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Foreword

This document (EN 12221-1:2008) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 252 "Child use and care articles", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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This European Standard is one part of the series of standards of EN 12221 "Changing units for domestic use" consisting of the following parts:

- Part 1: Safety requirements
- Part 2: Test methods

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1 Scope

This part of EN 12221 specifies safety requirements for changing units for domestic use for children with a body weight no more than 15 kg.

EN 12221 only covers the function of the item as a changing unit. If the changing unit can be converted or used as another function it shall comply with other relevant standards, e.g. cots, storage furniture, etc.

The changing unit may be foldable and can be fitted with a child bathtub or other additional items.

Changing pads are only covered by this standard when they form a part of the changing unit.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 71-1, *Safety of toys - Part 1: Mechanical and physical properties*

EN 71-3, *Safety of toys - Part 3: Migrations of certain elements*

EN 12221-2:2008, *Changing units for domestic use - Part 2: Test methods*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

**3.1
changing unit**
elevated structure designed to support a child in a lying position for the purpose of allowing a caregiver to change the child's nappy

**3.2
wall mounted changing unit**
changing unit designed to be attached to a wall

**3.3
accessibility zone**
space around the changing area within the child's reach. The volume contained within 550 mm above the changing area and within 200 mm around the changing area measured horizontally from the inside of the area, see Figure 1a) and Figure 1b)

space around the bathtub area within the child's reach. The volume contained within 550 mm above the bottom of the bath and within 200 mm around the top of the interior of the bathtub. For contoured bathtubs the vertical volume is measured from a horizontal line drawn from the highest point where the child is seated, see Figure 1c)