**BABY CHECKLIST FOR THE NURSERY & HOME**

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|  | Crib, cradle or bassinet: Bassinets may be safe only for the first few months. |
|  | Portable bed or playpen |
|  | Moisture-proof mattress pads (1-3) |
|  | Fitted sheets (2-4) |
|  | Heavier blankets (2) |
|  | Light receiving blankets (3+) |
|  | Diaper pail/bin |
|  | Changing table and/or changing pad |
|  | Dresser/chest |
|  | Humidifier/vaporizer |
|  | Nightlight or lamp for checking on baby without waking him |
|  | Stroller (see: best strollers) |
|  | Car seat |
|  | Infant bathtub |
|  | Laundry detergent for babies or those with sensitive skin |
|  | Nasal aspirator, less prettily called a “snot sucker” |
|  | Thermometer |
|  | Infant pain reliever/fever reducer, such as Tylenol |