Lead-Based Paint

Flame Retardants

Chemicals called flame retardants have been added to hundreds of millions of everyday foam products in the U.S., including furniture, carpet padding, and foam baby products, like strollers and changing table pads.

Flame retardants are found in the bodies of more than 98% of Latina women living in the U.S.

Over time, flame retardants are released into the surrounding air and dust in our homes.

Exposure to flame retardants during pregnancy and infancy can impact children's developing brains, and have been linked to poor attention, reduced IQ, and autism.

Children living in older housing with deteriorating lead-based paint may be exposed to lead.

Childhood lead exposure is linked to reduced IQ, violent behavior, and autism.

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

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

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