additional Information: We are able to provide portable cribs/pack n plays on a very limited basis. We can provide roughly 15-20 per fiscal year.

Garrett County

Early Care Programs- Surveillance and Quality Improvement (SQI) Child Fatality Review/ Child Injury Prevention at Garrett County Health Department

Address: 1025 Memorial Drive

Oakland, MD 21550

Phone Number: (301) 334-7720

Email Address: lacy.coffren@maryland.gov

Website: <https://garrettthealth.org/safe-sleep-program/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must be a Garrett County resident

Languages Spoken: English

Harford County

Harford County Health Department

Address: 120 South Hays Street

Bel Air, MD 21014

Phone Number: (443) 252-1489

Email Address: Zill.raval@maryland.gov

Website: <https://harfordcountyhealth.com/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email

Resources Provided: Bassinets

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Medicaid or cannot afford insurance

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Howard County

Howard County Health Department - Cribs for Kids

Address: 8930 Stanford Blvd

Columbia, MD 21045

Phone Number: (410) 313-6109

Email Address: tlongo@howardcountymd.gov

Website: <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/health/injury-prevention-programs>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email, Website

Resources Provided: Provide a portable crib, crib sheet, and educational materials to participants who complete the online training

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must have completed referral and complete an online training

Languages Spoken: English

Kent County

Kent County Health Department

Address: 125 South Lynchburg Street
Chestertown, MD 21620

Phone Number: (410) 778-1350

Email Address: ashley.knapp@maryland.gov

Website: <https://kenthd.org/>

Resources Provided: Strollers, diapers, wipes, safety gates, plug protectors, car seats

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-Person, Phone, Email, Website

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Contact Kent County Health Department to check for eligibility

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Montgomery County

UpCounty Service Consolidation Hub

Address: 12900 Middlebrook Rd, First Floor
Germantown, MD 20874

Phone Number: (240) 912-1077

Email Address: info@theupcountyhub.org

Website: <https://www.theupcountyhub.org/contact>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Cribs

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Montgomery County resident with infant 3 months or younger

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French

Twinbrook Service Consolidation Hub at Interfaith Works

Address: Broome School, 751 Twinbrook Pkwy # 8
Rockville, MD 20851

Phone Number: (301) 424-3796

Email Address: hubcoordinator@iworksmc.org

Website: <https://www.iworksmc.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Cribs

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Montgomery County resident with infant 3 months or younger

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, Chinese

Prince George's County

Prince George's County Health Department

Address: 3003 Hospital Drive

Cheverly, MD 20745

Phone Number: (301) 583-3384

Email Address: knnewman@co.pg.md.us

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Pack-n-play portable bassinet/play pens, crib sheets, sleep sacks

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Those who do not have a safe place for the baby to sleep (bassinet, crib, pack-n-play) and unable to purchase one.

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Queen Anne's County

Mid-Shore Healthy Families

Queen Anne's County Department of Health

Address: 206 North Commerce Street

Centreville, MD 21617

Phone Number: (443) 262-4464

Email Address: nicole.chase-powell1@maryland.gov

Website: <https://health.maryland.gov/qahealth/Pages/qacдох-home.aspx>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Live in Queen Anne's County, baby needs to be enrolled by 3 months

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Somerset County

Somerset County Health Department

Address: 8928 Sign Post Road, Suite 2

Westover, MD 21871

Phone Number: (443) 523-1700

Email Address: mindy.hood@maryland.gov

Website: <https://somersethealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens, sleep sacks

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Somerset County residents

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

St. Mary's County

St. Mary's County Health Department

Address: PO Box 316, 21580 Peabody Street
Leonardtown, MD 20650

Phone Number: (301) 475-4330

Email Address: smchd.healthdept@maryland.gov

Website: <https://smchd.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Live in St. Mary's County, medical assistance eligible, caregiver of infant less than 6 months old

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Talbot County

Talbot County Health Department Maternal and Child Health

Address: 510 Cadmus Lane
Easton, MD 21601

Phone Number: (410) 819-5600

Email Address: talbot.health@maryland.gov

Website: <https://talbothealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone

Resources Provided: Pack and plays, sleep sacks, fitted crib sheets, information/education on safe sleep

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must reside in Talbot County and have financial need (i.e., Medicaid)

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Washington County

Meritus Medical Center

Address: 11116 Medical Campus Road
Hagerstown, MD 21742

Phone Number: (301) 790-8000

Email Address: Jessica.Griffith@meritushealth.com

Website: <https://www.meritushealth.com/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/playpens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Income-based

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish

Washington County Health Department**Address:** 1302 Pennsylvania Avenue

Hagerstown, MD 21740

Phone Number: (240) 313-3200**Email Address:** Lindsay.Ridenour@maryland.gov**Website:** <https://washcohealth.org/>**Preferred Method of Requesting Resources:** In-person, Phone, Email**Resources Provided:** Portable Cribs/play pens**Eligibility to Receive Resources:** Must be a resident of Washington County**Languages Spoken:** English**Wicomico County****Wicomico County Department of Social Services****Address:** 201 Baptist Street, Suite 27

Salisbury, MD 21801-4966

Phone Number: (410) 713-3910**Email Address:** wicodss@maryland.gov**Website:** <https://dhs.maryland.gov/local-offices/wicomico-county/>**Preferred Method of Requesting Resources:** Email**Resources Provided:** Portable Cribs/play pens**Eligibility to Receive Resources:** Need-based only**Languages Spoken:** English**Additional Information:** Agency also distributes Safe Sleep Pledge cards; Agency has purchased 2 Safe Sleep Simulation Kits**Wicomico County Health Department****Address:** 300 West Carroll Street

Salisbury, MD 21801

Phone Number: (410) 543-6942**Email Address:** april.webster@maryland.gov**Resources Provided:** Portable Cribs/play pens**Preferred Method of Requesting Resources:** Phone, Email**Eligibility to Receive Resources:** Wicomico County residents, Medicaid eligible, participate in a home visiting program**Languages Spoken:** English, Spanish, Haitian-Creole, Other**Additional Information:** Safe Sleep classes, sleep sacks and crib sheets are available as well (as long as funding allows)

Worcester County

Worcester County Department of Social Services

Address: 299 Commerce Street

Snow Hill, MD 21863

Phone Number: (410) 677-6800

Email Address: worcester.dss@maryland.gov

Website: <https://dhs.maryland.gov/local-offices/worcester-county/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Worcester County residents

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean

Worcester County Health Department - Early Care Program

Address: 6040 Public Landing Road

Snow Hill, MD 21863

Phone Number: (410) 632-1100 x1126

Email Address: jacqueline.kozari@maryland.gov

Website: <https://www.worcesterhealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: Phone, Email

Resources Provided: Extensive safe sleep education and essential safe sleep items including cribs and portable cribs

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Must be a Worcester County resident and either on Medicaid or uninsured

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean

Worcester County Health Department - Sweet Baby Program/Recovery Support Program

Address: 6040 Public Landing Road

Snow Hill, MD 21863

Phone Number: (410) 632-1100

Email Address: worcester.health@maryland.gov

Website: <https://www.worcesterhealth.org/>

Preferred Method of Requesting Resources: In-person, Phone

Resources Provided: Portable Cribs/play pens

Eligibility to Receive Resources: Worcester County residents only, insurance potentially accepted on a case-by case basis

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Haitian-Creole, Arabic, Chinese, Korean