

# INSPECTOR RESOURCE INFORMATION

## Child Safety Seat Manufacturer Hotlines:

Britax	888-427-4829	Evenflo/Gerry	800-543-8954
Graco/Century	800-837-4044	Fisher-Price	800-432-5437
Cosco	800-544-1108	Kolcraft/Playskool	800-453-7673

## Tether Anchor Retro-Fitting Information:

For DaimlerChrysler vehicles please refer to Technical Service Bulletin (TSB) 233599 Revision A for payment of anchor installation at no additional charge to the customer.

For non-DaimlerChrysler vehicles, please refer customer to their vehicle's auto manufacturer.

## State Highway Safety Offices:

The governors' highway safety representatives manage each state's highway safety program and serve as a liaison between their governors and the highway safety community. These professionals and their staffs are great resources on all highway safety issues, including child passenger safety. Please contact your state's representative to get information on how to acquire resources or be involved in child passenger safety events in your community.

**Alabama: 334-242-8672**

**Kentucky: 502-695-6213**

**North Dakota: 701-328-4865**

**Alaska: 907-465-4374**

**Louisiana: 225-925-6991**

**Ohio: 614-466-3250**

**Arizona: 602-255-3216**

**Maine: 207-626-3840**

**Oklahoma: 405-425-2424**

**Arkansas: 501-618-8356**

**Maryland: 410-787-5824**

**Oregon: 503-986-4192**

**California: 916-262-0990**

**Massachusetts: 617-727-7775**

**Pennsylvania: 717-787-7350**

**Colorado: 303-757-9799**

**Michigan: 517-333-5301**

**Rhode Island: 401-222-5156**

**Connecticut: 860-594-2363**

**Minnesota: 651-296-9507**

**South Carolina: 803-896-9950**

**Delaware: 302-744-2745**

**Mississippi: 601-987-3775**

**South Dakota: 605-773-3178**

**D.C.: 202-671-0492**

**Missouri: 573-751-4622**

**Tennessee: 615-741-7590**

**Florida: 850-488-5455**

**Montana: 406-444-7301**

**Texas: 512-416-3167**

**Georgia: 404-565-6996**

**Nebraska: 402-471-2515**

**Utah: 801-293-2481**

**Hawaii: 808-587-2150**

**Nevada: 775-684-4559**

**Vermont: 802-241-5501**

**Idaho: 208-334-8557**

**New Hampshire: 603-271-2131**

**Virginia: 804-367-8140**

**Illinois: 217-782-4972**

**New Jersey: 609-633-9300**

**Washington: 360-753-6197**

**Indiana: 317-232-4220**

**New Mexico: 505-827-5134**

**West Virginia: 304-558-6080**

**Iowa: 515-281-3907**

**New York: 518-474-5111**

**Wisconsin: 608-266-0402**

**Kansas: 785-296-3756**

**North Carolina: 919-733-3083**

**Wyoming: 307-777-4450**

# **Child Safety Seat Inspection Form**

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**6. SEAT CAME IN REAR-FACING**

Note: A child should be rear facing until **at least one year of age AND at least 20 lbs.** If a child is less than one year and over 20 lbs., then a seat with greater weight limits in the rear-facing position should be used. Keep child rear facing as long as possible.

Type of Vehicle System Used:  Lap Only  Lap/Shoulder  LATCH

Type of Retractor:  ALR  Switchable  ELR

Seat in Front of Air Bag  Yes  No

Child Within Mfg.'s Recommended Weight/Height Range  Yes  No

Seat Facing Appropriate Direction  Yes  No

Seat Reclined no more than 45 degrees  Yes  No

Harness Straps at or Below Shoulders  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Straps Snug (one finger test)  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip Present (if required in instructions)  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip Threaded Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip at Armpit Level  Yes  No  N/A

After Market Products Used  Yes  No

Carry Handle in Proper Position  Yes  No  N/A

Safety Belt Routed Correctly  Yes  No

Safety Belt/LATCH Holding Seat Tightly in Vehicle (one inch test)  Yes  No

LATCH Used Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

Safety Belt in Locked Mode How?  Switched/ALR Retractor  Locking Clip  Latch Plate

Locking Clip Installed Correctly (if used)  Yes  No  N/A

Tether Used (Not Recommended for most RF Seats)  Yes  No

Rear Facing Tether Used Correctly  Yes  No

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**7. SEAT CAME IN FORWARD-FACING**

Note: A child should be over one year of age and **at least 20 lbs.**

Type of Vehicle System Used:  Lap Only  Lap/Shoulder  LATCH

Type of Retractor:  ALR  Switchable  ELR

Type of Seat:  5 PT - Harness  T - Shield  Tray Shield  Integrated

Child Within Mfg.'s Recommended Weight/Height Range  Yes  No

Seat Facing Appropriate Direction  Yes  No

Seat Upright  Yes  No

Harness Straps at or Above Shoulders (Reinforced Position)  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Straps Snug (one finger test)  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip Present (if required in instructions)  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip Threaded Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

Harness Retainer Clip at Armpit Level  Yes  No  N/A

After Market Products Used  Yes  No

Safety Belt Routed Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

Safety Belt/LATCH Holding Seat Tightly in Vehicle (one inch test)  Yes  No

LATCH Used Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

Safety Belt in Locked Mode How?  Switched/ALR Retractor  Locking Clip  Latch Plate

Locking Clip Installed Correctly (if used)  Yes  No  N/A

Upper Tether Present on Child Seat  Yes  No

Tether Used  Yes  No  N/A

Tether Used Correctly  Yes  No  N/A

**Proceed to Section 9**

**8. CAME IN USING BOOSTER SEAT**

Note: A child should be at least 40 lbs. before graduating into a booster seat.

Belt Positioning Booster:

No Back (Booster Base)  High Back (No Harness)

Shield Booster (Not to be used for children over 40 lbs., best practice any child under 40 lbs. should be in FF child seat)

Type of Vehicle System Used:  Lap Only  Lap/Shoulder

Type of Retractor:  ALR  Switchable  ELR

Child Within Mfg.'s Recommended Weight/Height Range  Yes  No

Safety Belt Routed Correctly Around Child  Yes  No

Lap/Shoulder Belt Fits Child Properly [Belt Positioning Booster Only]  Yes  No  N/A

After Market Belt Positioning Products Used  Yes  No

Safety Belt in Locked Mode [Shield Only] How?  Switched/ALR Retractor  Locking Clip  Latch Plate

Shield Snug Against Child  Yes  No  N/A

Safety Belt Holding Seat Tightly in Vehicle (one inch test) [Shield Only]  Yes  No  N/A

Locking Clip Installed Correctly (if used)[Shield Only]  Yes  No  N/A

**Proceed to Section 9**

**INSPECTOR MUST FILL OUT THIS SECTION**

**9. SAFETY SEAT INFORMATION (As the seat came in)**

Type of seat:  Infant  Convertible  Forward Facing Only  Booster  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Make of seat:  Century  Graco  Evenflo  Cosco  Britax  Fisher-Price  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Seat \_\_\_\_\_

Model Number 

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Date of Manufacture 

MM		DD		YY		

Meets FMVSS 213:  No  Yes  Do Not Know

Seat Involved in Crash:  No  Yes  Do Not Know

Recalled:  Yes  No  Unknown

Original Owner of Child Safety Seat:  No  Yes

Seat Installed:  With Child Present  Without Child Present

Passenger Air Bag Present:  No  Yes

Disabled or On/Off Switch in Off Position:  No  Yes

**10. RECOMMENDATIONS**

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**D** = Driver

- Mark with an **X** the position where seat or child came into inspection
- Mark with an **L** the position where seat or child left inspection

Seat came in installed and used correctly

Seat came in installed but not used correctly

Seat came in uninstalled

Child came in with no seat

Loaner/new seat provided  Yes  No

Convertible  Booster

Tether anchor installed  Yes  No

Tether strap present  Yes  No

Recommended purchase new seat  Yes  No

Note: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand and accept the recommendations made by the child safety seat inspector. I was the last person to install the child safety seat in my vehicle and I was the last person to place my child in the restraint system.

Driver's Signature \_\_\_\_\_