



## SURVIVAL 101 SOURCES:

### INSERT ONE SIDE ONE TALKING POINTS:

Traffic crashes are the leading cause of death for teenagers. Thousands are killed every year.

[http://www.nhtsa.gov/portal/site/nhtsa/template.MAXIMIZE/menuitem.cd18639c9dadbabbbf30811060008a0c/?javax.portlet.tpst=4427b997caacf504a8bdba101891ef9a\\_ws\\_MX&javax.portlet.prp\\_4427b997caacf504a8bdba101891ef9a\\_viewID=detail\\_view&itemID=d91cd60670268110VgnVCM1000002fd17898RCRD&viewType=standard#stats](http://www.nhtsa.gov/portal/site/nhtsa/template.MAXIMIZE/menuitem.cd18639c9dadbabbbf30811060008a0c/?javax.portlet.tpst=4427b997caacf504a8bdba101891ef9a_ws_MX&javax.portlet.prp_4427b997caacf504a8bdba101891ef9a_viewID=detail_view&itemID=d91cd60670268110VgnVCM1000002fd17898RCRD&viewType=standard#stats)

Hundreds of thousands of teens are injured in crashes every year. Many of those injuries are critical and lifelong.

<http://www.keepthedrive.com/Statistics.aspx> (Allstate)

80 percent of crashes are caused by driver behavior. Most are caused by some sort of distraction just seconds before the crash.

<http://distraction.gov/stats-and-facts/> and <http://www.drivesafepa.org/Safe-Driving-Facts/>

### INSERT ONE SIDE TWO CRITICAL MESSAGES:

Texting impairs driving ability as much, if not more, than drinking and driving.

[http://www.caranddriver.com/features/09q2/texting\\_while\\_driving\\_how\\_dangerous\\_is\\_it\\_-feature](http://www.caranddriver.com/features/09q2/texting_while_driving_how_dangerous_is_it_-feature)

Teen drivers are three times more likely than adults to die in nighttime crashes

[http://www.usatoday.com/money/autos/2005-02-28-teen-drive-cover-usat\\_x.htm](http://www.usatoday.com/money/autos/2005-02-28-teen-drive-cover-usat_x.htm)

Adding one male passenger doubles the risk of death for a 16-year-old

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10 teens die every day in crashes

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One in four young drivers killed in traffic crashes have been drinking

[http://www.iihs.org/research/fatality\\_facts\\_2008/teenagers.html#sec1](http://www.iihs.org/research/fatality_facts_2008/teenagers.html#sec1)

\*Three out of four young drivers killed in alcohol-related crashes aren't buckled up

**\*Presenter needs to update statistics**

Over 100,000 crashes each year are caused by fatigue

<http://drowsydriving.org/about/facts-and-stats/>

More than half of fatigue crashes involve teens

<http://drowsydriving.org/2009/09/today-show-looks-at-drowsy-teen-drivers/>

Seat belts cut the risk of fatal injury nearly in half

<http://www.cdc.gov/ncipc/duip/buckleup.htm>

**INSERT TWO SIDE ONE & TWO CRASH CHARACTERISTICS:**

**Distracted Driving:**

<http://distraction.gov/stats-and-facts/>

**Driver Error/Inexperience:**

<http://distraction.gov/stats-and-facts/> and

[ftp://ftp.dot.state.pa.us/public/Bureaus/HighwaySafety/Web%20Development/Crash%20Facts%20Book/2008\\_CFB\\_link\\_ed.pdf](ftp://ftp.dot.state.pa.us/public/Bureaus/HighwaySafety/Web%20Development/Crash%20Facts%20Book/2008_CFB_link_ed.pdf)

<http://www.marketwire.com/press-release/New-AAA-Survey-Shows-Teens-Admit-to-Risky-Driving-Behaviors-749584.htm>

**Impaired Driving:**

[http://www.friendsdrivesober.org/alcohol\\_drugs\\_driving/cost\\_of\\_oui.html](http://www.friendsdrivesober.org/alcohol_drugs_driving/cost_of_oui.html)

**Fatigued Driving:**

<http://drowsydriving.org/about/facts-and-stats/>

<http://www.sleepfoundation.org/sites/default/files/Drowsy%20Driving-Key%20Messages%20and%20Talking%20Points.pdf>

<http://www.depts.ttu.edu/parking/safety/drowsydrive.php>

**NOTECARD 1: "What's the most dangerous thing a 15-year-old can do? Turn 16"**

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**NOTECARD 2: Warning Signs of Sleepiness and Fatigue**

<http://www.sleepfoundation.org/sites/default/files/Drowsy%20Driving-Key%20Messages%20and%20Talking%20Points.pdf>

**Seatbelts:**

<http://www.drivesafepa.org/Traffic-Safety-Information-Center/Seat-Belts/>