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Wearing Apparel * (above 12 years of age)	When do products need to comply?	When is testing and certification (GCC) enforced/required****?
Flammability of Clothing Textiles (16 CFR 1610)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **
Flammability of Vinyl Plastic Film (16 CFR 1611)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **

* Refer to the Flammable Fabric Act (FFA) and respective flammability regulations for the products covered by the Act and the regulations.

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Home Textiles (above 12 years of age)	When do products need to comply?	When is testing and certification (GCC) enforced/required****?
Surface Flammability of Carpets and Rugs (16 CFR 1630/1631)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **
Flammability of Mattress Pads (16 CFR 1632)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **
Flammability (Open Flame) of Mattress Sets (16 CFR 1633)	Now	Now

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Footwear (above 12 years of age)	When do products need to comply?	When is testing and certification enforced/required****?
Flammability of Clothing Textiles (16 CFR 1610) - if consisting of hosiery in whole or in part, and is affixed to or forms an integral part of another garment	Now**	February 10, 2010 **

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Wearing Apparel * (Children)	When do products need to comply?	When is testing and certification (GCC) enforced/required*****?
Lead in Paint: Limit of 90 ppm	Now	Now
Lead in Substrate***: Limit of 300 ppm Limit drops to 100 ppm (if technologically feasible)	Now August 14, 2011	February 10, 2010 August 14, 2011
Phthalates: Limit of 01.% in child care articles	Now	February 10, 2010
Small Parts (16 CFR 1501)	Now	Exempt*****
Sharp Points & Sharp Edges (16 CFR 1500.48 & .49)	Now	February 10, 2010
Flammability of Clothing Textiles (16 CFR 1610)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **
Flammability of Vinyl Plastic Film (16 CFR 1611)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **
Flammability of Children's Sleepwear (16 CFR 1615/1616)	Now**	February 10, 2010 **

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- o a children's product to the extent that it is made of certain natural materials such as wood, cotton, wool which the Commission has recognized rarely, if ever, contain lead;
- o dyed or undyed textiles (not including leather, vinyl or PVC) and non-metallic thread and trim used in children's apparel and other fabric products for lead.

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*****Wearing apparel is technically exempt from small parts requirements. However, the CPSC General Counsel has issued an opinion stating compliance is required. In addition, there has also been numerous recalls.

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Apparel Accessories - bags, backpacks, etc. (Children)	When do products need to comply?	When is testing and certification (GCC) enforced/required****?
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Sharp Points & Sharp Edges (16 CFR 1500.48 & .49)	Now	February 10, 2010

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Small Parts (16 CFR 1501)	Now	Now
Sharp Points & Sharp Edges (16 CFR 1500.48 & .49)	Now	February 10, 2010
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