We seek to decrease potential lead exposure from consumer products in our child care home. We stay up to date on current product recalls by visiting the Consumer Product Safety Commission at www.cpsc.gov to ensure that we do not use children’s products identified as containing lead.

Additionally, we avoid using products commonly found in home-based child care businesses which, although not formally recalled, have a higher risk of containing lead.

For more information, tips, and resources, see our Lead in Consumer Products Worksheet.

NOTE: Lead in consumer products is a common source of lead in and around homes. Lead may also be present in paint, drinking water, soil, pottery/dishes, foods, candies, spices, traditional medicines, cosmetics, painted furniture, and other sources, including lead exposure associated with certain jobs or hobbies. Visit the Lead-Safe Toolkit for Home-Based Child Care at http://bit.ly/Lead-SafeToolkit for more information.

**Always check that you're complying with state or local licensing regulations.**