



Safety Message of the Day for IMEA Members



9 Unsafe Driving Behaviors That Lead to Accidents Safety Message

Unsafe driving behaviors contribute to the majority of motor vehicle accidents. It can be easy to become complacent when driving since it is an activity that we complete so frequently. It is vital to exercise caution and follow safety best practices when behind the wheel to reduce the risk of a crash occurring.

- Behavior #1: Distracted Driving
- Behavior #2: Speeding
- Behavior #3: Road Rage
- Behavior #4: Keeping Loose Cargo in the Vehicle
- Behavior #5: Ignoring Traffic Signals and Signs
- Behavior #6: Driving Too Fast for Conditions
- Behavior #7: Not Wearing a Seatbelt
- Behavior #8: Driving Under the Influence
- Behavior #9: Driving Fatigued

Any of the above behaviors can contribute to an accident occurring. These behaviors are especially dangerous when drivers are combining multiple unsafe behaviors when driving at the same time. Be mindful of your decisions the next time you drive. Monitor whether or not you are making unsafe choices when driving.

Do not allow complacency to lead to an accident, which can lead to serious injuries or death.