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Injury and Violence Prevention
Program Information



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MICHIGAN INJURY FACTS

- Over 5,478 Michigan citizens died from injuries in 2004.
- In 2003, over 48,000 Michiganians were hospitalized as a result of injuries.
- In 2004, there were 486 firearm related homicides and 532 firearm related suicides.
- 1,159 people died in motor vehicle crashes in 2004.
- Approximately one-fifth of Michigan seniors with a hip fracture die within one year.
- It is estimated that 1 in 7 Michigan women has experienced at least one rape in her life.

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IVPS programs contact us at:

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Keeping Michigan Safe

*Injuries are the leading cause
of death for Michigan's citizens
between the ages of 1 to 44 years*

INJURY AND VIOLENCE PREVENTION SECTION VISION

To make a significant contribution to public health in the areas of injury and violence prevention:

MOBILIZE PARTNERS, RESOURCES

Provide leadership to support and coordinate collaborative efforts among stakeholders to address priority causes of injury and violence in Michigan.

ASSESS THE BURDEN OF INJURIES AND VIOLENCE

Integrate surveillance systems that collect injury and violence data and communicate that information for the purpose of action.

COORDINATE INTERVENTIONS

Promote the application of evidence-based programming and evaluation to all at-risk populations for priority causes of injury and violence.

PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING

Provide technical support and ensure that appropriate training opportunities are available to ensure that injury prevention and other professionals have the skills and materials related to best practice.

ENGAGE COMMUNITIES

Engage public and private partners to educate the public, policy makers, and others about injuries and violence and to advocate, on behalf of Michigan's citizens, for laws and public policies that reflect best practices.

IVPS PROGRAMMING

Child Passenger Safety (CPS)

- Booster Seat Research Study & Campaign
- Child Passenger Safety Education & Training Program
- Technical Assistance
- State Plan Implementation

Childhood Injury Prevention

- Consumer Product Recalls (www.recalls.gov)
- Community Bicycle Helmet Program
- Safe Kids Michigan Coalition
- Website: www.michigansafekids.org

Childhood & Adolescent Violence Prevention

- State plan under development

Fall Prevention in the Elderly

- Michigan Fall Prevention Partnership
- Hospital-Based Fall Prevention Clinic Study

Rape Prevention & Education Program

- Rape & Sexual Assault Prevention Education Grants Program (RSAPE)
- Sexual Assault Surveillance System (SASS)
- Special Sexual Violence Prevention Initiatives

Suicide Prevention

- Technical Assistance
- Resource Coordination
- Information Dissemination
- State Plan Implementation