

Basic Training Module Specifications

<u>Functional Area:</u>	V. Traffic
<u>Subject Area:</u>	E. Motor Vehicle Crash Investigation
<u>Module Title:</u>	1. INTRODUCTION TO TRAFFIC CRASH INVESTIGATION
<u>Hours:</u>	Not less than 2 hours
<u>Notes to Instructor:</u>	None

Module Objectives:

- V.E.1.1. Identify the Elements of a Motor Vehicle Crash.
- a. Determines that it is an unintentional event.
  - b. Determines that there is damage and/or injury.
  - c. Determines that the event is attributable to a motor vehicle in transport or its load.
  - d. Determines that the crash occurred on a trafficway.
  - e. Determines that the event is not an aircraft or watercraft crash.
- V.E.1.2 Determine Whether Drivers Have Fulfilled Their Responsibilities as Mandated by Law.
- a. Identifies the sections of the Michigan Vehicle Code which mandate driver responsibilities in connection with a vehicle crash.
  - b. Applies the law to the traffic crash situation and determines whether the drivers have fulfilled their responsibilities related to:
    - (1) Stopping;
    - (2) Identifying themselves and their vehicle; and
    - (3) Rendering aid.

V.E.1.3. Determine Whether an Officer Has Authority to Take Enforcement Action for a Traffic Crash.

- a. Conducts a personal investigation of the traffic crash.
- b. Establishes reasonable cause that a misdemeanor or civil infraction violation has been committed.

**Module History**

Reviewed	9/21
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