



## Toy Tank and Butterfly Push Toy Recalls

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Two new toy recalls require immediate public attention. The first recall involves the **Family Dollar Stores Inc.**, of Charlotte, North Carolina. That company has agreed to recall about 67,000 **Authentic Heroes Target Practice Tank Play Sets** that were sold for \$5.00 between September and December of 2010. The second recall concerns the Butterfly Push Toys distributed by the Kang Sheng Group.

### The Family Dollar Store's Recall of Toy Tank Sets

Each set consists of a gray-colored controller (marked "Target Practice Tank Play Set") that's powered by three "AAA" batteries, a green toy tank and a cable that attaches the two main parts. When operating properly, the battery-powered controller can make the tank move forwards and backwards. It can also cause the tank's turret to rotate and shoot out objects. The toy may become dangerous if its controller overheats, creating a burn risk to children. Although no injuries have been reported, the Family Dollar Store has received five reports of controllers that have overheated and partially melted. Adults should immediately take these play sets away from children after first removing the batteries from the controllers. The recalled toys must then be returned to the Family Dollar Store where full refunds will be provided.

Consumers seeking additional information can call the Family Dollar Store at

1-800-547-0359, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, or go online and visit the firm's Web site at [www.familydollar.com](http://www.familydollar.com).

## The Kang Sheng Group's Recall of Its Butterfly Push Toys

The second recall involves about **1,440 Butterfly Push Toys** distributed by the **Kang Sheng Group** of Lexington, North Carolina. This plastic toy consists of a handle that's 21 inches long and shaped like a cane. At the end of the "cane" nearest the floor is a butterfly-shaped push toy containing two one-and-one-half-inch balls in each wing. The toy comes in a variety of colors and makes noises while moving. Consumers should look for the item number "L185819" on a package sticker.

The potential danger can develop when the plastic balls on the butterfly's wings break, allowing the small metal balls inside to fall out, posing choking and breathing risks to small children. Consumers can view a picture of one of these butterfly push toys by visiting the following link: <http://www.cpsc.gov/cpsc/pub/prerel/prhtml11/11108.html>

These toys were sold for about \$2.00 each at North and South Carolina flea markets from May 2010 through October 2010. Consumers should immediately take these toys away from children and return them to the stores where they were bought (or directly contact the Kang Sheng Group to obtain a full refund or replacement). The Kang Sheng Group can be reached toll-free at 1-877-485-7285, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time. (The group can also be contacted by email at: [ks9761@yahoo.com](mailto:ks9761@yahoo.com)).