

Step2® Recalls to Repair Riding Toys Due to Risk of Injury

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, in cooperation with the firm named below, today announced a voluntary recall of the following products. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately unless otherwise instructed.

**Name of product:** Push Around and Whisper Ride Buggies

**Units:** About 2.5 million

**Importer:** Step2 Company, of Streetsboro, Ohio

**Hazard:** A pin attaching to the yellow knob on the handle of the buggy can loosen, causing the handle to detach from the buggy. This poses a serious risk of injury to young children.

**Incidents/Injuries:** The firm has received 28 reports of the handle detaching, two incidents required professional medical treatment and 26 resulted in minor scrapes and scratches.

**Description:** The Step2® Push Around Buggy and Whisper Ride Buggy are ride-on toys.

The buggy comes in various colors; such as, orange, red, blue, pink and green. The buggies have a red Step2 logo on the handle of the buggy. Buggies that have a handle attached by a bolt with a plastic white or black head and nut are not included in this recall.

**Sold at:** Major retailers and specialty stores from August 1999 through March 2010 for between \$29 and \$59.

**Manufactured in:** United States

**Remedy:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled buggy and contact Step2 for a free repair kit.

**Consumer Contact:** For additional information, contact Step2 toll-free at (866) 860-1887 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or visit the firm's Web site at [www.step2.com](http://www.step2.com)

Push Around Buggy



Whisper Ride Buggy

