



## TOWN OF HARRISBURG FIRE DEPARTMENT

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### Child Passenger Safety Program

The Harrisburg Fire Department is committed to ensuring that children riding in cars are well protected in the event of a car accident. To that end, the Harrisburg Fire Department, in cooperation with Cabarrus County Safe Kids coalition, is working to help make children as safe as possible.

That goal is accomplished by offering the following services to Harrisburg & Cabarrus County residents, all at no cost or obligation:

- Child safety seat inspections
- Installation guidance
- Product recall checks
- Informative literature
- Training to other organizations
- Child safety seats for financially disadvantaged families (small fee charged)

#### How safe is your child's Car seat?

Have you ever wondered if your child's car seat would afford adequate protection if you were ever involved in an accident?

Through a free program available from the Harrisburg Fire Department you can have one of the department's specially certified personnel inspect your car seat and demonstrate the correct way to install the device for the maximum safety of its precious occupants.

Several Harrisburg Firefighters underwent several hours of training to identify, correct and give advice on proper car seat installation. Harrisburg firefighters are nationally certified by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Safe Kids coalition.



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The free review will take about 45 minutes. The certified technician will review the size, style and condition of the car seat with regard to your child, and then demonstrate the proper way to install the seat. The technician can also answer any questions you might have.

In cases where a seat is found to be unsafe, an appropriate loaner will be provided until a safe car seat can be purchased.

If you'd like an inspection and a personalized training session on the proper installation of the device in your vehicle, contact the Harrisburg Fire Rescue at 704-455-3574.

Want to learn more about Child Passenger Safety? Just visit the websites below or contact your local law enforcement, fire department or Safe Kid's Coalition.

[www.safekids.org](http://www.safekids.org) or [www.nhtsa.dot.gov](http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov)