

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IN GREATER PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY



PEDESTRIAN SAFETY CRISIS

FROM 2021 - 2023

312 people suffered injuries in pedestrian and auto crashes

23 deaths in pedestrian and auto crashes

IMPACT ON COMMUNITIES



Who is more likely to suffer from pedestrian incidents and experience a higher risk of death?

- Individuals living in low-income neighborhoods
- Black/African American and Hispanic/Latino communities

IMPACT ON HEALTH OVER A LONG TERM PERIOD



Current research shows there may be a connection between traffic-related injuries and mental health problems such as:

- Depression
- Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)
- Opioid prescription addiction



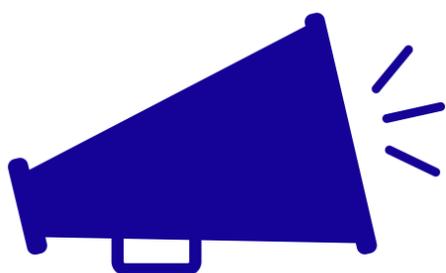
SAFE SYSTEMS APPROACH (SSA)

Let's use a SSA to increase safety for all.

- Safer speeds
- Safer roads
- Safer vehicles
- Safer people
- Post-crash care
medical treatment provided after a crash

BENEFITS OF ACTIVE LIVING

People that walk or bike to and from places practice one of the easiest, time-efficient, and low-cost ways to get their daily recommended exercise. Doing this may prevent or manage chronic disease.



What YOU Can Do?

Join us in conducting neighborhood-walk audits, attending local transportation meetings and town halls.

For more information, email:
mburton@institutephi.org