



May Safety

Child Passenger Safety

❖ Tips on Child Passenger Safety

- Take advantage of child seat safety checks
- Children should ride in the back seat at least through age 12
- All 50 states require child seats with specific criteria
- Wear your seat belt; be a good influence for your child

❖ Child Seat Specifics

- Car seat life typically ranges from 6-10 years
- Pay attention for recalls on child seats
- Read the NSC position statement on child restraints



❖ Kids and Hot Cars

- 55% of children who have died were under 2 years of age
- 52% were forgotten by caregiver
- 24% gained access on their own
- 21% were knowingly left by caregiver
- 1.8% were unknown



Remember, always check the back seat for children when you exit your vehicle!!

