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**CHILD PASSENGER
SAFETY BOARD**

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April 2016 Instructor Update:

This was sent to all Instructors and Instructor Candidates on April 15, 2016. If you did not receive please check your spam folders and make sure your email address is current in your online Safe Kids certification profile. Thank you!

It has been a busy month for the National Child Passenger Safety Board (NCPBS)! In an effort to provide you with as many resources as possible, this month we will highlight updates on www.cpsboard.org where new information can be found. Please take the time to view this information and we always welcome feedback to Secretariat@cpsboard.org.

Highlights:

- A **Diversity Resource Library** is now available at <http://cpsboard.org/2016/03/child-passenger-safety-web-resources-library/>. If you have resources you would like to share, please email them to CPSresourcelib@yahoo.com.
- A **Resource Calendar** highlights materials to support CPS/OP community outreach efforts beyond car seat check events. There are two primary goals for this resource: 1) Support for CPST/Is, and 2) A resource to share with employers demonstrating a larger scope of the value CPS professionals can bring to an organization. CPST/Is are encouraged to share creative programming ideas to share with others. See <http://cpsboard.org/event/passport-to-safety/> as an example. Send your creative programming ideas to Secretariat@cpsboard.org to share with others in the field!
- **NCPBS Membership applications** are now being accepted through June 12, 2016. Visit <http://cpsboard.org/2016-board-membership-application/> for the instructions and application. To learn more about the NCPBS, visit <http://cpsboard.org/learn-about-the-board/>.
- **Congratulations to the 2016 CPS Technician and Instructor of the Year: Patricia Corwin, CPST, and Mark Van Horn, CPSTI.** They were recognized at the national Lifesavers conference in Long Beach, CA on April 2nd. For more information about the winners and these awards, visit <http://cpsboard.org/awardpage/2016-technician-instructor-of-the-year-awards/>. These awards are the only national awards recognizing certified CPS professionals. Please consider who you can nominate for the 2017 awards! Our thanks to AAA for the \$500 monetary prize that was given to each winner!

Thank you for all that you do to keep children safe in and around vehicles!

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