Winter Coats & Car Seats

*How to stay warm AND safe*

Bulky winter coats and snow pants should not be worn in a car seat as it makes the harness straps too loose to be effective in a crash.

- No coat or a light weight fleece. Wear a warmer coat while going to and from the car.
- The fluff of a bulky winter coat can compress in a car crash making harness straps loose, which can cause injury or ejection.
- No coat. Use a blanket for warmth.

Remember to “Strap Before You Wrap”

- Harness child, then put coat on backwards.
- Unzip coat, then buckle child.

Warm your car ahead of time when possible.

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