

Straight Talk - Smart Walk

Pedestrian Safety Program

Fast Facts

***Pedestrian safety has no boundaries.
It affects everyone, including you, your friends and your family!
Consider the following:***

Children

15 Los Angeles County children under age 5 were killed in pedestrian collisions in 2002.

Teens

Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death for American teenagers.

On a typical day in California, 2 pedestrians are killed.

California has not had a day without a traffic fatality since September 12, 2000.

Los Angeles County has one of the highest pedestrian fatality rates in the nation.

In 2002, 236 pedestrians were killed in Los Angeles County.

Seniors

In 2002, 64 Los Angeles County seniors were killed in pedestrian collisions.

Adults

In a typical 8-hour workday, 4-5 pedestrians are killed nationwide.

