

Child safety regulations for blinds

The 2014 changes to the child safety requirements of BS EN 13120:2009+A1:2014 place an obligation on the blind industry to sell and install compliant products.

We are obliged by law to install all blinds, which have chains, or cords as an endless loop with a child safe tensioning device fitted to your wall or window at least 1.5 metres away from the floor or a breakaway device, where a chain is designed to separate under any undue pressure up to 600mm from the floor.

Please see www.makeitsafe.org.uk BBSA (British blind and shutter association)

All our installers must fit safety devices and will explain their use.
There are no exceptions in homes.

We cannot supply any domestic blinds with longer cords than legally allowed or with an unbreakable endless loop without a cord tidy.