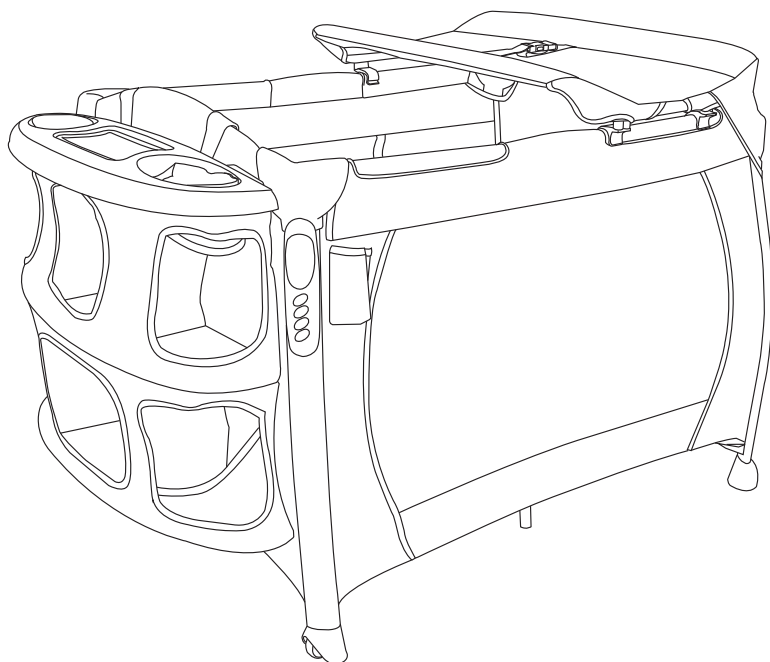




# Room Playard Instruction Manual 73X Series





# WARNINGS

**Read all instructions BEFORE assembly and USE of product.  
KEEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE.**

- Failure to follow these warnings and the instructions could result in serious injury or death.
- The product, including side rails, must be fully erected prior to use. Make sure latches are secure.
- Always provide the supervision necessary for the continued safety of your child. When used for playing, never leave child unattended.
- This product requires adult assembly. Be sure the playard is set-up completely and properly before use.
- ALWAYS check that each of the four top rails are locked on both sides, the center of the floor is pushed down and the mattress is secured by attaching each of the Velcro® straps to the underside of the playard floor before placing child inside the playard.
- NEVER use the playard without the mattress securely in place.
- When child is able to pull to standing position, remove bumper pads, large toys, and other objects that could serve as steps for climbing out.
- Discontinue use of the product when child is able to climb out or reaches the height of 35 in. (890mm).
- Maximum weight allowed in parent organizer is 9 lbs.
- Do not use any attachments or items not included in this instruction manual with this playard.
- DO NOT leave child in product with side lowered. Be sure side is in raised and locked position whenever child is in product.
- To reduce the risk of SIDS, pediatricians recommend healthy infants be placed on their back to sleep, unless otherwise advised by your physician.
- NEVER LEAVE INFANT IN PRODUCT WITH SIDES DOWN. Infant may roll into space between pad and loose mesh side causing suffocation.
- AVOID SUFFOCATION. NEVER use a different sized mattress in this playard as this may result in suffocation. The mattress on this product is specially designed and sized to meet safety standards.
- AVOID SUFFOCATION. DO NOT use a water mattress with this product.
- Infants can suffocate:
  - In gaps between a mattress too small or too thick and product sides
  - On soft bedding. NEVER add a mattress, pillow, comforter, or padding. Use only the mattress pad provided by Joovy.
- AVOID SUFFOCATION. Use ONLY the mattress provided with this product. NEVER add pillows, comforters or other items not recommended by Joovy with this item as suffocation may occur.
- AVOID STRANGULATION. DO NOT place product near a window where cords from blinds or drapes can strangle a child.
- Strings can cause strangulation! DO NOT place items with a string around a child's neck such as hood strings or pacifier cord. DO NOT suspend strings over product or attach strings to toys.

- Child can become entrapped and die when improvised netting or covers are placed on top of product. Never add such items to confine child in product.
- Prevent possible strangulation or entanglement. Never use the playard sheet unless it fits securely on the playard mattress.
- POSSIBLE PINCHING HAZARD. When setting up the playard, use caution to avoid pinching your fingers on the top corners. Keep children away from the playard during set-up.
- Never use plastic bags or other plastic film as mattress covers not sold and intended for that purpose. They can cause suffocation.
- If refinishing, use a nontoxic finish specified for juvenile products.
- Discard all packaging materials properly. Do not allow children to play with them.
- IMPORTANT! Check this product for damaged hardware, loose joints, missing parts, or sharp edges before assembly and periodically during use. DO NOT use if any parts are missing, damaged, or broken. Contact Joovy at (877) 456-5049 for replacement parts and instructions if needed. Never substitute parts.
- Discontinue use of the playard should it malfunction or become damaged.

**Please do not return this product to the store**

If you experience any difficulty with the assembly or use of this product, or if you have a question regarding these instructions, please contact our Customer Service Department at (877) 456-5049 between the hours of 8:30 am and 5:00 pm Central Time.

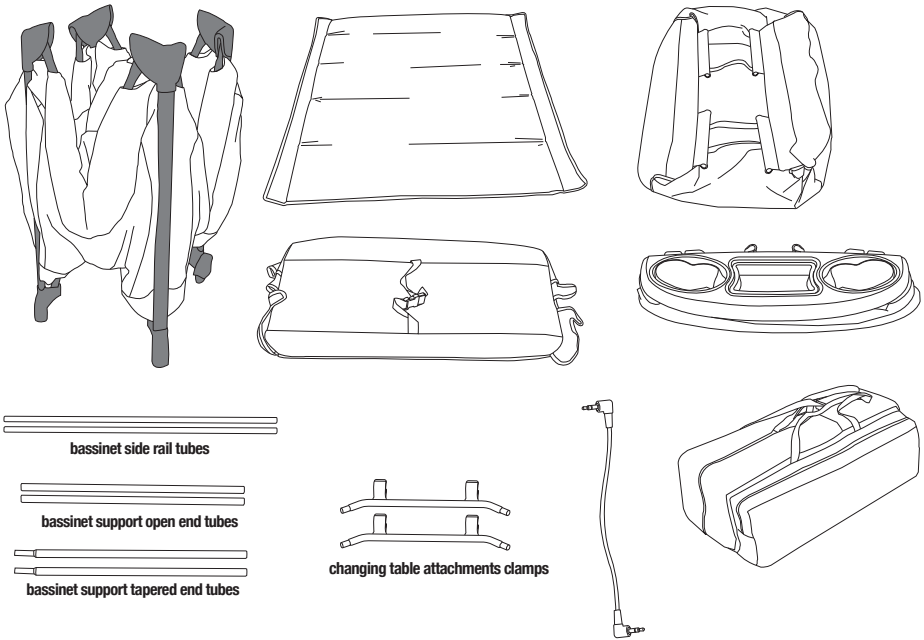
**Please Note: Styles and colors may vary.**

# Assembling and Using your Playard

**⚠ To ensure safe operation of your playard, please follow these instructions carefully.**

## Unpacking the Product

- Carefully remove playard and all parts from the box and plastic bag.
- Remove any cardboard packing materials.
- Identify the parts [playard, mattress, bassinet attachment, bassinet support open end tube (2), bassinet support tapered end tube (2), bassinet side rail tube (2), MP3 cord, parent organizer, changing table, changing table attachment clamps (2), travel bag, and mattress sheet (not pictured)] with the pictures in Figure 1.
- Remove all plastic or packing materials from any areas of the product.
- Discard all packing materials properly. Do not allow children to play with them.



**Figure 1**

## **⚠ CAUTION**

**Adult assembly is required for this product. Tools Required:  
Phillips head screwdriver.**

## Assembling the Playard

- Orient the playard so it is resting on the feet and wheels.
- DO NOT push the center floor down yet.
- With the center of the playard up, pull upward on each side rail until it locks into position. You will hear the rails lock into place. See Figure 2.  
NOTE: There is ONE mechanism that locks BOTH pieces of tubing on EACH side rail. See Figure 3.
- Make sure that the top rails have become rigid. If they haven't, pull up again until they are rigid. You may need to pull the center of the floor higher.
- Once you have locked the side rails in the up position, go back and check each side rail again to be sure they are all locked into position.
- Hold one side of the playard up and push down the center of the floor. See Figure 4.
- Set the mattress inside the playard with the soft side up. NOTE: If you wish to use the mattress sheet, please reference the section for attaching the sheet before proceeding.
- Locate the Velcro® straps near the corners of the mattress.
- Slide the straps through the two slots in the floor of the playard and secure them to the underside of the playard. See Figure 5. Repeat this step on the other three corners.

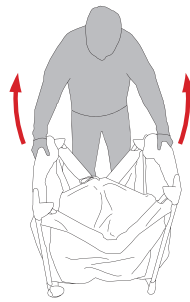


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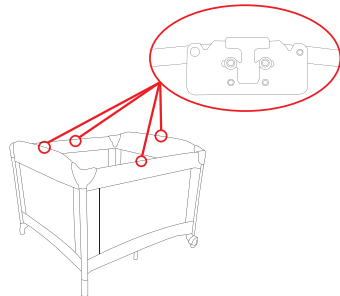


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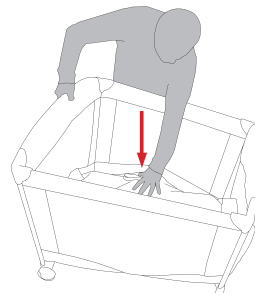


Figure 4

## **WARNING**

Be careful not to pinch your fingers on the top corners during assembly.

**ALWAYS** ensure that all side rails are locked into position before using this product.

**ALWAYS** secure the mattress to the playard floor with the Velcro® straps.

**NEVER** use items not recommended by Joovy with this product.

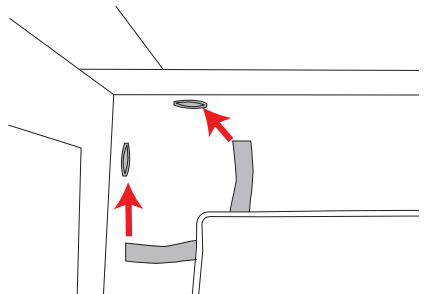


Figure 5

## Attaching/Removing the Mattress Sheet

NOTE: This product comes complete with a custom fit mattress sheet. To use the sheet with your playard, please follow the instructions below.

Before attaching the mattress to the playard, simply fit the sheet over the mattress with the corners in place. Then, feed the Velcro® straps through the slots in the sheet so they are exposed and then through the slots on the playard floor. Slide a strap through the slot in the floor of the playard and secure it to the underside of the playard as detailed in Figure 5. Repeat this step on the other three corners.

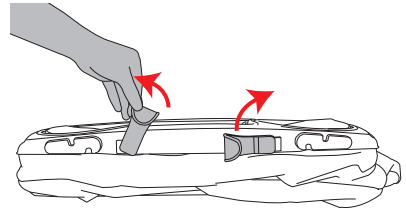
To remove the mattress sheet, detach the Velcro® straps and feed the straps through the slots in the sheet. Then, simply pull the sheet off of the mattress.

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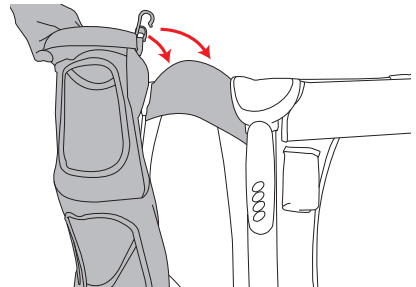
**Prevent possible strangulation or entanglement.  
Never use playard sheet unless it fits securely on the  
playard mattress.**

## Attaching the Parent Organizer

- Orient the organizer with the plastic tray facing upward.
- Locate the hooks located near the rear center of the tray and rotate each hook until it is facing upward. See Figure 6.
- Attach the hooks securely over the narrow side of the playard closest to the electronic unit. See Figure 7. NOTE: If desired, the organizer will attach on either narrow side of the playard.
- If necessary, the stabilizer bars should be rotated to the horizontal inward position to stabilize the organizer against the side of the playard. See Figure 8.



**Figure 6**



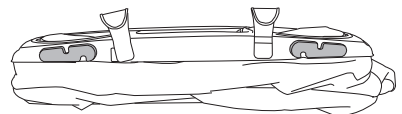
**Figure 7**

## **WARNING**

**Keep objects inside Parent  
Organizer out of child's reach.**

**Discontinue use and remove this  
accessory when child is able to  
pull himself up in the playard.**

**Maximum weight allowed in parent  
organizer is 9 lbs.**



**Figure 8**

## Operation of the Electronic Unit

- Use a Phillips head screwdriver to turn the screw and remove the door from the unit. See Figure 9.  
NOTE: The screw is designed to remain attached to the door.
- Insert (2) new AA batteries (not included) as shown inside the compartment and screw the door into place.
- Press the ON/OFF button to turn the unit on.
- All of the functions are equipped with an auto-off timer. When a function is pressed one time a single beep is heard and the function will automatically turn off after five minutes. When that function is pressed again, two beeps will be heard and the function will automatically turn off after ten minutes. When that function is pressed a third time, three beeps will be heard and the function will turn off after twenty minutes. When that function is pressed a fourth time, the function will immediately turn off.
- To transition from sleep time music to playtime music or vice-versa at any time, simply press the desired function button.
- The ON/OFF button can be pressed at any time during use to turn off all functions.
- To use the unit as an MP3 player, plug the supplied wire into the MP3 unit with the electronic unit turned on and use the controls on the MP3 to control the function. Note: There is a pocket on the side of the unit to store the MP3. This pocket has an opening on the side for the supplied wire.
- NOTE: The nightlight has only one brightness setting. The audio has only one volume setting.
- NOTE: When the MP3 cord is plugged into the electronic unit, the speaker is bypassed and no audio will be heard.

## **WARNINGS FOR SAFE BATTERY USE**

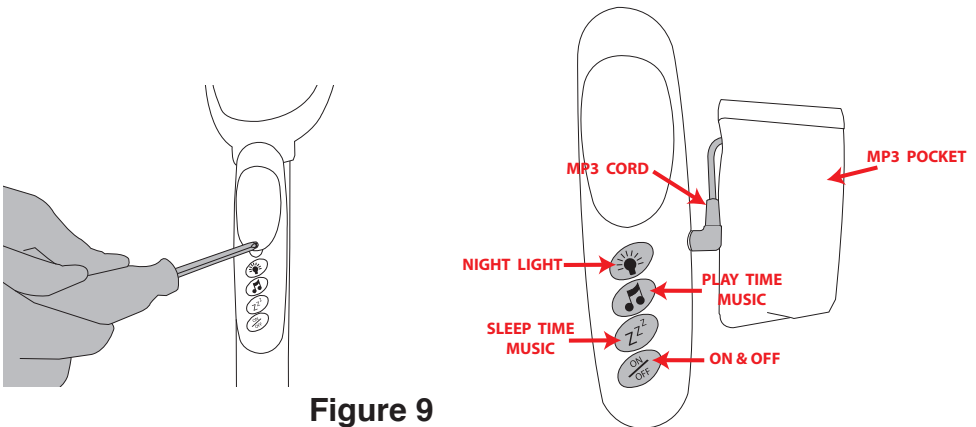
- **ALWAYS** keep batteries away from children.
- **Any battery may leak if mixed with a different battery type, installed incorrectly or if all batteries are not replaced or recharged at the same time. Never mix old and new batteries. Never mix battery types such as alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) or rechargeable (nickel cadmium).**
- **Any battery may leak or explode if discarded or if an attempt is made to charge a battery not intended to be recharged.**
- **Discard leaky batteries immediately to avoid skin burns or other personal injury. Discard batteries properly according to local regulations.**
- **ALWAYS** remove batteries if you do not intend to use the product for an extended period of time. Batteries left in the unit may leak and cause damage.
- **Alkaline disposable batteries are recommended. Never mix battery types. Change batteries when unit no longer functions properly.**

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

**Warning:** Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.



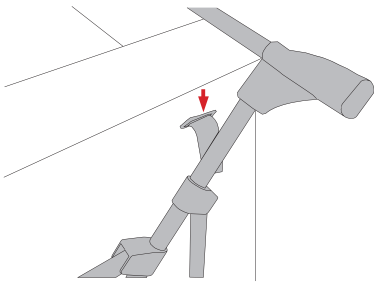
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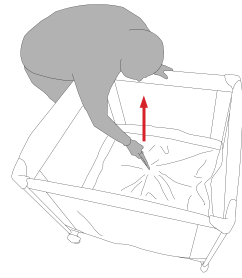
## To Fold and Pack the Playard

- Before folding the playard be sure to remove all accessories from the playard including the bassinet, changing table, parent organizer, MP3 or any other attachments. Unplug the MP3 cord and store in pocket.
- To fold the playard, detach the Velcro® straps at the corners of the mattress from the underside of the floor and guide each of the straps through the slots in the floor to release. See Figure 10.
- Lift the mattress from the playard and set it aside. If necessary, remove the mattress sheet.
- Pull upward on the webbing loop near the center of the playard floor. Be sure that the center of the floor is pulled up all the way. See Figure 11.
- With the center of the floor pulled up, locate the button at the center of one of the top rails.  
NOTE: The button is sewn inside the fabric near the center of each top rail.
- Pull upward on the top rail and squeeze the button. Then push down until the locking mechanism is released on BOTH sides of the top rail. See Figure 12.  
NOTE: If the rail tubes do not unlock, do not force them. Lift the center of the floor higher and try again.
- Once you have successfully released BOTH tubes and folded that top rail, repeat this procedure on the other top rails until all four top rails have been folded.
- Gather the playard together until it is compact and completely folded. See Figure 13.  
NOTE: DO NOT force the playard. If the unit will not fold, look for a partially latched top rail and squeeze the button in to release the rail.
- Lay the mattress on the floor with the soft side facing up. Lay the folded playard frame on the mattress, fold the mattress around the frame with the short section tucked in. See Figures 14 and 15.
- Locate the Velcro® straps on the end of the mattress, thread them through the plastic rings on the other side of the mattress and attach them. See Figure 16. Then stand the playard upright.  
NOTE: There are three straps; one near the top, one near the center and one near the bottom.
- Open the zipper on the large section of the travel bag and slide the bag over the folded playard with the handle on the outside of the playard mattress facing the opening of the bag. See Figure 17. Once the playard is completely inside the travel bag, close the zipper. When inserted properly, the handle should be accessible through the opening in the bag.

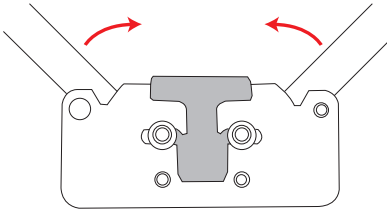
NOTE: The bassinet, changing table and the components for each can be stored in the small section of the travel bag. The parent organizer is not intended to be stored inside the travel bag.



**Figure 10**



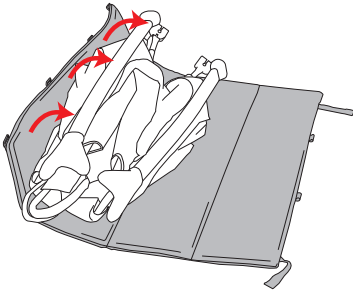
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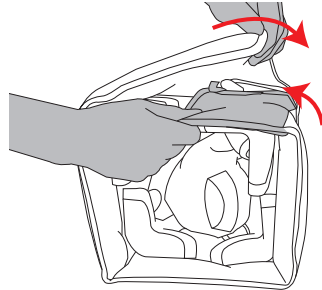
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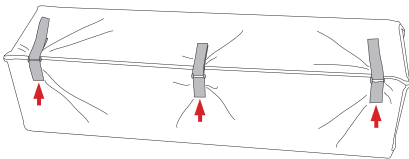
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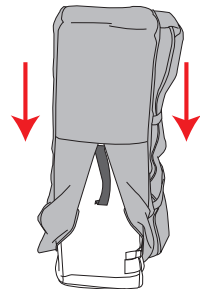
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**Figure 15**



**Figure 16**



**Figure 17**

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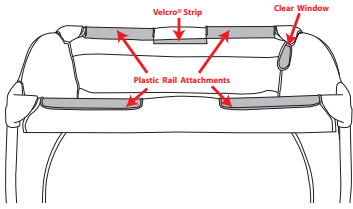
Read all instructions **BEFORE** assembly and **USE** of product.  
**KEEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE.**

- Failure to follow these warnings and the instructions could result in serious injury or death.
- **FALL HAZARD:** To help prevent falls, do not use this product when the infant begins to push up on hands and knees or weighs over 15 lbs (6.8 kg), whichever comes first.
- **SUFFOCATION HAZARD:** Infants can suffocate:
  - In gaps between an extra pad and side of bassinet.
  - On soft bedding.
- **NEVER** add a mattress, pillow, comforter, or padding. Use **ONLY** the mattress pad provided by Joovy.
- To reduce the risk of SIDS, pediatricians recommend healthy infants be placed on their back to sleep, unless otherwise advised by your physician.
- If a sheet is used with the pad, use only the one provided by Joovy or one specifically designed to fit the dimension of the bassinet mattress.
- Strings can cause strangulation! **DO NOT** place items with a string around a child's neck, such as hood strings or pacifier cord. **DO NOT** suspend strings over bassinet or attach strings to toys.
- **NEVER** use the bassinet with more than one child at a time.
- **NEVER** place a child under the bassinet.
- The bassinet must be fully assembled per Joovy's instructions before using. Do not modify the bassinet or add any attachments not specifically recommended by Joovy.
- **DO NOT** store the bassinet in the playard while in use.
- The bassinet is designed for use **ONLY** on this Joovy playard. **DO NOT** use on any other product or surfaces.

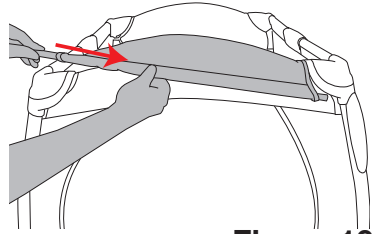
## **Installing the Bassinet**

- With the playard erected and any accessories removed, remove the mattress from the bottom of the playard to use inside your bassinet. Set the mattress aside.
- Locate the bassinet attachment and orient it so the plastic rail attachments are at the top and the small clear window is at the corner with the nightlight. See Figure 18.
- Secure all four plastic rail attachments onto the long top rails so they are directly adjacent to the corner plastic. See Figure 18.
- Make sure that the Velcro® strips located between the plastic rail attachments are attached to the sides of each long top rail. See Figure 18.
- Locate a bassinet side rail tube (longest tube) and slide it through the sleeve in the fabric on the end of the support. Then pull the tube and the support over the side rail and tuck the ends of the tube under the openings of the corner plastic. See Figures 19 and 20.
- Carefully adjust the fabric and attach the two pieces of Velcro® in both corners. See Figure 21.
- Repeat these steps on other side.

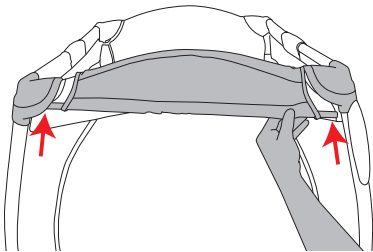
- Locate the bassinet base support tubes. Slide the closed end of a tapered end tube into a sleeve at the bottom of the bassinet support. Then slide the closed end of an open end tube into the opposite sleeve. Slightly angle the tubes together and fully insert the tapered end into the open end. See Figure 22. Open the Velcro® loop, place the joined tubes inside the loop and secure the Velcro® around the tubes.
- Repeat the previous step on the other side so there are two support tubes on the bottom of the bassinet attachment.
- Be certain that the tubes on both sides of the bassinet are pushed together completely.
- Place the mattress into the bassinet support with the soft side facing up and secure the four square Velcro® attachment points on the corners of the mattress to the bassinet support. See Figure 23.
- Tuck the long sides of the mattress underneath the mattress pad and position the mattress until it fits snugly. See Figure 24.



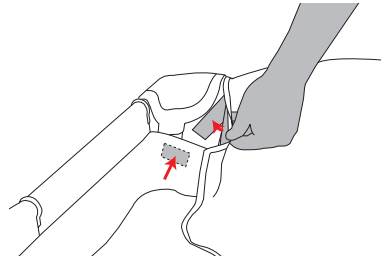
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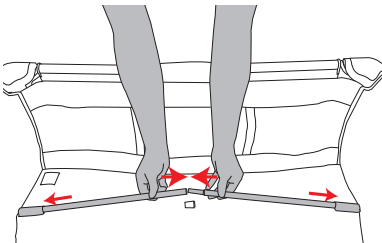
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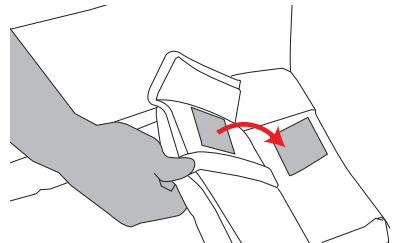
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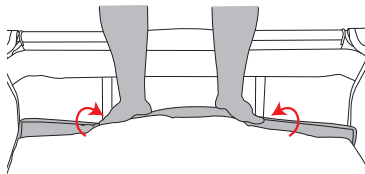
**Figure 21**



**Figure 22**



**Figure 23**



**Figure 24**

## **CHANGING TABLE**

# **WARNING**

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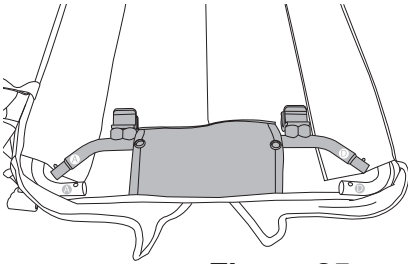
- **Failure to follow these warnings and the instructions could result in serious injury or death.**
- **FALL HAZARD: To prevent death or serious injury, always keep child within arm's reach.**
- **Never leave child unattended.**
- **The changing table is designed for use ONLY with this Joovy playard. DO NOT use on any other products or surfaces.**
- **The weight limit for the changing table is 25 lbs (11 kg). DO NOT use changing table as storage.**
- **DO NOT use changing table as a sleeping or play area.**
- **DO NOT use changing table if it is damaged or broken.**
- **STRANGULATION HAZARD: Child can lift the changing table and get neck caught between changing table and playard frame. ALWAYS remove changing table when child is in the playard.**
- **Before each use, make sure the changing table is properly secured by pushing down firmly in the center of the changing table.**

### **Installing and Using the Changing Table**

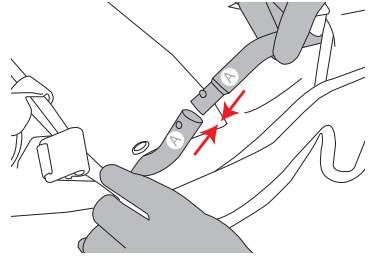
- Ensure the playard is erected. The changing table can be used with or without the bassinet attached.
- Locate the changing table and the changing table attachment clamps.
- Orient the changing table so it is upside down (white side down).
- Take one changing table attachment clamp and identify it by referencing the lettered labels on the ends of the tube.
- Identify the corresponding letters on the tubes located in the sleeves on each long side of the changing table.
- Orient the attachment and tube so the corresponding letters match and slide the attachment clamp through the sleeve on the narrow end of the changing table so both plastic clamps are on the outside of the sleeve. DO NOT snap the tubes together yet. Be sure to slide the attachment clamp through the sleeve in between the narrow sides of the changing table. Repeat this procedure on the other side. See Figure 25.
- Starting with the tubes lettered "A", insert the tapered tube into the open tube then, press the button to completely insert the tubes until they snap into place. See Figure 26. Repeat this procedure on the tubes lettered "B".
- Orient the changing table so the tubes labeled "C" and "D" are closest to you. Simultaneously angle both open tubes onto the corresponding tapered tubes. See Figure 27. Once the tubes are partially attached, press the button on one side and snap that tube into place. Then snap the tube together on the other side.
- Fold the fabric on the outside of each side of the changing table over the tubes and secure each of the six snaps. See Figure 28. Repeat this step on the other side.
- Grab the changing table by the large plastic clips with the white cover facing away from you. Attach these clips onto the narrow rail of the playard. See Figure 29.
- Flip the changing table over onto the top rails. Firmly snap the changing table attachment clamps onto the plastic bassinet attachments that are installed on the long rails of the playard. See Figure 30. You will need to push down forcefully on each side to snap the attachments into place. Check to ensure all four attachments are secured on the rails.

NOTE: If bassinet is not installed, attach changing table directly onto the top rails.

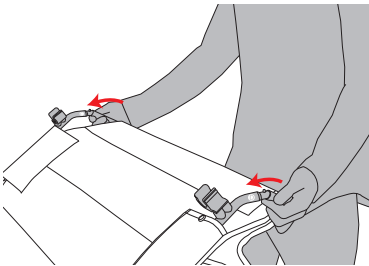
- Pull the apron over the narrow rail and attach the four clips onto the underside of the plastic corners. See Figure 31.
- Carefully lay the child on the changing table and use the buckle to secure the restraint strap around the child's waist. The strap can be adjusted to fit the child properly.



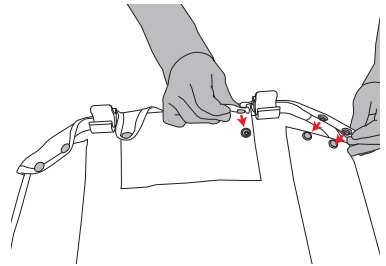
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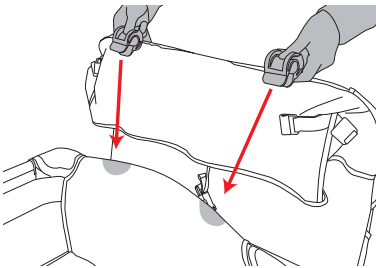
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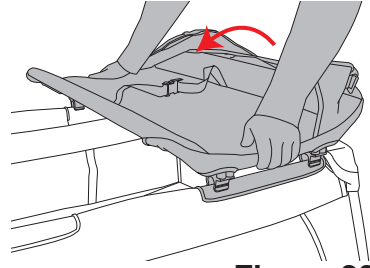
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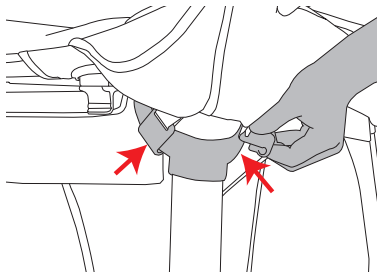
**Figure 28**



**Figure 29**



**Figure 30**



**Figure 31**

# Maintenance

All of the fittings, locks, rivets, and other hardware and plastic parts on the playard should be inspected periodically to insure that they are secured properly and not damaged or malfunctioning. The straps and fabric items and their stitching should also be inspected periodically to ensure that they are secured properly and not loose, torn or otherwise damaged. All moving parts, such as wheels, and hinges should also be checked periodically to ensure they are operating properly.

If using this item at the beach you must clean sand off of ALL the parts before packing it into the travel bag. Getting sand in the top rail locks may damage the function.

Any missing, broken, or worn components should be replaced immediately, and the playard should not be used until they are replaced. Only original manufacturer's components should be used. If needed, please contact Joovy at our toll-free phone number.

# Cleaning

The fabric material on this product can be cleaned using mild household soap or detergent and warm water on a sponge or clean cloth. Always allow the fabric to completely air dry before using the product.

The frame and wheels should always be kept clean and free of dirt and foreign matter. Use a sponge or cloth dampened with warm water and a mild detergent cleaner to clean these parts if necessary.

See the care label sewn onto the sheet for detailed cleaning instructions.

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