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# SIMPLE STEPS TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY DVD

## BASIC COMPREHENSION TEST

### REAR-FACING CAR SEATS

1. Keep your child rear-facing as long as possible, until they are at least 1 year old AND at least \_\_\_\_\_ pounds.
2. When your child is rear-facing, the harness should be in the slots \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) at or ABOVE your child's shoulders.
  - b) at or BELOW your child's shoulders.
3. Rear-facing car seats should recline at a \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_ degree angle (from the vehicle's seat back, straight up being zero degrees).
4. True or False: For a safer installation, use both the seatbelt, AND the lower anchors and lower strap (of the LATCH system) at the same time.
5. True or False: Place the chest clip at your child's armpit level while riding rear-facing.
9. Add a locking clip (to both the lap and shoulder belt) if \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) the latch plate locks
  - b) the retractor locks
  - c) neither the latch plate nor the retractor lock
10. Tighten the harness, \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) until you can fit one hand between the harness and your child
  - b) until it is snug, and you cannot pinch any slack

### BOOSTER SEATS

11. Your child should ride in a booster seat until they are about \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches tall.
12. If your vehicle's back seat is a bench seat (that is flat across the top), your child should use a:
  - a) highback booster
  - b) backless booster
  - c) both (a) and (b) are safe
13. If your vehicle's back seat has a built-in head support, your child should use a:
  - a) highback booster
  - b) backless booster
  - c) both (a) and (b) are safe
14. A booster seat must be used with
  - a) the lap belt only
  - b) both the lap AND shoulder belt
  - c) (a) and (b) are safe
15. True or False: A 5-year old weighing 50 pounds does not need a booster seat (and can ride with an adult seatbelt without a booster seat).

### FORWARD-FACING CAR SEATS

6. True or False: An 11-month old baby, weighing 24 pounds, should ride forward-facing.
7. When your child is forward-facing, the harness should be in the slots \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) at or ABOVE your child's shoulders
  - b) at or BELOW your child's shoulders
8. A "tightly" installed car seat should move less than \_\_\_\_\_ inch(es). Check for tightness at the seatbelt path.

Answers: 1. 20, 2. B, 3. 30-45, 4. False, 5. True, 6. False, 7. A, 8. I, 9. C, 10. B, 11. 4'9", 12. A, 13. C, 14. B, 15. False