DID YOU KNOW?
Not all baby birds need a nest, some baby birds are born ready to take on the world (precocial). Please seek advice before creating an artificial nest to ensure that the baby bird needs it.

WHEN SHOULD YOU INTERVENE?
If I have injuries, I am featherless and my parents have not returned, or I have been in the mouth of a cat or dog I will need to be seen by a vet. Please put a towel over me and place me in a box to transport me to the vet. You can keep me warm by putting a hot water bottle covered in towels in my box. Please do not fed me or give me water, I have a specialised diet and I may need surgery. Once the vet has fixed me up they will send me to Native Animal Rescue for some rest and relaxation

MAKING A NEW NEST
If my nest has been destroyed or you cannot reach it to put me back you can make me a new nest quickly and easily.

1. Punch some holes in the bottom of a plastic bucket, ice-cream container or hanging basket.
2. Put some dried leaves or grass in the bottom of the bucket and put a stick at an angle poking out the top (secure the bottom of the stick in one of the holes) so that mum can get in and out.
3. Put me in my new nest and hang it in a leafy tree or bush where I will be shaded and protected from predators. Make sure you put me close to where you found me so that mum can find me too.

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