The Natures Sway Baby Hammock

At Natures Sway we understand that choosing your baby’s first bed is a very important decision. If you’ve decided to look at alternatives to the European style crib, you’ve come to the right place. Our hammocks are single-point suspension beds, designed to encourage easy sleep with a gentle bouncing motion and curved line that will minimise pressure on your baby’s developing spine. By replicating the comfort and security of the in-utero environment we aim to make the transition between womb and world as kind as possible. Tested by discerning parents and satisfied babies in many countries, our hammocks deliver an excellent ‘back to nature’ beginning for babies of the 21st century.

Safe Sleep Recommendations – Hammock Advantages

- Sleep baby on their back – our hammock is exclusively designed to keep babies on their back and helps prevent ‘positional head-flattening’.
- Sleep baby in the same room, close by – our hammock is portable and space saving.
- Sleep baby on a firm flat bed – our new design hammock has just enough curve to help reduce reflux and has an optional mattress stiffener.
- Avoid overheating – our natural wool mattress helps keep baby’s core temperature stable.
- Reduce the build-up of CO₂ – the natural movement of the hammock helps airflow.
- Choose a chemical free sleeping environment – we use only natural fabrics and wool (no foam or fire retardants).
- For more information go to www.kidshealth.org.nz/safe-sleep-essentials and www.isisonline.org.uk

The Natures Sway Story

Natures Sway is a New Zealand based manufacturing company founded by Kate Hornblow in 1993. After unsuccessfully searching for products that met the needs of her own children, Kate created the sleep-enhancing Baby Hammock then set about designing the user-friendly Sling. The hammock was inspired by the traditional hanging beds used in Malaysia and Singapore, which she saw as providing babies with a soothing and supportive environment. “The hammock worked like magic, especially when I was able to take my first born, Madi, to the Titirangi Market and she could have her usual sleep safely hanging from a tree branch. People saw my happily sleeping baby and Natures Sway was born!”

Natures Sway is committed to using natural, premium quality materials and carefully sourced components. New parents can be reassured that care has been taken to adhere to SIDS and TICKS recommendations. All parts are put through stringent quality control checks; resulting in reliable and durable products created with the safety of your loved ones in mind.

“For millions of years new born babies have been held close to their mothers from the moment of birth. Being held and included in normal activities is the foundation for human well-being. Our positive identity is based on feeling right, good and welcome: as experienced by the infant in arms: their rightful place.”
Jean Liedloff, ‘The Continuum Concept’

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12 Month Warranty

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Pouch Pack
Ergonomic and organic.

Many thanks to models Holly and Willow from littleandfiday.co.nz
The Natures Sway Baby Hammock

A traditional fabric bed attached to a safe, gently bouncing spring.

- Naturally soothes baby with its gentle bounce and cocoon-like design.
- Free from chemical dyes or bleach.
- Pure New Zealand wool mattress.
- Keeps baby safely on their back with even, continuous support for their spine.
- Safe, strong and portable.

"Natures Sway baby hammocks provide our newborn infants with a natural alternative to sleeping ‘in mother’. At Birthcare we have been delighted with the success that settling in a hammock can bring. Hammocks are available in most private rooms and, of course, in the nursery.”
Birthcare, Auckland, New Zealand

Suspension Options

Chain & Screws
Hanging your hammock from the ceiling saves space and gives great access, you can hang the hammock next to or even over your bed. Our stainless steel coach-eye screws are designed for suspension from a wooden beam or ceiling joist. The stainless steel chain with karabiner at each end is for attaching the hammock to a coach-eye screw, beam or branch and provides height flexibility.

Door Clamp
Designed to clamp onto the framing of most standard doorways. If your house has unsuitable door framing, a Door Bracket that fits directly onto the top of the door is available. It can be used with the door shut or open.

Purchase Options

Baby Hammock Pack
Contains: Hammock, Mattress, 1 Cotton Fitted Sheet, Door Clamp, Chain & Screws
Hang hammock from ceiling or beam and also move around with the use of the door clamp.

Baby Hammock & Stand Pack
Contains: Hammock, Mattress and 1 Cotton Fitted Sheet, Stand
For easy portability inside, outside and when travelling.

Deluxe Baby Hammock & Stand Pack
Contains: Hammock, Mattress, 2 Cotton Fitted Sheets, Stand, Door Clamp, Chain & Screws
Provides all suspension options.

You can also purchase all items individually.

Fabric Options

Our regular hammocks are made from the finest double-boiled cotton calico, with a New Zealand wool mattress, and high quality hardware to provide a safe, chemical free sleeping environment.

Also available are our ‘Organics’ hammocks, made from 55% hemp and 45% certified organic cotton. Hemp can be grown without pesticides, has natural UV resistance and anti-bacterial/anti-fungal properties that will last through repeated washing. When mixed with certified organic cotton, the resulting fabric is soft and durable. Available in a choice of Natural or Olive Green.

Accessories

Fitted & Top Sheets
All our sheets are 100% cotton. Options are; fluffy brushed cotton, homespun cotton for summer or organic cotton knit.

Natures Sway Cocofibre Mattress Stiffener
An all natural product made from coconut fibres and latex. Makes the hammock firmer if a less cocoon-like environment is preferred, and provides extra support for heavier babies.

Natures Sway Mosquito Net
To keep baby safe from insects for an undisturbed sleep.

Natures Sway Travel Bag
A purpose built carry bag for hammock and stand.

More accessories and replacement parts are available from stockists and from www.naturessway.co.nz.