

CAR SEAT SAFETY

Keeping kids safe has been and always will be a priority of your Fulton County Health Department (FCHD). One way to keep kids safe is by making sure kids are riding in vehicles as safely as possible. There have been great improvements in the design and manufacturing of car seats and a lot of money and research has gone into making them as safe and comfortable as possible. Not too and many years ago, it was normal for parents or grandparents to just hold a child on their lap or put an arm out to stop them from moving around too much in the vehicle. Due to the hard work and dedication by many, as well as the laws put into place, there has truly been a culture change. Parents and caregivers are making car travel safer for their infants and children. FCHD



*913 seats have been distributed/checked here at the Fulton County Health Department since 2005



647 OBB car seats distributed with installation education (48 in 2016)

266 car seat check only provided (15 in 2016)

has always promoted the use of car seats and for the last ten years, two certified car seat technicians have been available to assist parents in putting their car seat into the vehicle correctly. FCHD participates in the Ohio Buckles Buckeyes (OBB) program sponsored by the Ohio Department of Health.



For more information, please call 419-337-0915