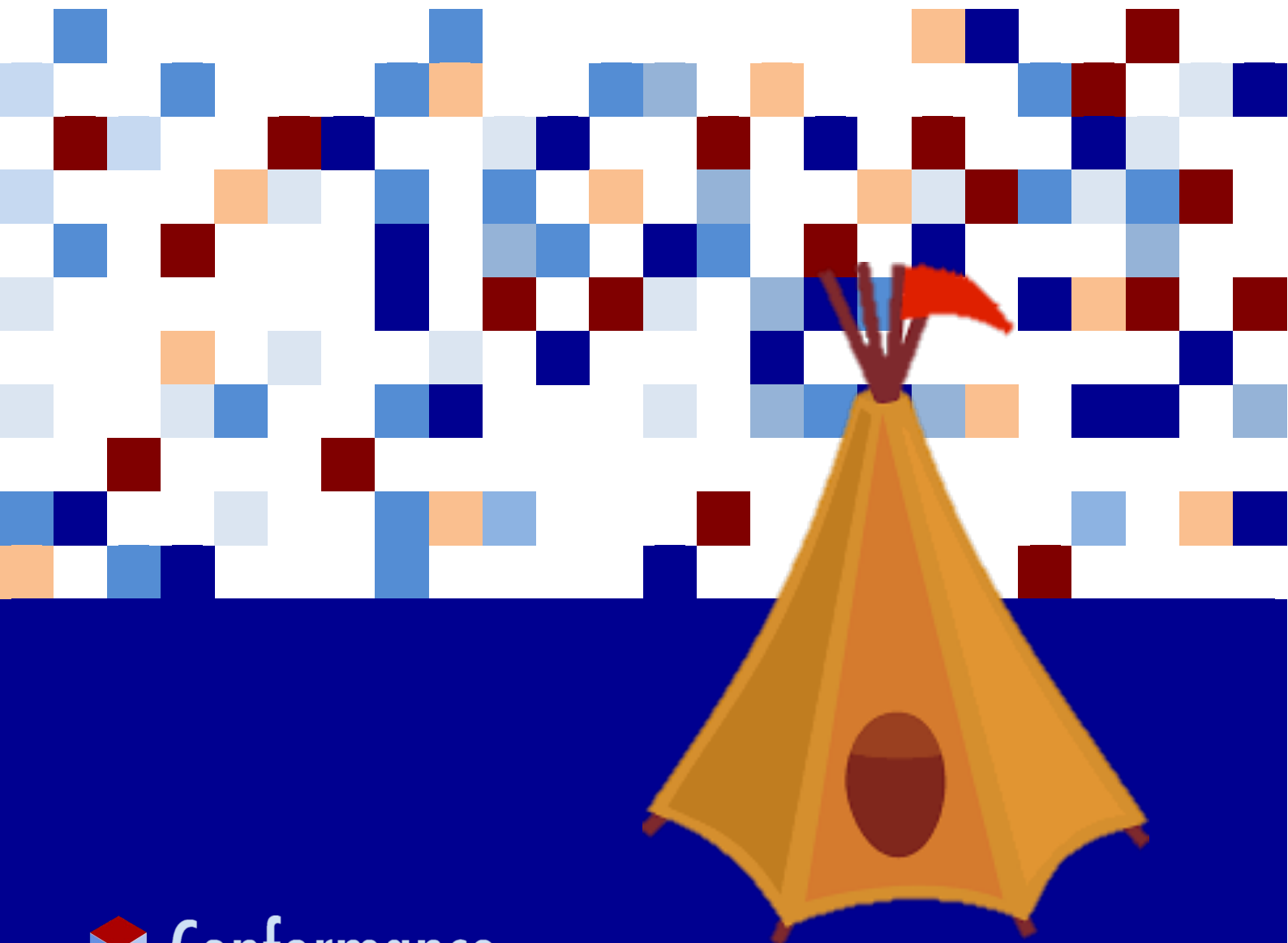


Teepee Play Tents

SELF-CERTIFICATION PACK



Scope of this guide

This guide covers the requirements for fabric teepee play tents (or similar enclosed toys that a child can enter). For ease of reference these types of toys are referred to as teepees throughout this guide.

Please note this guide does NOT cover the following products:

- Activity toys such as playhouses, play tunnels, multi-level play tents
- Other tents e.g. camping tents, temporary tent structures
- Teepees made from materials other than flexible fabric
- Public playground equipment
- Toy chests
- Toys with magnetic components
- Toys with hinges

If your products fall into any of the categories above, please contact us for further information.

Children under 36 months

It is strongly recommended that your teepees are suitable for children under 36 months even if you do not intend children of this age group to use the toy. You need to consider the likelihood of younger siblings using the toy - it seems feasible and highly likely that a child under 36 months would play with this type of toy. We would advise carrying out the tests for children under 36 months even if you are intending to label the toys as not suitable for children under 36 months. More information on this is given throughout the pack.

Checklist

Section	Requirement	P	F	N	Comment
D	Essential Health and Safety Requirements				
1	Accessible edges, protrusions, cords, cables and fastenings on toys must be designed and manufactured in such a way that the risks of physical injury from contact with them are reduced as far as possible. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the criteria in checklist A sections 7,8 and 9)				
2	Toys which it is possible to get inside and which thereby constitute an enclosed space for occupants must have a means of exit which the intended user can open easily from the inside. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the criteria in checklist A section 6)				
3	Toys and their parts must not present a risk of strangulation. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the criteria in checklist A section 7)				
4	Toys and their parts must not present a risk of asphyxiation by closing off the flow of air as a result of airway obstruction external to the mouth and nose. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the criteria in checklist A section 5)				
5	Toys and parts of toys must be of such dimensions that they do not present a risk of asphyxiation by closing off the flow of air as a result of internal airway obstruction caused by objects wedged in the mouth or pharynx or lodged over the entrance to lower airways. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the additional tests in checklist A section 11)				
6	Toys that are clearly intended for use by children under 36 months, their component parts and any detachable parts must be of such dimensions to prevent them being swallowed or inhaled. (You can show your toy meets this requirement if it passes the additional tests in checklist A section 11)				
7	The packaging used for toys must not present a risk of strangulation				

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