



Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with us!

St. Patrick's Day is one of the highest ranking days for impaired driving in on our nation and on our roadways. Please join us in spreading the word that **BUZZED DRIVING IS DRUNK DRIVING!**
Luck needs a plan for a sober ride!



2024

March

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- IMPORTANT DATES**
- 4 Mar: LSU Pedestrian Safety Day
 - 5 Mar: No Traffic Lunch and Learn
 - 11 Mar: ICARE Advisory Meeting
 - 12 Mar: Beyond the Badge Luncheon
 - 14 Mar: West Feliciana Resource Fair
 - 21 Mar: SADD Field Trip Day



Upcoming Webinars

Road Safety Champion Program



Established By



RSCP P&E#5 & FR#2 - Crash Reporting

Date: March 5, 2024

Time: 9:00 am to 11:00 am MT/11:00 am to 1:00 pm ET

Cost: Free

Organization: National Center for Rural Road Safety

This two-hour training provides an overview of the role of crash data collection and reporting in fostering a Safe System and how such reporting benefits from cross-sectoral coordination among law enforcement, engineers, planners, and public health professionals. This training also reviews challenges with crash and injury surveillance, some nuances of crash data collection and reporting, as well as ways in which crash and injury data can be leveraged to inform the design of safety interventions.

Webinar Registration

RSCP P&E#6 - Systemic Safety Project Selection Tool

Date: March 12, 2024

Time: 9:00 am to 11:00 am MT/11:00 am to 1:00 pm ET

Cost: Free

Organization: National Center for Rural Road Safety

The safety analysis process, as part of the FHWA Safety Toolkit, is a systematic process for identifying the factors that can contribute to crashes and implementing effective countermeasures. It is a best practice method that is flexible and can be used to fit your needs. This two hour training will cover the seven step process and discuss how it can be applied using two different complementary analysis methods: the traditional site safety analysis and the systemic analysis. Additionally, case studies will be utilized to practice applying the process.

Webinar Registration



This FHWA webinar series is designed to share equitable strategies and tools that can be integrated into transportation programs and projects to close disparities in roadway fatalities on the way to our shared goal of zero deaths. In these sessions, State, regional, and local transportation professionals share innovative examples to inspire transportation professionals to equitably implement transportation improvements.

In 2024, the series will focus on equitable design strategies, dive deeper into equitable data analysis, and roadway safety for people experiencing homelessness.

March 27, 2024 - Tools and Strategies for Equitable Design

- US Access Board PROWAG Presentation: Learn about accessible design for people with disabilities
 - Empower youth to design their communities

May 22, 2024 - Equitable Data Analysis

- CDC's Syndromic Surveillance Data: Get real time serious injury data
- NHTSA's FIRST database: Easily query FARS fatality data, disaggregate by race, and map

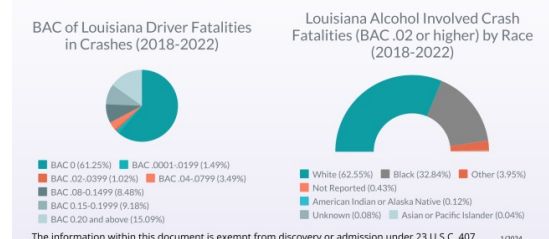
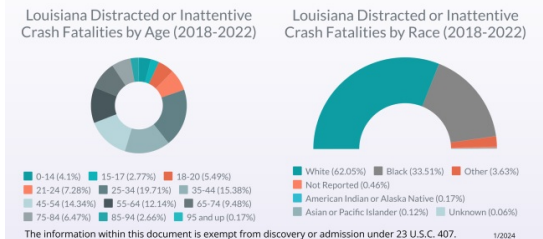
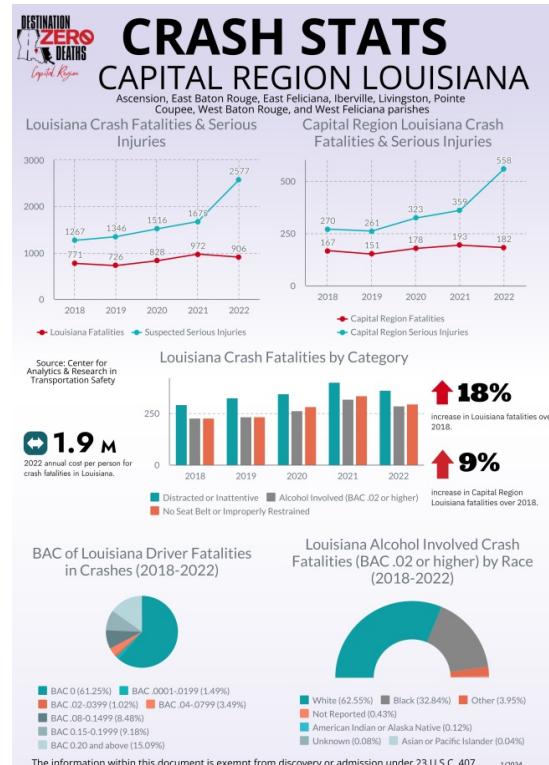
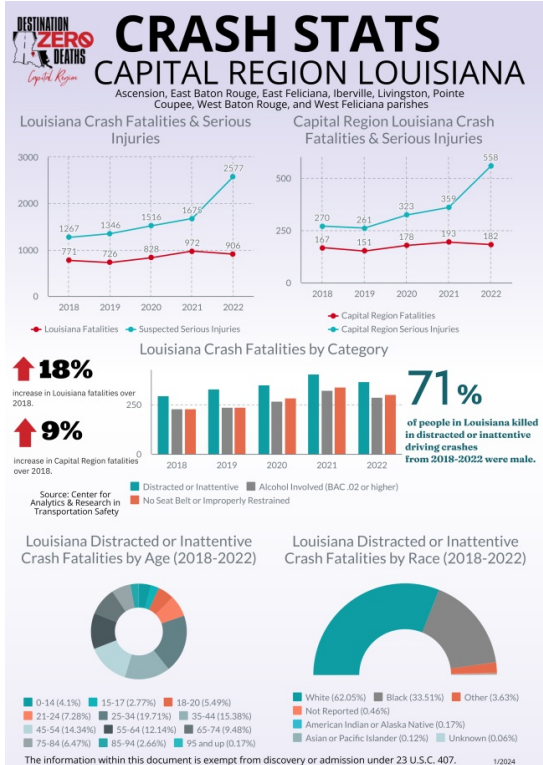
July 24, 2024 - Roadway Safety for People Experiencing Homelessness

- Texas DOT
- Hawaii DOT
- City of San José DOT

These webinars may be eligible for CE/PDH credits. Details for certifying participation will be provided in the webinar sessions.

CAPITAL REGION DATA 2018-2022

Strategic Highway Safety Plan Distracted Driving, Impaired Driving, Occupant Protection Dashboard-derived fact sheets to inform lawmakers in Capital Region. If requested, Capital Region Transportation Safety Coalition can provide regional specific fact sheets.



Legislation SB 98: Prohibits use of a handheld wireless telecommunications device by a person when operating a motor vehicle upon any public roadway in this state.

Upcoming Trainings



Intoxilyzer 9000 Course

There are 2 scheduled Intoxilyzer 9000 Operator Courses offered by Applied Technology in April at Hammond's PD Training Center. Classes are open for registration. Please feel free to share this information to any law agencies that this course may be beneficial to!

Intoxilyzer Training Course Registration



Understanding ACEs: Building Self-Healing Communities

When: Every 2nd Wednesday: Feb 14, Mar 13, & Apr 10, 2024
Where: Online
Time: 10:00 – 11:30 AM
[Click here to register for a session!](#)

WHO IS THIS PRESENTATION FOR?
 Understanding ACEs (Adverse Childhood Experiences) is relevant to everyone. The information provided is used in schools, mental health settings, family-serving agencies, courts, and anywhere there is an opportunity to care for children and families.

WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

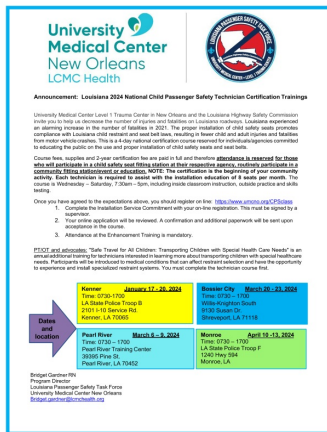
- What ACEs are and how these experiences can impact learning, behavior, & lifelong health.
- What individuals and communities can do to buffer the long-term effects of traumatic experiences and toxic stress, and build resilience.

Training is available at no cost to you.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
 ACE Educator Coordinator: ACEpresentation@la.gov | PartnersofFamilyHealth.org/ACEs

This training is brought to you by the ACE Educator Program of Louisiana Department of Health – Bureau of Family Health.

ACE's Registration



University Medical Center New Orleans LCMC Health

Announcement: Louisiana 2024 National Child Passenger Safety Technician Certification Trainings

University Medical Center and 1 Trauma Center in New Orleans and the Louisiana Highway Safety Commission will join to host an increase in the number of courses and trainings on Louisiana vehicles. Louisiana experienced an alarming increase in the number of fatalities in 2023. The proper installation of child safety seats (proper compliance with Louisiana child restraint and seat belt law, resulting in fewer child and adult injuries and fatalities) can save lives. This is a 4-day national certification program for child passenger safety technicians (CPSTs) to educate the public on the use and proper installation of child safety seats and seat belts.

Childs have, available and a great modification has been added to our schedule. Individuals interested in becoming a CPST will participate in a child safety seat fitting station at their respective agencies. CPSTs participate in a community fitting demonstration at a location. **NOTE:** The certification is the responsibility of your community agency. Each technician is required to assist with the installation education of 8 seats per month. This course is bi-monthly - January / October - from including your classroom instruction, hands practice and skills testing.

Once you have agreed to the expectations above, you should register on-line: <https://www.unmc.edu/CPST>

1. Complete the Registration Service Contract with your on-line registration. This must be signed by a supervisor. A copy of the contract will be received. A coordinator and additional paperwork will be sent upon acceptance in the course.
2. Attendance at all Enforcement Training is mandatory.

CPST's are available: "Safe Travel for All Children: Transporting Children with Special Health Care Needs" is an essential component for the program. Participants will be provided to monitor conditions that can affect resident children and have the opportunity to receive and model appropriate support systems. You must complete the Admission Request Form.

Location	Dates and Location
Monroe	January 17 - 20, 2024 Time: 0730 - 1700 24428 Old River Highway 24011 LA Service Dr Monroe, LA 70006
Bossier City	March 02 - 05, 2024 Time: 0730 - 1700 1000 Independence Blvd 9130 Susan Dr Bossier City, LA 70016
Pearl River	March 06 - 09, 2024 Time: 0730 - 1700 Pearl River Training Center 39395 Pine St Pearl River, LA 70452
Monroe	March 18 - 21, 2024 Time: 0730 - 1700 LA State Police Troop F 1202 Hwy 104 Monroe, LA

Request Card for this Program Through Louisiana's Passenger Safety Task Force University Medical Center New Orleans lahealthcenter@lchc.org

Child Passenger Safety Technician Training Registration Form

Child Passenger Safety Fitting Stations

Understanding ACEs: Building Self-Healing Communities

Provided by the ACE Educator Program of Louisiana Department of Health, Bureau of Family Health and the New Orleans Children Youth & Planning Board, this training will cover:

1. Experiences identified in the ACE study that cause trauma or toxic stress.
2. How these experiences can influence learning, behavior and lifelong health.
3. How individual resilience, supportive relationships and connected communities can buffer long-term impacts of ACEs and prevent child maltreatment

Louisiana 2024 National Child Passenger Safety Technician Certification Trainings

Dates & Locations:

March 6-9, 2024

Pearl River, La
 Time: 0730 - 1700
 Pearl River Training Center
 39395 Pine St. Pearl River, La, 70452

March 20-23, 2024

Bossier City, La
 Time 0730 - 1700
 Willis- Knighton South
 9130 Susan Dr. Shreveport, LA, 71118

April 10-13, 2024

Monroe, La
 Time: 0730 - 1700
 LA State Police Troop F
 1240 Hwy 594 Monroe, LA

LPA Qualification Core Training

(Now a 2-day class) 13 PDHs
 Now required every five years for all project sponsors and their consultants to be qualified to participate in the state and federal programs on future transportation projects.



**Louisiana
Local Technical
Assistance
Program**

**LPA Course
Brochure**

April 10-11, 2024

in Covington Hall of Excellence St. Tammany Utilities Facility 620 N. Tyler St., Covington, LA 70433

April 30 - May 1, 2024

in Baton Rouge Transportation Research Center TTEC Building, Room 100; 4099 Gourrier Avenue Baton Rouge, LA 70808

LPA Construction, Engineering and Inspection (CE&I) 7 PDHs

This class is intended for LPA Construction Project Personnel, engineers who serve as the LPA Project Engineer (PE), and the Responsible Charge.

May 2, 2024 CE&I

in Baton Rouge, Louisiana Transportation Research Center; TTEC Building, Room 100; 4099 Gourrier Avenue Baton Rouge, LA 70808

WHAT: DISTRACTED DRIVING, IMPAIRED DRIVING, INFRASTRUCTURE & OPERATIONS

WHAT: RAILWAY DEPARTURES & RURAL ROADS RAIL CROSSINGS, INTERSECTIONS, MORE

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
IT WOULD BE "RECKLESS" TO MISS THIS

WRECKLESS?

2024 LOUISIANA SAFETY SUMMIT

DON'T FORGET THE "W" IN WRECK-LESS

WHEN: NOVEMBER 13-14, 2024

WHERE: CROWNE PLAZA
4728 CONSTITUTION AVE.
BATON ROUGE, LA

WHY: ZERO DEATHS ON OUR ROADWAYS

WHO: LAW ENFORCEMENT, EDUCATORS, ENGINEERS, EMERGENCY RESPONSE, EVERYONE

WHAT: OCCUPANT PROTECTION, YOUNG DRIVERS, VULNERABLE USERS, CRASH DATA, ETHICS

DESTINATION ZERO DEATHS

Mark your calendars!! 2024 Louisiana Safety Summit

When: November 13-14, 2024

**Where: Crowne Plaza
4728 Constitution Ave.
Baton Rouge, LA**



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