ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS FOR SIMMONS CRIB

With Double Drop-Sides -- Adjustable Spring and Stabilizing Bars

These are the parts included in your crib carton.

1. 2 Crib ends
2. Threaded sleeve
3. Post bracket
4. Stabilizing bar bracket
5. Lower post bracket
6. 2 Drop-sides
7. 2 Stabilizing bars
8. Catch lever
9. 1 Crib spring (mattress support)
10. Spring clip
11. 4 Drop-side rod
12. 4 Gate shoes
13. 4 Casters
14. 4 Support handles
15. Eight 5/8 inch x No. 8 Pan head sheet metal screws (Shown actual size)
16. Four 1/4 - 20 x 3/4 inch long Hexagon lock washer head bolts (Shown actual size)
17. Four 5/8 inch Conical springs
18. Four 1-1/2 inch Bumper springs

TOOLS NEEDED FOR ASSEMBLY OF CRIB
SCREW DRIVER FOR SLOTTED HEAD SCREWS
HAMMER
WRENCH (3/8 INCH OPEN END, OR ADJUSTABLE)

WARNING: Do not tie pacifiers, necklaces, or any other items around a child’s neck or on the crib parts. This could cause strangulation.

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THE CARDBOARD SHEET INCLUDED IN THE PACKING MAY BE USED BETWEEN YOUR MATTRESS AND SPRING AS A PROTECTOR FOR THE MATTRESS.
Please Follow These Directions Closely

- SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS -

On certain cribs it will be necessary to attach the post bracket part no. 3, stabilizing bar bracket part no. 4 and the lower post bracket part no. 5 to the post of the crib end using the predrilled holes as a guide for positioning. Attach the above with 3/4 inch no. 8 pan head screws and screwdriver. Be sure to tighten screws firmly.

STEP 1 ATTACHING STABILIZING BARS

1. Holding stabilizing bar (7) with catch lever (8) down and toward inside of crib, slip keyhole slots over protruding screws on stabilizing bar bracket (4) which is attached to the crib end (1) corner posts. Position the bar (7) so that bracket (4) screws are in the small part of keyhole and tighten screws firmly with a screwdriver. Attach second stabilizing bar (7) to same crib end (1) then attach other end of bars (7) to remaining crib end (1).

STEP 2 INSTALLING SPRING [Mattress Support ]

1. Drive notched end of support handles (14) all the way into spring clips (10) on each end of mattress support (9) with a hammer. Be sure notched end of handle (14) projects through the clip.

2. Lower mattress support (9) into crib placing each support handle (14) in the same corresponding hook level of each post bracket (3).

STEP 3 INSTALLING DROP - SIDES

1. Put wax or soap on threads of 5/8” - No. 8 wood screws (15).

2. Use screws (15) to attach gate shoes (12) at predrilled holes on bottom rail of drop-side (6) with screwdriver. Be sure to tighten screws firmly.

3. Holding drop-side (6) with gate shoes (12) toward inside of crib, insert drop-side rod (11) through (in the following sequence):
   - Top rail of drop-side (6); post bracket (3) hole; small end of short conical spring (17); bottom rail of drop-side (6); long bumper spring (18); lower post bracket (5).

4. Insert 1/4 - 20 x 3/4 inch hexagon head bolt (16) through hole in drop-side rod (11) and into threaded sleeve (2) in crib corner post. Fasten bolt (16) firmly with a 3/8” open end wrench or an adjustable Crescent wrench.

5. Insert 3 remaining drop-side rods (11) in same manner.

6. If drop-sides squeak when raising and lowering, apply a small amount of wax or soap to drop-side rods.

STEP 4 INSTALLING CASTERS

1. Insert casters (13) into sockets on bottom of corner posts and press firmly until caster snaps into place, be sure casters turn freely.

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CAUTION:

- USE OF A VAPORIZER NEAR FURNITURE WILL CAUSE WOOD TO SWELL AND FINISH TO PEEL.
- DO NOT STORE CRIB IN AREAS WHERE TEMPERATURES AND CONDITIONS ARE EXTREME, SUCH AS HOT DRY ATTICS OR COLD DAMP BASEMENTS. BOTH OF THESE EXTREME CONDITIONS MAY CAUSE THE WOOD TO CRACK AND GLUE JOINTS TO LOOSE, RESULTING IN STRUCTURAL FAILURE.
- DROPSIDE MAY BE ACCIDENTALLY ACTIVATED BY A CHILD PLAYING UNDER THE CRIB, CAUSING POSSIBLE INJURY TO HIMSELF/HERSelf AND THE CHILD OCCUPYING THE CRIB.
- SHOULD IT BECOME DESIRABLE TO REFINISH THIS CRIB IN LATER YEARS, THE MANUFACTURER WARNS THAT ANY MATERIALS USED SHOULD BE NON-TOXIC.
- AN OCCASIONAL WAXING, PLUS REGULAR CLEANING, WITH SUDS OF MILD SOAP ON A SOFT CLOTH, FOLLOWED BY A CLEAN DAMP CLOTH, THEN A DRY ONE, WILL PRESERVE THE ORIGINAL LUSTER AND BEAUTY OF THIS FINE FINISH.
- THIS CRIB IS NOT EQUIPPED TO HANDLE THE EXCESS WEIGHT OF A CRIB WATER MATTRESS.
- LIFT CRIB SLIGHTLY WHEN MOVING ON CARPETING TO PREVENT LEG BREAKAGE.

WARNING

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE WARNINGS AND ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH.

- READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE ASSEMBLING CRIB. KEEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE.
- BEFORE EACH USAGE OR ASSEMBLY, INSPECT CRIB FOR DAMAGED HARDWARE, LOOSE JOINTS, MISSING PARTS OR SHARP EDGES. DO NOT USE CRIB IF ANY PARTS ARE MISSING OR BROKEN. ASK YOUR DEALER OR WRITE TO (MANUFACTURER) FOR REPLACEMENT PARTS AND INSTRUCTIONAL LITERATURE IF NEEDED. DO NOT SUBSTITUTE PARTS.
- AFTER RAISING SIDE, MAKE SURE LATCHES ARE SECURE.
- WHEN CHILD IS ABLE TO CLIMB OUT OR REACHES THE HEIGHT OF 35 IN. (90 CM), THE CRIB SHALL NO LONGER BE USED.
- DO NOT PLACE CRIB NEAR WINDOW WHERE CORDS FROM BLINDS OR DRAPES MAY STRANGLE A CHILD.
- IF REFINISHING, USE A NON-TOXIC FINISH SPECIFIED FOR CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS.
- DO NOT LEAVE CHILD IN CRIB WITH SIDE LOWERED. BE SURE SIDE IS IN RAISED AND LOCKED POSITION WHENEVER CHILD IS IN CRIB.
- WHEN CHILD IS ABLE TO PULL TO STANDING POSITION, SET MATTRESS TO LOWEST POSITION AND REMOVE BUMPER PADS, LARGE TOYS AND OTHER OBJECTS THAT COULD SERVE AS STEPS FOR CLIMBING OUT.
- NEVER USE PLASTIC SHIPPING BAGS OR OTHER PLASTIC FILM AS MATTRESS COVERS BECAUSE THEY CAN CAUSE SUFOCATION.
- DO NOT USE A WATER MATTRESS WITH THIS CRIB.
- REPLACE TEETHING RAIL IF DAMAGED OR LOOSE.
- PERIODIC CHECK SHOULD BE MADE TO BE SURE THESE ITEMS REMAIN TIGHT.
- ANY MATTRESS USED IN THIS CRIB MUST BE AT LEAST 27-1/4 INCHES BY 51-5/8 INCHES WITH A THICKNESS NOT EXCEEDING 6 INCHES.

IMPORTANT

Simmons has provided your Little Folks@crib with a safe, secure drop-side lock which is designed to prevent the crib side from lowering accidentally. It is important that you familiarize yourself with this lock and how it operates.

To lock drop-sides safely in raised position:

1. Grasp center of top rail and raise until catch lever (part 8 on assembly instruction sheet) "snaps" into position.
2. Be sure bottom lip of the gateshoe (part 12 on assembly instruction sheet) is fully engaged in the end plates of the catch lever. See illustrations.

RAISING DROP-SIDE  CATCH IN ACTION  LOCKED POSITION

Views from underside of crib.

To lower drop-sides: while lifting drop-side slightly, press in catch lever to unlock, then lower drop-side.