

# *SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.*

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SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. has at least 1 copy of each of the audiovisuals listed except those marked with "+". Other sources are listed by some audiovisuals. To use our Audiovisual Library, users can pick up and return the items or cover UPS charges (\$5-8).

Charges for non-members: \$5 per audiovisual/projector; \$1 per car seat OR \$10 for complete display.

**NOTE:** Recent incidents of parents being shown videos made prior to the advent of passenger air bags should alert all safety advocates to screen materials for inclusiveness. However, on occasion, a video which is somewhat outdated can be used IF the newer information is emphasized both before and after the screening. Anyone using older items needs to be clear about the possible gaps in information. Some items made long ago are still relevant but may not show current products or present all of the warnings that would be included in current teaching formats. The SafetyBeltSafe Audiovisual Library, also founded in 1980, has a wide range of older videos no longer listed but available for research purposes.

## AUDIOVISUALS

### **\*\* FOR PARENTS \*\***

Children in Crashes. (VHS) 8 mins. by Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS). Covers importance of correct, consistent use of car seats; shows crashed cars in which children died or were saved.

Don't Risk Your Child's Life! VII. (VHS in English and Spanish) 19 min. by Shelness Productions. Crash protection for child passengers, air bag footage, restraint types, compatibility between seats and belts. Technically excellent.

### **PARENTS ALSO SEE:**

[Safety Seats for City Kids](#)

[Which Seat Should Parents Use?](#)

[Why Enforce Child Passenger Safety Laws?](#)

### **\*\* FOR CHILDREN/TEENS/SCHOOLS \*\***

Ask Any Dummy/Seat Belts Make Sense. (VHS) 18 mins. by John McDonald Productions, distributed by Aims Media. Vince and Larry, crash dummies, conclude safety belts/safety seats are best way to escape injury.

Be Safe on Your Bike. (16mm, VHS) 13 mins. by Forrest F. Wilkins, LAPD. A video emphasizing helmet use for everything from everyday riding to cycling at a velodrome. Great for elementary and up. Borrow VHS from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

Bicycle Safety Camp. (VHS) 25 mins. from Sandoz. A light-hearted bike safety course aimed at elementary age children.

Boosters Are For Big Kids Kit. (VHS, DVD) 3 mins. for children; 4 mins. for adults (English and Spanish). Kit includes curriculum for grades K-3, video or DVD, 11" x 17" poster, bumper stickers (1 in English, 1 in Spanish), sample brochure, letters to parents (English or Spanish), letter to teachers/volunteers, booster "rap." Masters for homework and classroom activity, and reproducible information sheets for parents (English or Spanish). (#700V for kit with video or #700DVD for kit with DVD.)

Buckle Up. (VHS) 22 mins. by The Entertainment Industries Council. Celebrities motivate teens to buckle up. Educational materials available, too.

Kid Safe, the Video. (VHS) 30 mins. made for American Academy of Pediatrics. Covers fire safety, burn prevention, limited first aid concepts, other ideas for child 6 to 12 yrs. left home alone. Humorous format.

Harm's Way. (VHS) 18 mins. Award-winning and moving film for teens and young adults on the prevention of head and spinal cord injuries. Produced in 1986 by American Association of Neurological Surgeons/Congress of Neurological Surgeons.

Human Cargo -- A Deadly Way to Go!. (VHS in English or Spanish) 5 mins. by Pediatric Injury Prevention Group. Shows clearly the dangers of riding in the cargo area of pickup trucks, the personal consequences, and the way to refuse to transport others unsafely.

Riding with Bucklebear. by Weiner/Seaman Productions. Preschool through 2nd grade safe riding curriculum. "Going Places with Bucklebear" (CD ROM) and Bucklebear Lap Puppet to use as an adjunct to teaching about child passenger safety may be borrowed from SafetyBeltSafe. U.S.A. For other Bucklebear products, go to [www.bucklebear.com](http://www.bucklebear.com) or call Prevention Alternatives, 517/339-5859.

This Year - Don't Lose Any Friends. (VHS) 17 mins. by Colorado Seat Belt Network. High school students tell how speeding and non-use of safety belts changed their lives.

### **\*\* FOR GENERAL AUDIENCES \*\***

The Aftermath. (VHS) 25 mins. Report on fatal crash of drunk Olympic diver into pedestrians and consequences by The Manocherian Foundation.

All About Air Bags. (VHS) 10 mins. by IIHS. Shows advantages of safety belts and air bags in moderate-to-severe crashes. Answers questions about reliability.

Buckle Up . . . and Do It Right! (VHS) 14 mins. by Shelness Productions. How belts work; how to use them correctly. Borrow VHS from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

Buckle Up? Why Bother? (VHS) 3 mins. by General Motors. Myths refuted.

Children and Infants in Car Crashes: Restrained & Unrestrained. (VHS, DVD) Silent film of 24-30 mph crashes of dummies in motor vehicles; 5 and 10 min. versions made by the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS). SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

Choices. (VHS) 15 mins. by Shepherd Spinal Center. Spinal cord injured talk about precautions ignored and current lives. (SBS USA has Spanish version only.)

Public Service Spots. (3/4 in. videotape) 30-seconds made by IIHS: "Kindness Can Kill," and "Saving A Child's Life." Four 30-second 3/4 in. videotapes by David Curtis with Officer Byrd of L.A.P.D.

Reducing Your Risks in the Crash. (VHS) 9 mins. by Insurance Institute for Highway Safety. Shows the effect of headrests, safety belts, air bags, and safety seats in reducing injury; dangers of air bags for infants rear-facing and anyone close to the dash are stressed.

The Ride of Your Life. (VHS) 30 mins. by GEICO. Race car drivers refute common myths against safety belt use. Spectacular footage.

Safeguard Bus Seat. (VHS) by IMMI, Inc. Need for combination shoulder and lap belts on buses.

Safety Belt Resource Clips (VHS) compiled by Greater Los Angeles Safety Council. The Second Collision, 9 mins., features crash tests with German drivers as well as dummy tests; Indy 500, 8-3/4 mins., has Jackie Stewart and Indy 500 collisions; Egg, Pumpkin, Headache, 2 mins. (public service announcements); Maryland State Police, 20 mins., testimonials on safety belts by troopers buckled up in crashes and by retired troopers who didn't. Quite moving.

Seatbelts, Everybody's Wearing Them. (VHS) 30-second public service announcement with the Oak Ridge Boys by NHTSA.

Seatbelts: Making the Connection and Seatbelts: The Proof. (VHS) 13-1/2 mins. by Montana Power Co. Personalizes reasons for buckling up by the real tragedy of employee's daughter who "just this once" neglected to buckle up.

Tension Time. (VHS) 30 sec. Public service announcement reminding newer parents that even an angry, crying child needs to stay in a safety seat. Made for SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

### **\*\* FOR TRAINING VOLUNTEERS/STAFF \*\***

Child Restraints and Automobiles: At Times An Uneasy Union (VHS) 30 mins. by Shelness Productions; available from NHTSA. Training video for child passenger safety advocates describing major problems and solutions in child seat/vehicle interface.

Child Restraint Systems Alternative Study. March 1996, by Evenflo, GM, Indiana Mills and Mfg., Lear, Takata -- videotape of consumer clinic on models of potential universally-attached safety seats in Michigan.

Dynamic Testing - Child Occupant Protection. (16 mm) 2 brief films of various passenger restraints by University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute.

Protecting the Children in Your Care, Child Passenger Safety for Child Care Providers from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. (DVD) Each segment is available in English and Spanish. Covers child passenger safety: why it is important; how to buckle up right for all ages; and why child care providers need to learn how to buckle up children properly.

When Caring Makes A Difference. (VHS) 13 mins. by National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Ideas of how child passenger safety advocates can be effective.

**TRAINING VOLUNTEERS ALSO SEE:** [Seat Sense; Making the Law Work; Don't Risk Your Child's Life.](#)

**\*\* FOR SPECIAL AUDIENCES \*\***

Crashworthiness of Wheelchairs and Tie Down Systems. (VHS) 60+ mins. by Lawrence Schneider, Ph.D.

Evaluation of Current Methods for Transporting the Handicapped on School Buses. VHS (60+ mins.) by Lyle Stephens.

Making the Law Work: Safety Belt Use in Elmira, NY. (VHS) 6 mins. by IIHS. Brief testimonial on increasing safety belt use through strict enforcement, community cooperation and publicity.

Profits in Seatbelts. (VHS) 7 mins. by American Trauma Society. Shows value to companies in conducting employee buckle-up programs.

Q'Straint. (VHS) 6 mins. by Q'Straint. Contrasts consequences for wheelchair occupants of improper restraint in low speed crashes with use of Q'Straint system.

Q'Straint and You. (VHS) 11-1/2 min. by Q'Straint. How and why to use Q'Straint correctly for wheelchair transport.

Safety Seats for City Kids. (VHS) 8 mins. by Shelness Productions. Geared to the travel experiences of New Yorkers but is applicable to any community in which taxi and car service transport is a major factor.

Special Delivery. (VHS) 15 mins. by Automotive Safety for Children at J. W. Riley Hospital for Children, Indiana University School of Medicine. Transport of premature infants.

Transportation of Medically Fragile Children. VHS (60+ mins.) by Marilyn Bull, M.D.

Which Seat Should Parents Use? (VHS) 6 mins. by NHTSA. Brief overview of kinds of restraints for children of various ages and importance of correct use.

Why Enforce Child Passenger Safety Laws? (VHS) 10 mins. by NHTSA. Reviews cases of two fatalities and one safety restraint-saved family as North Carolina officer notes major reasons enforcement is important.

**SPECIAL AUDIENCES ALSO SEE:** [Dynamic Testing-Child Occupant Protection](#)  
[It's A Lifesaver](#)  
[Safety Belt Resource Clips](#)  
[Seatbelts: Making the Connection and Seatbelts: The Proof](#)  
[Traveling Safely](#)

**PAMPHLETS**

"Are You Using It Right?" -- from NHTSA. How to buckle up children correctly.

"Don't Risk Your Child's Life" (35th edition) from Shelness Productions. Comprehensive child car safety brochure.

"Keep Your Children Safe, Buckle Them Up!" -- from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Low reading level, basic informational brochures in English, Spanish, Armenian, Cambodian, Chinese, Farsi, Korean, Russian, Tagalog, and Vietnamese. Additional languages under development. Quantities available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Single copies free.

"The Perfect Gift: Your Child's Safety" -- (27th edition due 11/07) from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Available in English and Spanish. Details of child car safety. Quantities available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Single copies free.

"Protect Your Baby Now . . . and Later" -- from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Brochure for pregnant women and new parents. Available in English and Spanish. Quantities available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Single copies free.

"Safety Belt Roulette" -- Quiz on passenger safety myths for 4th grade through adult. Revised August, 2005. Quantities available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Single copies free.

NOTE: For any National Highway Transportation Safety Administration (NHTSA) posters, pamphlets, brochures, etc., contact: (415)744-3089 (for quantities of 50 or fewer). Negatives may be borrowed for many items. For more information: NHTSA, NTS-14, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, West Bldg., Washington, DC 20590.

### **STICKERS/POSTERS/STAMPS/SIGNS**

"Boosters Are For Big Kids" – poster and school-bus yellow bumper sticker with 5-Step Test on back, available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

Bucklebear, Ms. Hen, and Big Green Snake posters, coloring books, stamps, etc. can be purchased from Prevention Alternatives, 517/339-5859.

"Get It Together, Please Buckle Up" reflectorized aluminum signs, 24" x 24", to post at parking lot exits. Also available 12" x 12". "Safety Belt Law Enforced" reflectorized aluminum signs, 24" x 24" and 36" x 36". Contact SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. (310)222-6860. Members may reduce cost of signs by 10%.

"Love Your Kids? Buckle 'Em Up" bumper stickers, red letters on white, available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

"No Excuse" Posters feature four different messages based on common excuses for not buckling up children on every ride. #1 Child on lap. #2 They may scream. #3 It takes an adult. #4 It's a hassle. Available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Sample set of four posters in English or Spanish for no charge except shipping/handling \$5 per set. Larger quantities available free, shipping/handling will be invoiced. Sponsored by Nissan North America and Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A.

"5-Step Test Poster" -- Laminated, black and white poster (17" x 22") for teaching. Lists the 5 Steps and shows pictures of a child with and without a booster. Text on the back of the poster ("Does Your Child Need a Booster Seat") provides instructor with information for parents. Order Poster #5.

**EQUIPMENT** -- Demonstration Models of Child Restraint Devices available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.

### **TEACHING GUIDES**

#### **The Child Passenger Safety Reference Manual**

**Part 1: Reference and Teaching Guide.** This guide, used in the eight-hour SafetyBeltSafe Educator Workshop, contains curricula for health professionals, statistics, information on laws and regulations, sample speech outlines, resource lists, up-to-date technical information, and guides for safety seat distribution program development, special needs transport, and early childhood programs. **Part 2: CD with Child Restraint Manufacturer Instructions and Summary Sheets** (see next item for details). (Order #45-49).

#### **Child Restraint Manufacturers' Instructions with Summary Sheets (#450)**

Developed by SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Summary sheets provide revised recommendations from manufacturers, minimum and maximum weights, first and last dates made, harness threading and belt path diagrams, and identification photos. The digital compilation was originally created under a contract with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and has been updated several times. The CD, with all instructions from 1996-January 2007, has more than 4500 pages of material. **CD:** (Order #450CD). **High-quality (digital) printout:** (Order #450P).

#### **Color Pictorial Guide to Child Restraints (August 2007)**

This collection of color photos makes it easier to identify child restraints inspected at events when model names are missing. The model name is essential to find the correct instructions and check the recall list. (Order #50).

#### **Teacher's Guide: A Positive Approach to Teaching Passenger Safety to Young Children (Bucklebear)** (6th edition)

Available from SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. (Order #86).

**Riding with the Big Green Snake** -- Story book, "you are the story" boards, games, buckle-up chart, story with note to parents, additional activities for preschool by Weiner/Seaman Productions. Order from Prevention Alternatives, 517/339-5859. Includes "Boosters Are For Big Kids" video in VHS. 3 minutes for children; 4 minutes for adults (English and Spanish).