

Safety Education Resources Offered by Organizations Outside of Kansas Farm Bureau

Automobile

55 Alive Program

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www.aarp.org/families/driver_safety/wrapper_driver.py

55 ALIVE is an eight-hour classroom refresher course for experienced motorists age 50 and older. The program, which was developed by the American Association of Retired Person's (AARP) in 1979, is the first and most recognized, comprehensive, nationwide course created especially for older drivers.

Kansas Highway Patrol

www.kansashighwaypatrol.org

Programs available: The Convincer (safety belt demonstration), Rollover Simulator, AAA Driver Improvement Program, NCS Defensive Driver Course, Fatal Vision (drinking & driving program), Operation Lifesaver (railroad crossing dangers), Traveling Alone in America, Career Booth, Child Passenger Safety Trailers (importance of child restraints), Road Dog, Miniature Car and Trooper Bear (available for fairs and large group activities – great for kids), Kansas Inspection Requirements (for tractors, trailers, semi-trailers and slow moving vehicles).

Kansas Safety Belt Education Office

3312 Clinton Parkway

Lawrence KS 66047

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www.kansasboosterseat.org

The Kansas Safety Belt Education Office (KSBEEO) is contracted by the Kansas Department of Transportation to promote occupant protection in the State of Kansas. With a primary focus on saving lives and reducing injuries, KSBEEO encourages Kansans to buckle up and travel safely on every ride. To measure statewide compliance, KSBEEO also conducts an annual safety belt usage study which involves over 548 survey sites. Additionally, KSBEEO aims to increase awareness about Child Passenger Safety, airbags and other occupant protection devices through educational classes, seminars and programming.

To accomplish these goals, KSBEEO often partners with outside sources including law enforcement agencies, Emergency Medical Services, primary and secondary schools, Health Departments, safety coalitions and others. Each year, KSBEEO reaches a variety of audiences; ranging from children in schools, to adults in the workplace, with a combination of public information, educational programming and community awareness efforts. KSBEEO materials, including free promotional items, brochures, fact sheets and The Pulse, a quarterly newsletter related to occupant protection; are also distributed statewide.

ATV Safety

Kansas AgrAbility Project

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The Kansas AgrAbility Project assists people with disabilities who are employed in agriculture. Our goal is to inform, educate, and assist farmers, farm families, and farm workers who have disabilities, so they can continue to work and thrive in their agricultural career.

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Farm Safety

Farm Safety USA

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They offer "Fun Farm", a 4-CD audio series, containing 25 safety audio programs for \$48. There is an education quiz at the end of each program. You can check answers on-line at their web site. The CDs were produced in cooperation with Farm Safety 4 Just Kids, who helped with content, script accuracy and the 24 safety issues.

Illegal Drugs

Regional Prevention Centers

www.kfb.org/safety

Provide training and technical assistance services to increase skills, knowledge and the capacity of community members to more effectively respond to the diverse needs of Kansas youth, families and communities.

Weather Safety

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