HealthReach Community Health Centers



December is Safe Toys and Gifts Month

- In 2010 there were over 250,000 toy-related injuries

When Buying Gifts for Small Children...

Beware of toys that:

- Shoot projectiles
- Have sharp edges or points
- Have small parts
- Have strings or straps longer than 7 inches
- Are old hand-me-downs (may contain lead in the paint)

Safe gifts ideas:

- Sturdy toys that won't break easily
- Buy protective wear along with sports gear
- Toys that passed safety inspection



Resource: https://www.healthtradition.com/december-is-safe-toys-and-gifts-month/

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