


NUNA | OVERALL GRADE: C

	OVERALL GRADE	Transparency	Chemical Policies & RSLs	Assessment of Products	Chemical Advances	Public Policy
	C	F	B	D	B	D

NUNA SUMMARY CHECKLIST

- ✓ Public chemical statement: Yes, but statement is vague
- _ Public chemical policy
- _ Public RSL
- ✓ Written chemical policy that includes specific chemical categories of concern. (Can add antibacterial chemicals of concern to be comprehensive).
- ✓ Ensure supplier compliance with company chemical policy
- ✓ Third-party certifications
- ✓ Willingness to utilize Chemical Footprint Project
- ✓ Chemical Advances: Nuna markets 2 FR-free car seats. Expand FR-free design to all seats.
- ✓ Update RSL to stay ahead of regulation
- _ Working to advance public policy to support the use of safer chemicals in car seats
- ✓ Extra credit: Solar powered energy, exhaust treatment water recycling, and a plastic waste and packaging recycling program.

TRANSPARENCY: F

Nuna has a public statement on chemical safety, but it is broad and vague. The company is "Striving to eliminate the use of toxins while complying with standards at the same time."

We encourage Nuna to develop a more detailed public statement on chemical safety. Additionally we urge Nuna to make their chemical policy and their RSL public.

CHEMICAL POLICIES & RSL: B

Nuna reports they aim to avoid all of the chemicals of concern about which we inquired, except antibacterials which Nuna says are not applicable to the industry. However, a Nuna car seat independently tested by Healthy Stuff tested positive for halogenated flame retardants, phosphorus-based flame retardants, and PFAS. We encourage Nuna to eliminate all chemical flame retardants and PFAS and to include antibacterials in their RSL to be comprehensive.

ASSESSMENT OF PRODUCTS & PRACTICES: D

Nuna reports achieving third-party certifications. Nuna reports ensuring implementation of their chemical policy, but did not provide much detail. Nuna indicated they may be willing to evaluate their chemical footprint through the Chemical Footprint Project Survey. We applaud this potential willingness and encourage Nuna to familiarize themselves with the survey tool and use it when it is next available in 2020.

CHEMICAL ADVANCES: B

Nuna reports eliminating PVC and BPA and halogenated flame retardants (although Healthy Stuff testing found halogenated FRs on one Nuna seat in 2018). This past year, Nuna released two FR-free seats.

PUBLIC POLICY: D

Nuna reports working with industry groups on public policy. We encourage all car seat companies to work within industry groups and beyond to advance safer chemicals public policy on all levels of government.