

SPSP 2024 Webinar Series



CPSC Involvement in Standards Development

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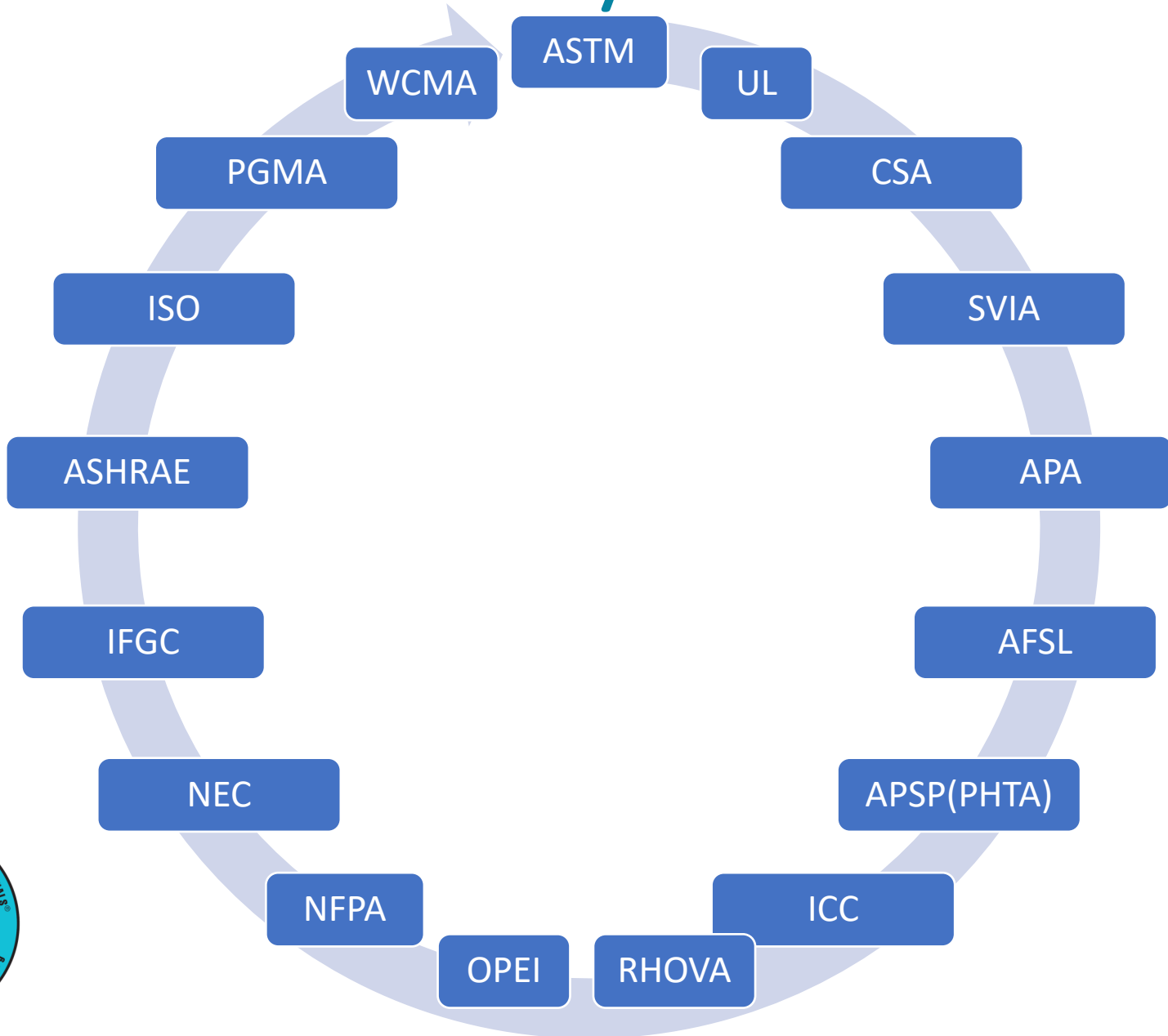


Agenda

- Introduction of speakers and topic
- How CPSC works with SDOs
- ULSE's relationship with CPSC
- ASTM's relationship with CPSC
- Myth busting
- Q&A



CPSC Activity with SDOs



Three organizations.
One shared mission.
**Working for a safer
world.**



**Research
Institutes**



**Standards &
Engagement**



Solutions

Phases of the process

Each phase is processed in ULSE's standards development system



Proposal Submission



Preliminary Review



Proposal Review

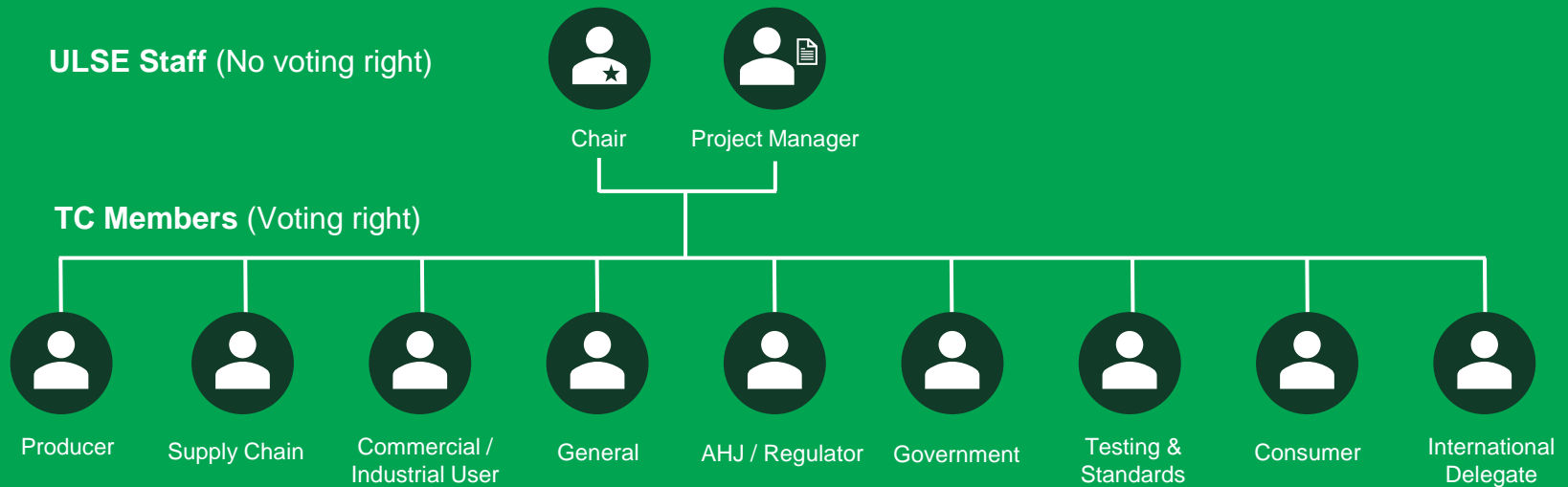


Recirculation



Publication

ULSE Technical Committee



- Consensus body that votes and approves UL standards
- Committee with a balance of interests (no category greater than 1/3 of total)
- Open to anyone
- No fee to participate

CPSC Activity on UL Standards

- Smoke Alarms
- Carbon Monoxide Alarms
- Batteries (Fire)
- Batteries Ingestion
- Electric Heaters
- Flammable Refrigerants
- Washing Machines
- Additive Manufacturing
- Portable Generators
- Pressure Cookers
- Table Saws
- Self Balancing Scooters
- E-Bikes
- Artificial Intelligence
- IoT/Connected Products
- SCIEE Robots
- Wearables Technologies



CPSC Activity on ASTM Standards

- Bassinets / Cradles
- Bedside Sleepers
- Booster Seats
- Carriages / Strollers
- Changing Products
- Child Folding Chairs / Stools
- Commercial Cribs
- Full-Size Cribs
- Non-Full-Size Cribs / Play Yards
- Crib Mattresses
- Crib Bumpers
- Frame Child Carriers
- Gates & Enclosures
- Handheld Infant Carriers
- High Chairs
- Infants Bath Seats
- Infant Bathtubs
- Infant Bouncer Seats
- Infant Sleep Products
- Infant Swings
- Infant Walkers
- Stationary Activity Centers
- Portable Bed Rails (Child)
- Portable Hook-On Chairs
- Sling Carriers
- Soft Infant & Toddler Carriers
- Toddler Beds
- CR Packaging
- CR Gasoline Containers
- Infant Rockers
- Infants Support Pillows / Nursing Support Products
- Toys
- Magnet Sets
- Wearable Infant Blankets
- Clothing Storage Units
- Bicycles
- Playground Equipment (Home/Public)
- Playground Surfacing
- Portable Pools
- Self-Balancing Scooters / Light Electric Vehicles
- Sports Helmets
- Pools and Spa Vacuum Relief Systems
- Tents
- Treadmills
- Chemical Test Methods
- Adult Portable Bed Rails
- Bathtubs (Adult)
- Candles and Accessories
- Portable Fuel Containers / Gasoline Cans
- Torch and Lamp Fuel
- Flooring
- Indoor Air Quality
- Lighters
- Liquid Laundry Packets
- Market and Beach Umbrellas
- Recliners
- Amusement Rides and Parks
- Additive Manufacturing
- Connected Products (IoT)
- Nanotechnology

Myth 1

Any time the CPSC is involved in the development of a voluntary standard, it becomes a regulation.



Myth 2

Once a voluntary standard is incorporated by reference into a Federal regulation, it is never updated.



Myth 3

Standards that are incorporated by reference in a regulation must be purchased from the SDO.



Myth 4

CPSC only relies on regulations to determine product safety issues.



Myth 5

CPSC staff are not allowed to vote or hold leadership roles in voluntary standards.



Myth 6

The voluntary standards process changes when CPSC is on the committee.



Myth 7

There is only high market adoption (compliance) with a safety standard if it is a regulation.



Q & A

SPSP Ask The Expert

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SPSP/ADK Educational Programs

2024 Consumer Product Safety Professional Certification Program

- Opening Workshop: August 29 - 30 at Virginia Tech Research Center, Arlington, VA.
- Webinar Series: September 3 - 24
- Closing Assessment Workshop, October 29 - 30 at Virginia Tech Main Campus, Blacksburg, VA:

Fundamentals of Product Safety

September 11 - 13, 2024

at Mattel/Fisher-Price, East Aurora, NY



Upcoming Webinars

Panel Discussion on Becoming a Certified Product Safety Professional

May 28, 2024

11:00 EST

EU/UK Update on New Product Safety and Product Liability Regulations

June 18, 2024

1:00 EST



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