How Organizations and Child Passenger Safety Advocates Can Work Together to Prevent #1 Killer and Crippler of Children

- 1. Include a child passenger safety article, such as "Make Every Ride, A Safe Ride," in company/agency newsletter. Contact SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. for a copy.
- 2. Show video, "Don't Risk Your Child's Life IX," at an event or staff meeting. Discount purchases for SBS USA members.
- 3. Create a link from organization to www.carseat.org or SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A. Facebook page.
- 4. Arrange for child passenger safety advocates to present informative talks to safety seminars.
- 5. Have child passenger safety advocates meet with managers, union representatives, and/or employee group leaders to discuss the value of providing their employees with a child passenger safety awareness program and specific technical assistance.
- 6. Encourage businesses and organizations to support local programs and help your community meet child passenger safety needs by
 - a. purchasing and sharing up-to-date brochures.
 - b. sponsoring a community-oriented educational program.
 - c. purchasing an audiovisual, such as "Don't Risk Your Child's Life IX," for community education.
 - d. sponsoring an in-house safety seat distribution program.
 - e. helping to fund community safety seat distribution programs.
 - f. sending staff or volunteers to child passenger safety training.
- 7. Print posters to distribute within organization and/or community.
- 8. Alert community service groups, to which members/employees belong, about child passenger safety needs.
- 9. Set policies which mandate proper use of appropriate restraints for children and other occupants of company vehicles.
- 10. Incorporate child passenger safety information in routine health information given to staff/members.
- 11. Give educational information, low-cost safety seat, or voucher to employees. Watch for changes in dependent information on group insurance policy when a new baby is born or adopted.
- 12. Ask employees/members to contribute creative suggestions for new ways to reach the public with child passenger safety information.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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