

Child Passenger Seats Save Lives



- Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death for children of all races, ages 2-14. ¹ In 2002, motor vehicle crashes took the lives of 1,785 child passenger vehicle occupants from birth to age 15 ² and injured some 227,000 more. ¹

Fifty percent of the 1,785 children who died in crashes were unbelted. Tragically, nearly half of the children that were unbelted would be alive today if only they had been properly restrained.

- In 2005, 1,451 child occupants under 15 years of age died in motor vehicle crashes, and 203,000 were injured. ³
- In 2005, 46% of child occupants who were fatally injured in crashes were unrestrained. ³
- An estimated 1,700 children's lives were saved between 1996 and 2002 due to being seated in a back seat. ⁴

Source:

¹ NHTSA, *Traffic Safety Facts, Children 2002.*

² NHTSA, *FARS 2002*

³ NHTSA, *Traffic Safety Facts 2005: Children (2005)*

⁴ State Farm Insurance Companies, *Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, and AAP, CPS Issue Report: Partners for Child Passenger Safety (May 2005)*

Child Passenger Seat Education and Installation Assistance ★ Area Service Providers ★

Alabaster Fire Dept.

Installs: 7 Days A Week / 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. / All Locations

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 664-6818

Bessemer Fire Dept.

Installs: Monday - Friday / 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 428-5151

Children's Hospital

Every Other Tuesday (NHTSA Certified)

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 1-800-504-9768

Center Point Fire Dept.

Installs: 7 days a week

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 853-5098

Fairfield Fire Dept.

Installs: Monday—Friday / 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Location: Station 1- 5231 Court B

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 787-1679

Gardendale Fire Dept.

Installs: Monday—Friday / 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Location: Station 1– 1811 Decatur Highway

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 631-6660

Homewood Fire Dept.

Installs: Every 3rd Day

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 332-6154 (Call will be transferred to technician on duty or a voice mailbox)

Hoover Fire Dept.

Installs: 7 Days A Week / 10:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. / All Locations

No Appointment Necessary

Contact Information: 444-7655

Jeff State Community College Highway Safety Program

Installs: 1 Day Per Month

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 856-7975

Mountain Brook Fire Dept.

Installs: Mon.- Fri. / 8:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 802-3838

Rocky Ridge Fire Dept.

Installs: 7 Days A Week / 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Location: 2911 Metropolitan Way

No Appointment Necessary

Contact Information: 822-0532

Sit Tight

Teaches Parents How To Install Child Passenger Seats (NHTSA Certified)

Installs: Twice A Month

Location: 2316 7th Avenue South

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: Allana Pinkerton 542-5304

Trussville Fire Dept.

Installs: 7 Days A Week / Anytime / All Locations

No Appointment Necessary

Contact Information: 655-9123

Vestavia Hills Fire Dept.

Installs: Sunday, Monday & Wednesday (Times Vary)

[An Appointment Is Necessary](#)

Contact Information: 978-0225

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