



## IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

This notice applies to Combi USA BabyRide Infant Car Seats

**NHTSA Recall 21C-001**

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Dear BabyRide Customers and Distributors,

Combi USA has decided that BabyRide Infant Car Seats fail to conform to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 571.213 – Standard No. 213; Child Restraint Systems. We are publishing this recall notice to advise owners of the BabyRide car seats of a repair kit being made available to address the nonconformity.

Combi USA has been advised that your organization has purchased and distributed Combi USA BabyRide Infant Car Seats that are the subject of this recall notice. We are sending you this notice to advise you of the nonconformance that has been identified and to request your assistance in communicating the recall to your clients. See below:

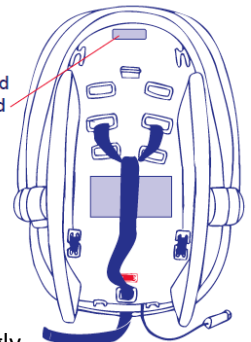
- We request your assistance in communicating with owners of the BabyRide by posting the enclosed recall notice in your office, NICU, and/or pediatric department.
- We also request that you notify those families that you have the contact information for of the recall.
- If you still have BabyRide Infant Car Seats in your possession, please be advised that it is a violation of Federal law to deliver any new or used equipment covered by this notification until the noncompliance is remedied. Contact Combi USA to receive a repair kit for each car seat in your possession.

### **Baby Ride Infant Car Seats affected:**

**Model No.:** 378099

**Car Seats Affected:** All Combi USA BabyRide Infant Car Seats with a “Manufactured in” date Between 2016/May/01 and 2019/August/31

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### **Description of the non-compliance:**

Combi USA has determined that the 1-inch-wide webbing strap used in the center front adjuster to snugly adjust the shoulder harness straps onto the child is below the minimum initial breaking strength requirements as specified in FMVSS 213. The webbing could fail to properly restrain the occupant in the event of a vehicle crash.

Combi USA urges parents to continue using the BabyRide Infant Car Seat after inspecting the 1-inch-wide strap for any fraying or wear and check for proper locking of the harness adjuster after the harness is snugly adjusted. Parents can continue to use the BabyRide Infant Car Seat until the replacement 1-inch-wide webbing has been received and installed.

### **Remedy of the nonconformity:**

Combi USA is voluntarily providing a replacement 1-inch-wide center front adjuster strap and instructions to replace the strap free of charge. If you still have BabyRide Infant Car Seats at your organization, please contact us for a repair kit. Owners of a BabyRide Infant Car Seat may contact Combi USA to request a repair kit by sending their name, address, phone number (optional), and model number and date of manufacture of the car seat by e-mail to: [customerservice@combiusa.com](mailto:customerservice@combiusa.com), by U.S. mail to: Combi USA C/O DECA Consulting, Inc, 3215 Greenwich Road, Wadsworth, OH 44281, or by logging onto our website at [www.combiusa.com](http://www.combiusa.com) and clicking on “Safety Notifications” at the top of the page to provide the information requested above.

Combi will start shipping the replacement strap and instructions beginning in January 2022.

If you have any questions or need assistance, you may contact Combi USA by e-mail at [customerservice@combiusa.com](mailto:customerservice@combiusa.com).

**Thank you! Combi USA Customer Service Team**

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