



May your Christmas be as cheery,
bright, and joyful as you make us.
Thank you for being the most
important part of who we are.

Safe Kids Columbus

CHRISTMAS IS COMING Let's Keep our Kids Safe



1. **Manage your tree:** Keep real trees hydrated to prevent fire risks. Ensure artificial trees are fire-retardant. Keep stands stable and decorations balanced.
2. **Keep flames away:** Never leave kids alone with candles, matches, or heat sources.
3. **Supervise decorations:** Secure decor and keep small items out of children's reach to avoid choking hazards.
4. **Avoid toxic plants:** Keep mistletoe, holly berries, and poinsettias away from kids.
5. **Practice electrical safety:** Use power strips with breakers, avoid outlet overloads, cover unused outlets, and choose UL-certified lights.
6. **Choose safe toys:** Ensure toys are age-appropriate and batteries are secure. Avoid hazardous gifts under the tree.
7. **Bundle up with gear:** Dress kids warmly and ensure they use safety equipment for outdoor activities.

SERVICES

safekidscolumbusga.org

Car Seat Class: includes a new car seat for eligible parents.

Requires Program Application:

[CLASSES & SERVICES \(safekidscolumbusga.org\)](http://CLASSES & SERVICES (safekidscolumbusga.org))

Upcoming dates:

Dec 10 • Jan 21 • Feb 18

Safe Sleep Class: includes a new portable crib for eligible parents.

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**SAFE
K:IDS
COLUMBUS**

**Piedmont
COLUMBUS REGIONAL**

Preventing Childhood Injuries at home, at play & on the way.

Aflac

Kiwanis
CLUB OF COLUMBUS, GA

Growing Room
CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

Rivertown
PEDIATRICS

**UGHSTON
CLINIC**
Research • Education • Treatment

**JACK
UGHSTON
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**

**Georgia
Power**

Academy
SPORTS • OUTDOORS



HOLIDAY TRAVEL SAFETY

This ThingLink will remind you how to be safe during this holiday season while traveling near and far. Remember to watch out for distracted drivers in busy parking lots, use designated drivers when out drinking, don't text and drive and always buckle up.

Click on the Safe Kids Logo



Looking for a [Holiday Travel Safety Checklist](#) - Click on the snowman to download





CAR SEAT
CHECKUPS



ULTIMATE CAR
SEAT GUIDE



LATEST
RECALLS




BE A WATER
WATCHER



SAFE INFANT
SLEEP



PARENT PEP TALK
PODCAST

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		3 Safe Sleep Online Class			NICU Celebration Piedmont Columbus	7 Breakfast with Santa Click Here
		10 Car Seat Online Class				
				Winter Wonderland Event FREE Helmets For KIDS!		
			 25 Merry Christmas			
				Click the Christmas Tree for more tips on Holiday Safety		





Safe Kids Columbus and Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown Celebrated National Injury Prevention Day by lighting up the campus. Shining the light on preventing injuries.

