



Children in NY State are riding at risk when not buckled up and in the right type of seat.

Children 12 years & younger

42,000 were in crashes.



7,000 were treated at a hospital.



1,200 treated were not buckled up at the time of the crash.



Unbuckled kids have double the risk of traumatic brain injury!

The percent of kids not buckled up in crashes increases as they get older.



8% of 12 yr olds were not buckled up in a crash



Learn more: www.health.ny.gov/prevention/injury_prevention/cars.htm

Data: New York State children involved in motor vehicle crashes and restraint use and risk of traumatic brain injury among children age 0-12 in 2014. Rounded for presentation purposes. Sources: New York State Department of Health, SPARCS 2016; Crash Outcome Data Evaluation System, July 2016.