



CT Safety Academy



Road Safety Assessments for Local Roads

A Connecticut Safety Academy Workshop

This training opportunity will provide participants with the skills necessary to assemble a Road Safety Assessment (RSA) team, conduct an RSA and prioritize and mitigate any safety issues the RSA may uncover. Consideration for all roadway users will be a key element of the training along with an overview of the countermeasures that can be implemented to address those issues identified by an RSA.

Please note: These are socially distant sessions. All state and university COVID-19 precautions will be followed.

Participants will receive 6 credit hours toward their CT Safety Champion Designation.

Who Should Attend

This class is designed for any local or state transportation or public safety professionals involved in making decisions regarding the safety of their transportation network.

Engineers, Public Works Directors, Highway Supervisors, Planners, Local Traffic Authorities (LTAs), Police Chiefs, Traffic Officers and other law enforcement personnel are encouraged to attend.



Dates & Locations

July 12, 2022
Portland, CT

September 27, 2022
Southbury, CT

Session is 8:30am—3:00pm
(Registration begins at 8:00am)
Lunch will be provided.



Course Instructor:

Melissa Evans is the Safety Circuit Rider at the University of Connecticut's Training and Technical Assistance Center. She has over 20 years' experience working in the public sector. Melissa previously served as the Traffic Operations Coordinator for the Department of Public Works in the Town of Greenwich, Connecticut.

Class Notes:

This class includes a field exercise that will allow you to put into practice what is learned during the classroom portion of the workshop. Please bring a safety vest and wear comfortable shoes for this portion of the program.

Registration

- Please visit www.cti.uconn.edu/ctiT2_Workshop_Schedule.asp to register for this class online.
- **Registration Contact:** Please direct any questions to Lisa Knight at lisa.knight@uconn.edu.
- **Free.** No registration fee is charged for this class. This training opportunity is offered by the Training & Technical Assistance Center's Connecticut Safety Academy.
- Registrations will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.
- Approximately one week prior to the class, you will receive an email confirmation of your attendance, along with the address of the workshop location.
- If you require an accommodation to participate in this workshop, please contact Lisa Knight at lisa.knight@uconn.edu.
- Please advise if you have dietary restrictions.
- Videos/Photographs may be taken for promotional and training purposes. Please notify us during registration if you do not wish to be photographed/filmed.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of the course, participants will:

- Understand how Road Safety Assessments (RSAs) serve as an effective tool to help reduce injuries and fatalities on your transportation network.
- Understand basic road safety assessment concepts, including risk, safety, and common issues.
- Gain experience in conducting road safety assessments that consider all roadway users.
- Learn how low-cost safety improvements can be implemented to help reduce the number of traffic fatalities and severe injury crashes.

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