

Safer Sleeping for your baby in the winter months

The colder months can be difficult for families, with worries about heating bills and the cost of living, such as buying food.

It can be tempting to wrap your baby up to keep them warm. However, overheating a baby increases the chances of sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS), commonly known as cot death. Research shows babies are better to be cooler rather than overheated, so please do bear that in mind.

Find out more from the Lullaby Trust by looking at the links below. Follow the Lullaby Trust on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter for up to date information about safer sleeping @LullabyTrust

<u>Safer sleep in winter - The Lullaby Trust</u>

factsheet-temperature.pdf (lullabytrust.org.uk)

Safer Sleep For Babies - YouTube

If you are worried about the cost of living and paying your bills, do seek help. There is lots of information on the sites below. You can also speak to your midwife or health visitor who will support you.

Nottingham City

Money | Ask Lion - Nottingham City Directory

Ashfield

Cost of living support - Ashfield District Council

Bassetlaw

Cost of living | Bassetlaw District Council

Broxtowe

Cost of living: Broxtowe Borough Council

Gedling

Support in Gedling - Gedling Borough Council

Mansfield

<u>Cost of Living – Mansfield District Council</u>

Newark and Sherwood

Cost of living | Newark & Sherwood District Council (newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk)

Rushcliffe

Cost of living - Rushcliffe Borough Council