CPS Coordinators Forum

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Welcome

Agenda

- Welcome
  - Mandi Seethaler, NCPSB
- MACPS
  - Courtney Barry
  - Vera Fullaway
- Safe Kids Certification
  - Stephanie Heitsch
- NCPSB Resources Update
  - Tammy Franks

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Guest Speakers

Courtney Barry
Vera Fullaway
Manufacturers Alliance for Child Passenger Safety

MACPS
Manufacturers Alliance
Child Passenger Safety

Overview

- Who is MACPS and what is our Mission
- Conference Support
- Other cool things about MACPS

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What is the mission of MACPS?

Manufacturers Alliance for Child Passenger Safety (MACPS)

brings representatives of car seat and vehicle companies together to
work cooperatively to support CPSTs,
the advocacy community,
and ultimately the safety of children.

Who is MACPS?

- American Honda Motor Co.
- Chicco
- Diono
- Goodbaby International
- IMMI
- Newell Brands
- Safe Traffic System (RideSafer)
- Summer
- Volkswagen Group of America
- Bubblebum
- Clek
- Dorel Juvenile
- Hyundai / Kia
- mifold
- Nuna
- smartridr, ltd, (Whizrider)
- UPPAbaby

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Benefits of Manufacturer attendance

- Update on the lasted car seats and projects
- Face to Face interactions
- Product to use to update your training trailer

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Current CEU's

MACPS Harmonized Statements

MACPS DIY: Build a New Car Seat

MACPS The Evolution of Consumer Driven Innovation

MACPS Car Seat Detective: A Deep Dive into Manuals

MACPS Scavenger Hunt

MACPS Compliant, Non-Compliant or Counterfeit

MACPS Brainteasers Game

MACPS Deconstructing Car Seats

Other Cool things

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Other Cool things

What is a MACPS CPS Hall of Fame Member?

Up until 50 years ago, the methods used to transport infants and very young children in passenger vehicles were the SIMA (Safe in Mother's Arms) and the MRA (Mom's Right Arm) systems. As our culture began to recognize the need to improve adult passenger protection it also began to recognize the need to properly protect our young passengers.

Since then, a number of individuals have come to stand out as those who went far above and beyond with an unlimited passion to change the way children are protected in all vehicles. The Child Passenger Safety Hall of Fame (HOF) is an assembly of standout individuals who have contributed to the advancement of Child Passenger Safety (CPS). Here, these leaders are recognized and remembered for the indelible impressions they have left on their community, our nation, and even the world to change and improve child passenger safety. Each member has made a significant impact on the evolution, development, and perpetuation of CPS.

The CPS Hall of Fame honors those who have contributed to CPS in all facets. Included are members that were manufacturers, government and public and private agency specialists, advocates, designers, researchers and many others. All have made contributions that have been regionally, nationally or internationally significant and of enduring value.

These HOF members are the dreamers of what could be, a safe place for our children. They also were the people that made those dreams live as did the many children whose lives were changed because of their actions. There are many HOF dreams in all of us and we look forward to one day recognizing todays dreamers for making their dreams a reality.

THANK YOU!

Thank you very much to ***Safe Ride News*** for hosting the MACPS website and also to ***JPMA, Safe Kids*** and ***The National Child Passenger Safety Board*** for their continued support.

For information on the MACPS please visit: www.saferidenews.com

Email: manufacturersalliancecps@gmail.com

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REMEMBER: Inviting MACPS members to your conferences can provide FREE CEUs, including exhibit and manufacturers updated information to your regional CPST's. The car seat companies cover their own expenses to attend your conferences.

Guest Speaker

Stephanie Heitsch
Safe Kids Certification

SAFE KIDS WORLDWIDE

CPS Certification Update

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Recertification

Seat Check Alternatives Policy

Seat Check Requirement

The standard recertification requirement of 5 reviewed seat checks will remain available.

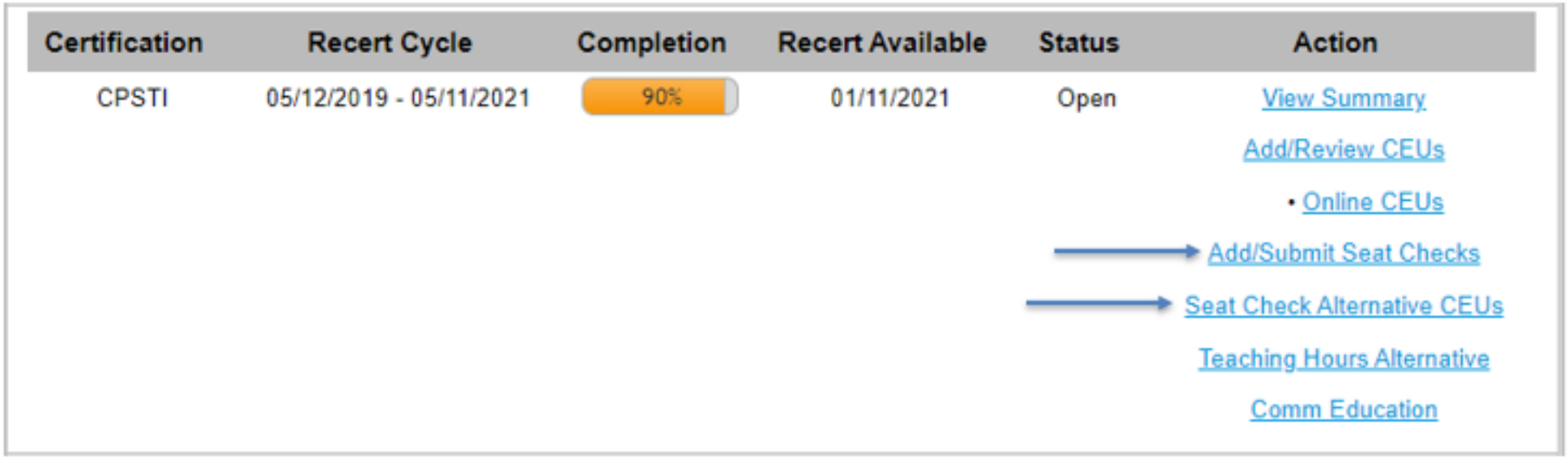
New Option

- Child Passenger Safety Technicians and Instructors (CPST/Is) can submit up to five (5) additional

CEUs in place of reviewed seats.

- CPST/Is can submit any combination of reviewed seat checks and CEUs to total 5.
- One (1) CEU will be the equivalent of one (1) reviewed seat check.
- CPST/Is will acknowledge (via checked box or similar method):
  - Confidence in their technical skill; and
  - Confidence in their ability to effectively communicate with parents and caregivers.

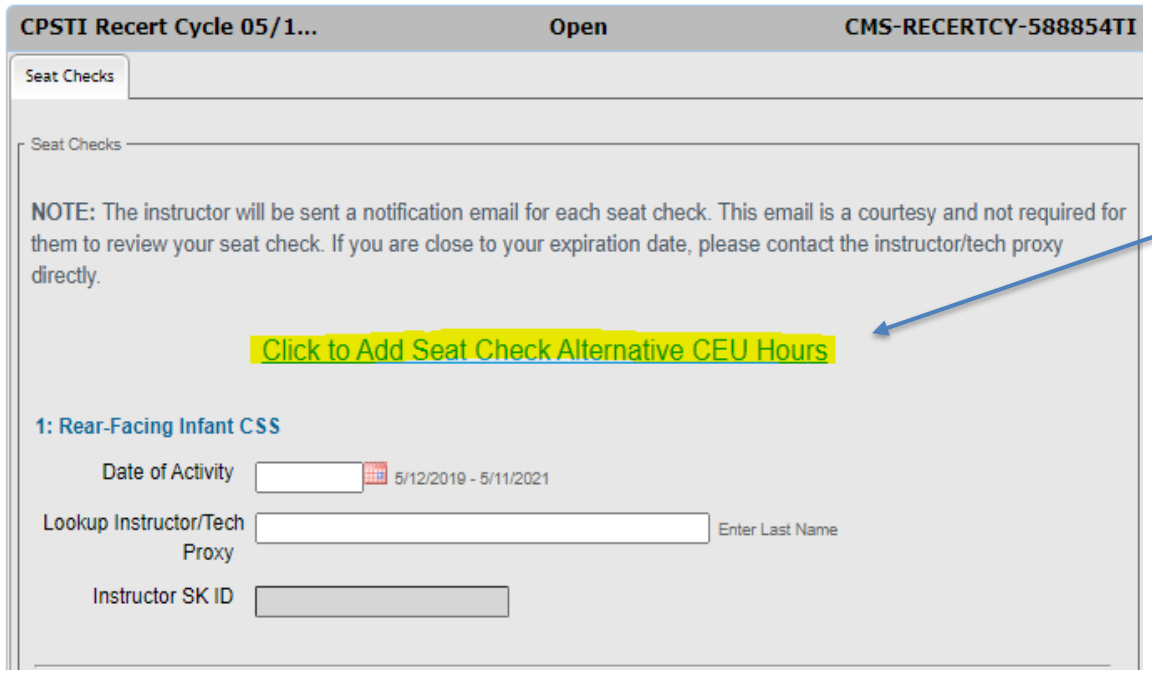
Entering Seat Check Alternatives



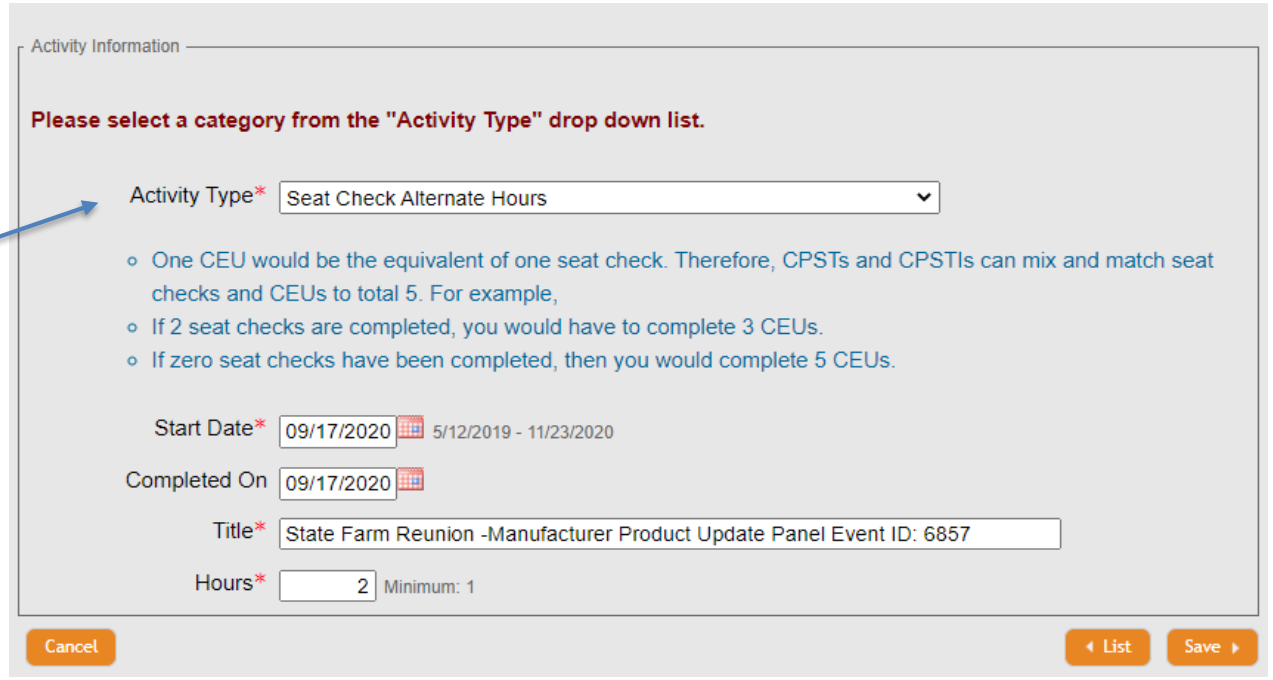
Certification	Recert Cycle	Completion	Recert Available	Status	Action
CPSTI	05/12/2019 - 05/11/2021	90%	01/11/2021	Open	View Summary
					Add/Review CEUs
					• Online CEUs
					Add/Submit Seat Checks
					Seat Check Alternative CEUs
					Teaching Hours Alternative
					Comm Education

Seat Check Alternative

Add/Submit Seat Checks



Seat Check Alternative CEUs



CPST Instructor Teaching Hours Requirement

The standard recertification requirement of 20 teaching hours will remain available.

New Option

- CPSTIs can submit additional Community Education hours in place of teaching hours.
- The system will continue to add newly earned teaching hours to Instructor's profiles.
- The number of required Community Education Hours (2 or 5) will depend on the Instructor's remaining (or incomplete) teaching hours during the current recertification cycle.

# of Teaching Hours Earned	# of Remaining Teaching Hours	# of required Community Education Hours
0-10	11-20	5
11-19	1-10	2
20 or more	0	0

- Instructors will acknowledge (via checked box or similar method):
  - Confidence in their teaching/classroom skills; and
  - Confidence in their ability to effectively communicate with parents and caregivers.

Where can I find CEUs?

- **CPS Express, Cert Facebook page and Safe Kids Certification** page lists new CEUs and upcoming live webinars
- **Training.safekids.org** - Must create a username and password – 8 CEUs available
- **National Child Passenger Safety Board** - create login account - Under the recertification tab – scroll down to:
  - Technical Education Sessions – Webinars and Quizzes
  - Car Seat Manufacturer Sessions – Webinars and Quizzes

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Additional Available sites for earning CEUs:

- Safe Kids Certification (list of upcoming live webinars, more tips and links to resources)
- Safety Made Easier by Evenflo
- Kansas Traffic Safety Resource
- Texas A&M AgriLife
- Britax Advocate Portal (currently down for repairs)

Pre-approval Application for CPS CEUs

- All categories of CEUs must meet the content requirements of **“Improving CPS technical knowledge”.**
- Participants must be provided with **proof of attendance** (certificate, copy of sign in sheet or personal letter/email from provider), including:
- **Files must be kept** for each session offered for a minimum of two years from date provided
- All pre-approved sessions can only be used for **one year** from approval date

Pre-approval Application for CPS CEUs

Update/Conf. name (if applicable): _____

Target audience: _____

Date of update: _____

City/State of update: _____

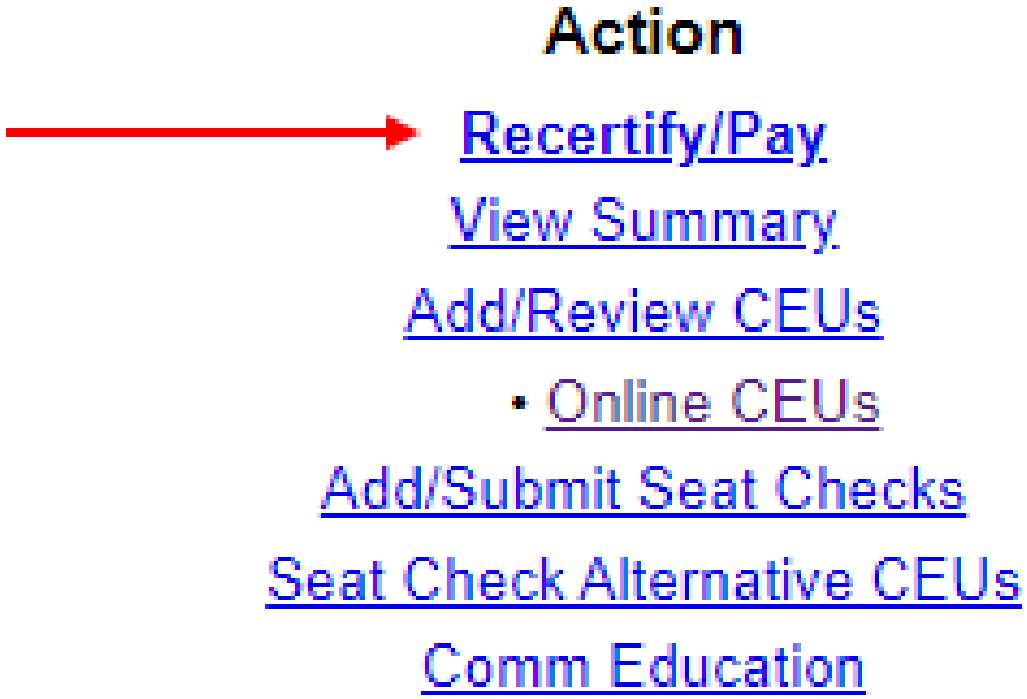
How will proof of attendance be provided to attendees? (required)

Please submit at **least 2 weeks** before the event to allow adequate time for review. Applications will be reviewed, and a response will usually be provided within three (3) business days by email.

Note: The assigned Event ID may be used for 1 year from the date of the initial workshop or update. To use the same event ID, the original agenda must be followed, and the content reviewed, updated if necessary. Send Safe Kids an email (email address is on preapproval application) with the Event ID, date, city/state and confirm the content has been reviewed. This assures CEU content is current technical information that will build upon the skills of certified technicians as they prepare for recertification.

Complete this application and submit by email to Stephanie: **sheitsch@safekids.org**

I completed all my recertification requirements, but it will not allow me to pay the recertification fee.



Safe Kids Certification Team

The Safe Kids team is available to help you with recertification, course management, CEU audits and any other certification-related issues.

- **Shushanna Mignott,** Program Director (smignott@safekids.org)

- **Wardell Bonner,** Senior Customer Service Associate (cpscert@safekids.org or 202-875-6330)

Assistance recertifying, managing a course, or paying a fee (roster issues)

- **Stephanie Heitsch,** Certification Associate (sheitsch@safekids.org)

Questions about pre-approvals for CEUs

- **Debbie Landoskey**, Quality Assurance Specialist (cpsaudit@safekids.org)

Questions about CEU audit

State Farm Technical Updates

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Safe Kids Worldwide and State Farm

Technical Update Event Application

Two technical updates are being scheduled within 6 State Farm Field Areas between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021, 12 each fiscal year. Certified technicians and instructors are invited to meet, network, and get updated CPS information.

The grant amount is $400 and may be used for instructor compensation, promotion, and general technical update supplies (e.g. demo seats, markers, flip charts, LATCH manuals, or CRMI CDs).

Several agendas are available, providing a variety of update options from half a day to a full one. We encourage securing additional partners and sponsors for the technical update. This grant opportunity is not restricted to Safe Kids Coalitions. Any organization/agency interested in supporting and maintaining their community's network of certified technicians and instructors may apply.

Grant funds will be provided to the instructor.

If the in-person update cannot be held, funds can be used to support a virtual update or local CPST support. Contact Safe Kids to discuss options. The evaluation is still required.

Safe Kids Worldwide and State Farm

Technical Update Event Application

CPS Instructor Responsibilities (*Check each box ☑ to convey agreement*)

X Serves as primary contact for CPS Certification Specialist
X Participate in technical update by offering CPS technical update (agenda TBD)
X Localize presentations for technical update
X Coordinate update promotion for a minimum of 40 technicians
X Confirm registration of attendees
X Provide and distribute Certificate of Attendance or Passport
X Submit completed event evaluation within 30 days to Safe Kids
X Complete a site inspection to ensure classroom has adequate seating and space for equipment and number of attendees. Also ensure facility has space for hands-on activities and vehicles (e.g. reserved parking spaces in lot or garage); availability of audiovisual needs to meet needs of speakers
X Assess availability of internet access for submitting recertification requirements by technicians (optional)

Safe Kids Worldwide and State Farm

Technical Update Event Application

X Collaborate with CPS Specialist on developing an evaluation tool of speakers, facilities, etc. that includes topics of interest for future updates and distribute; collect and provide summary to lead instructor and speakers

X Work with and invite local State Farm representative to update to provide greeting

X Contact the State CPS Coordinator and State Safe Kids Coordinator (http://www.nhtsa.gov/people/injury/childps/Training/ContactList.cfm--- http://www.safekids.org/coalitions)

X Send thank you letter, summary of results to all tech update sponsors and speakers

X Contact the Safe Kids Worldwide Certification Program for assistance, if needed Stephanie Heitsch: sheitsch@safekids.org or 720-527-1983.

Safe Kids Worldwide and State Farm

Technical Update Event Application

The instructor and the local State Farm representative will be notified of application results via email within 2 weeks of the application's receipt.

Upon approval by Safe Kids Worldwide, a check in the amount of $400 will be requested. The check will arrive approximately 3-4 weeks following approval and be from the Children's National Medical Center.

A W-9 (dated Oct. 2018) is required. Send in a W-9 with this application: www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf The check payable agency/person must be listed on the W-9 (line 2) or the application address for where the check must be sent must match up with the W-9 form.

Safe Kids Worldwide and State Farm

Technical Update Event Evaluation

- Event Summary
- Budget Summary
- Partnership Summary
- Media Summary

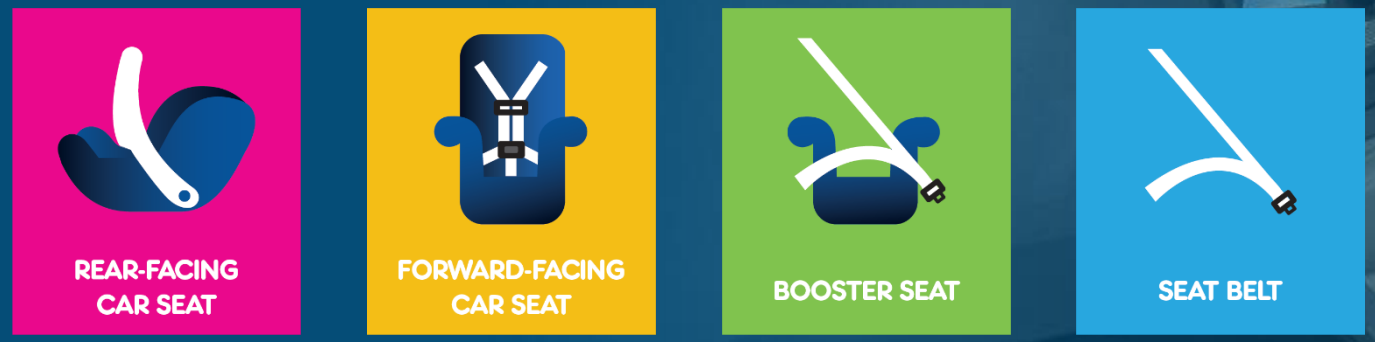
Questions?

Guest Speaker

Tammy Franks
National Child Passenger Safety Board

Launching
Late 2021

Hybrid National CPST Certification Training



NHTSA

Hybrid Curriculum Webinars

- WED., May 12th – 2 pm ET
- FRI., May 14th – 11 am ET
- TU., May 18th – 11 am ET
- TH., May 20th – 2 pm ET

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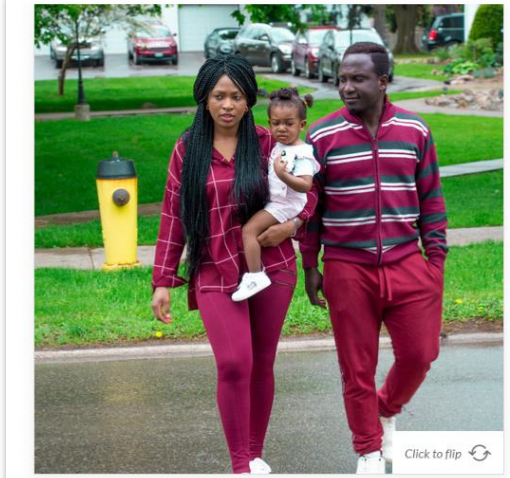
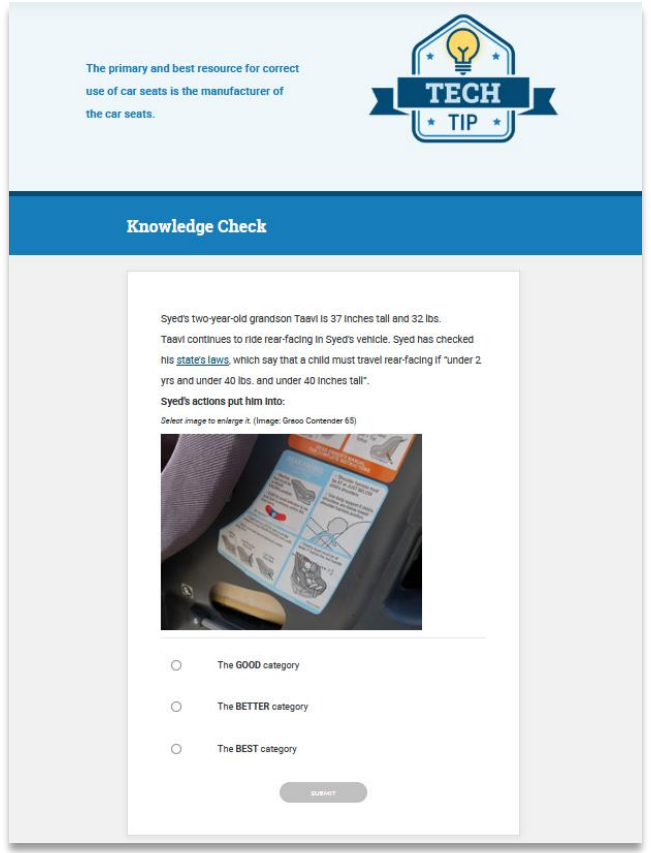
DEMONSTRATION VIDEOS

INTERACTIONS

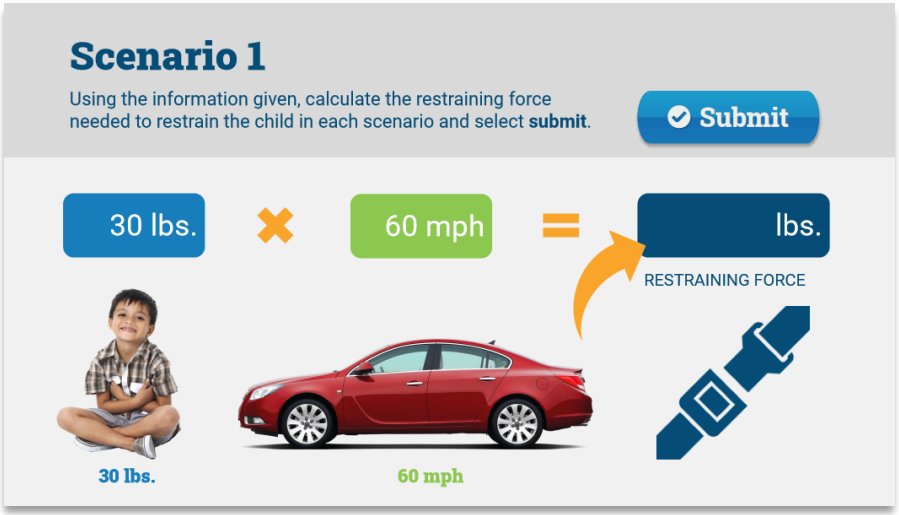


TECH TIPS



VIRTUAL SESSIONS

KNOWLEDGE CHECKS



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cpsboard.org/trainings

CPS Board > Resource Center > Boost Your Child Passenger Safety Knowledge and Skills

These **FREE trainings** are intended to boost your child passenger safety knowledge and skills to help keep children safe in and around vehicles. Click on one of the links below and begin your training today!

E-Learnings

Car Seat Basics – Now Available! Keep children safe in cars as they grow by completing all or specific modules on rear-facing and forward-facing car seat use, as well as booster seat and seat belt use:

- How-to Guide: Car Seat Basics — First-Time User
- How-to Guide: Car Seat Basics — Returning User

How To Guide:
Car Seat Basics First-Time Access

The *Car Seat Basics* e-learning is available to all learners **free of charge**. In order to access the e-learning, it must be "purchased" from the National Safety Council's (NSC) learning management system at no cost. Follow the steps below to access the *Car Seat Basics* e-learning by first creating an account on NSC Learning.

1. Visit cpsboard.org/trainings.
2. Click on the *Car Seat Basics* icon. This will redirect you to the NSC Learning.
3. Click **Add to cart**.

4. This will take you to the Shopping Cart. Click **Next**.

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Program Partners: NHTSA NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION, nsc, SAFE KIDS WORLDWIDE

Curriculum | Recertification | Award Nominations | Board Membership | Resources | Car Seat Safety | Register | Login

Earn CEUs: Recertify as an Instructor or Tech

cpsboard.org/trainings

CPS Board > Earn CEUs: Recertify as an Instructor or Tech

Instructions for Earning Online CEUs and Community Education Hours

Get Started

1. Register and create an account or log in to your existing account. NOTE: This is a different username and password than used on your Safe Kids Certification account.
2. Select a webinar to watch.
3. Complete the corresponding quiz for the webinar. NOTE: You must be logged into your cpsboard.org profile in order to take the quiz. Quizzes are not required to earn community education hours.
4. A certificate of completion will be generated when the quiz is successfully completed. The certificate of completion is saved in your cpsboard.org profile. NOTE: You will find a hyperlink to the certificate of completion for any quizzes successfully completed under the heading "Course Info" on the bottom, left side of your cpsboard.org profile page.

Guiding You Every Step of the Way

- How to create a user profile on cpsboard.org
- Earning CEUs on cpsboard.org
- Saving a Certificate of Completion from CEUs earned on cpsboard.org
- How to Update Your User Profile Password

Questions: Email secretariat@cpsboard.org

+ Technical Education Sessions: Webinars and Quizzes

+ Car Seat Manufacturer Sessions: Webinars and Quizzes

+ Community Education: Webinars

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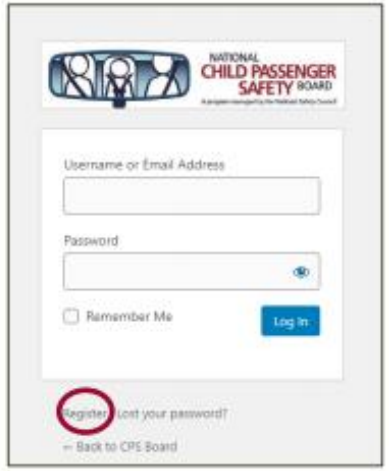
How to create a user profile on cpsboard.org

1. Visit cpsboard.org.
2. Click Login in the top menu bar.

3. To create a new user profile, click Register at the bottom of the login prompts.



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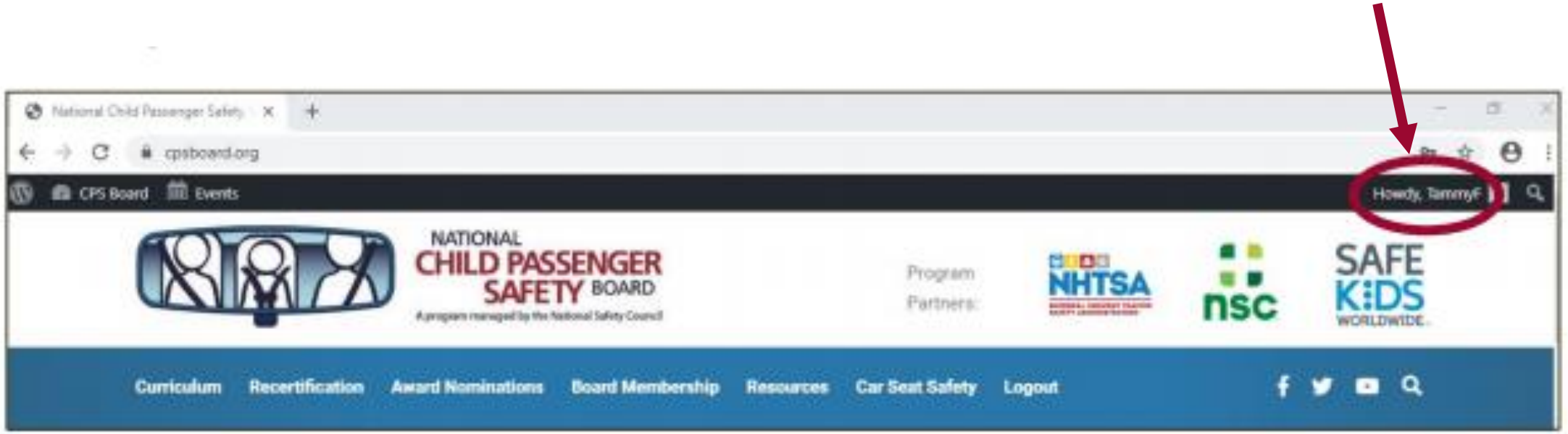

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National Child Passenger Safety Board Program Support

1-844-573-6531
(toll free)

secretariat@cpsboard.org

Locate meeting recordings on cpsboard.org

cpsboard.org/resource-center/together-we-can-move-child-passenger-safety-forward/

Thank you!

Next CPS Coordinators Forum is
April 14, 2021
2pm ET/1pm CT