

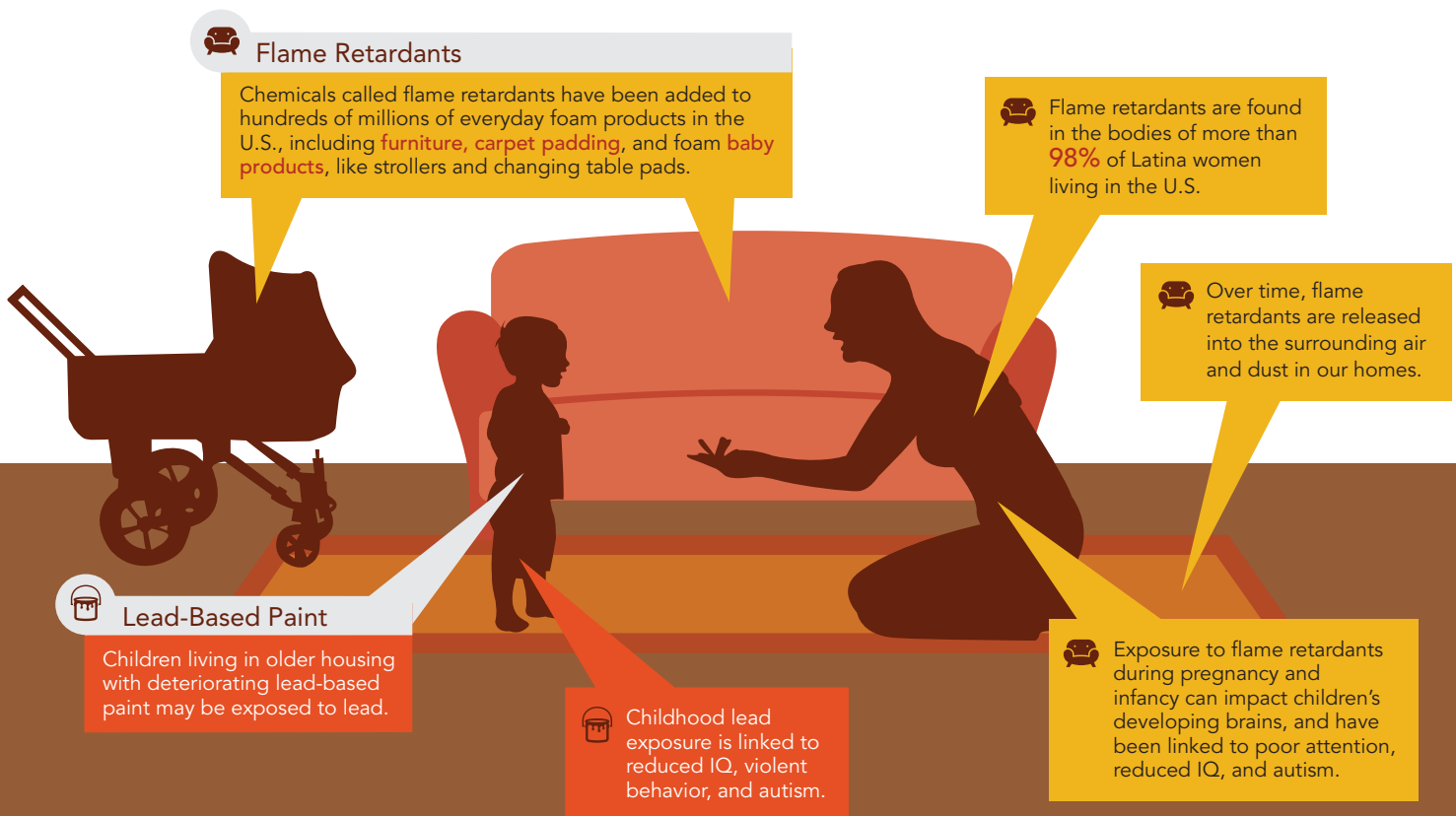
# HEALTH & TOXIC CHEMICALS

IN THE LATINO COMMUNITY

Our indoor environment can affect our health. Toxic chemicals like lead and flame retardants are commonly found in U.S. homes thanks to a 40-year-old chemical safety law that provides no checks on chemicals before they wind up in common household products. Exposure to toxic chemicals like lead and flame retardants can affect children's developing brains, leading to behavioral and cognitive problems.

## TOXIC CHEMICALS IN YOUR HOME CAN AFFECT YOUR CHILD'S DEVELOPING BRAIN

1 in 9 Latino children in the U.S. have behavior or learning problems, including autism and ADHD.



Today, tens of thousands of chemicals are used in every day products without being proven safe.

### PROTECT YOUR FAMILY FROM FLAME RETARDANTS

Look for the new flame retardant-free label

Repair or replace torn furniture to cover exposed foam

Vacuum with HEPA filters or clean with a damp cloth to remove household dust

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