

# IPLit Update September 2009

## Injury Prevention Information Centre

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IPLit Update is a monthly bulletin to keep you up to date with the latest injury prevention research and best practice from New Zealand and around the world.

You are welcome to visit the Injury Prevention Information Centre and browse the collection.

The Injury Prevention Information Centre's website includes links to the IPLit – injury prevention literature database, INZED – the injury contacts directory and details for using the enquiry service.

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Gay Richards: email: [injury@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:injury@auckland.ac.nz) or by phone: (09) 373 7599 x84640  
Full contact details can be found at the end of IPLit Update

## Upcoming Conferences, Courses & Events

**NEW**

### **Injury Prevention Events Calendar**

This calendar replaces the Upcoming Events listing and the list of courses and conferences at the end of this alert. Bookmark it today. [Email](#) details of upcoming events – events of interest to the injury prevention sector for professional development or public awareness raising – to be added to the calendar.

## Publications

IPLit Update Includes books, reports, articles, journals and newsletters received or accessed this month.

Active links to documents freely available on the web are provided, however web addresses can change. If the link does not work, try going to the homepage, shown at the beginning of the address and look for a publications or resources page, or contact me. DOIs are provided where available. These are permanent links to journal articles but unless the publisher provides free access to articles, you may only be able to reach the abstract via this link. IPNANZ members are reminded that they have free access to the *Injury Prevention* journal via the IPNANZ website – <http://www.ipnanz.org.nz> . If you have forgotten your IPNANZ login details, please contact Val Norton at IPNANZ: email: [v.norton@ipnanz.org.nz](mailto:v.norton@ipnanz.org.nz) or call 04 472 2562 The Injury Prevention Information Centre may be able to supply you with hard copies of resources listed here, but will be constrained by copyright in some cases. Your organisation's library may hold some of these resources or they can be obtained through your local public library via interlibrary loan. Please contact me if you have difficulty obtaining a particular item.

Search the [IPLit](#) database for injury prevention research resources selected for their relevance to the New Zealand environment. For more injury prevention articles from around the world, search [SafetyLit](#)

## Reference

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Ministry of Transport.

**Motor vehicle crashes in New Zealand 2008: statistical statement calendar year 2008** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Transport, 2009, 175pp. ISBN: 1176 3949

Official road traffic statistics for the 2008 calendar year. Contents: Reported injury crashes 2008; National health statistics for road users; Breath and blood alcohol statistics; Blood alcohol levels for fatally injured drivers; International comparisons for road deaths; Road user behaviour surveys; Driver licence and vehicle fleet statistics; Legislation [timeline 1965-2008]. Ethnicity data is available in Section 9. The report can be downloaded as a single document or downloaded by section via the website link.

Online at: [http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/MOT\\_Motor%20vehicle%20crashes%202008\\_Full%20version.pdf](http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/MOT_Motor%20vehicle%20crashes%202008_Full%20version.pdf)

Website: <http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/MotorVehicleCrashesinNewZealand2008/>

## Alcohol / Drugs

8297

Kuendig, H., Hasselberg, M., Gmel, G., Daepfen, J-B., Laflamme, L.

**Acute and usual drinking among emergency trauma patients: a study on alcohol consumption and injury patterns** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 270-274

A Switzerland based study exploring the relationship between alcohol consumption and injuries presented to an emergency department.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020198>

5238

**Addiction** [Journal] London: Blackwell Publishing, ISBN: 096-52140

Latest issue: **September 2009, 104(9)**

Journal of the Society for the Study of Addiction. Selected articles are indexed in this database.

Location: Journals

Website: <http://www.addictionjournal.org/>

8309

Buettner, C.K., Anderew,D.W., Glassman, M.

**Development of a student engagement approach to alcohol prevention: the pragmatics project** [Article]

**Journal of American College Health**, July / August 2009, 58(1): 33-38

The Pragmatics Project based on the engagement model used an innovative course piloted in the Human Development and Family Science department of a US midwestern university.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.3200/JACH.58.1.33-38>

8272

Wilsnack, R.W., Wilsnack, S.C., Kristjanson, A.F., Vogeltanz-Holm, N.D., Gmel, G.

**Gender and alcohol consumption: patterns from the multinational GENACIS project** [Article]

**Addiction**, 104(9): 1487-1500

This paper analyses the results of general population studies of alcohol consumption conducted in 35 countries, including Australia and New Zealand, over a ten year period. Patterns of drinking in relation to age and gender highlight the prevalence of potentially harmful drinking among middle aged and older people.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1360-0443.2009.02696.x>

## Children

8288

Warsh, J., Rothman, L., Slater, M., Steverango, C., Howard, A.

**Are school zones effective? An examination of motor vehicle versus child pedestrian crashes near schools** [Article]

**Injury Prevention**, August 2009, 15(4): 226-229

This Canadian study identified that the area density of pedestrian/vehicle collisions, particularly fatal ones, was highest near schools. This is not an evaluation of reduced speed zones around schools.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020446>

8278

Anson, K., Segedin, E., Jones, P.

**ATV (quad bike) injuries in New Zealand children: their extent and severity** [Article]

**New Zealand Medical Journal**, 11 September 2009, 122(1302), 18pp.

This paper is based on a retrospective review of 643 cases of children less than 16 years old hospitalised between 2000–2006 due to possible ATV-related injury. Of these 218 confirmed cases of ATV-related injury were identified. Age and severity of injuries is discussed.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1302/3786/>

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8289

Snowdon, A., Rothman, L., Slater, M., Kolga, C., Hussein, A., Boase, P., Howard, A.

**A comparison of booster seat use in Canadian provinces with and without legislation** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 230-233

This Canadian study did find higher use of booster seats in jurisdictions with booster seat legislation but booster seat use was still low throughout the surveyed areas.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020537>

8273

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

**Doing better for children** [Report] Paris: OECD, September 2009, 191pp. ISBN: 978-92-64-05933-7

This OECD report compares child wellbeing across OECD countries. Some sections including key points on how New Zealand compares can be accessed from the website.

Website: [http://www.oecd.org/document/12/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34819\\_43545036\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/12/0,3343,en_2649_34819_43545036_1_1_1_1_00.html)

8285

Patton, G.C., Coffey, C., Sawyer, S., Viner, R.M., Haller, D.M., Bose, K., Vos, T., Ferguson, J., Mathers, C.D.

**Global patterns of mortality in young people: a systematic analysis of population health data**

[Article]

*Lancet*, 12 September 2009, 374:881-892

An analysis of the burden of disease for young people aged 10 - 24 around the world. Traffic accidents were the largest cause and accounted for 14% of male and 5% of female deaths. Other prominent causes included violence (12% of male deaths) and suicide (6% of all deaths). Maternal conditions, HIV/AIDS and tuberculosis were other leading causes of death in this age group, with 97% of the deaths in this age group occurring in low-income and middle-income countries.

Location: E-journals

Website: <http://www.thelancet.com>

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.chiabu.2008.09.008>

8292

Shen, M., Yang, S., Han, J., Shi, J., Yang, R., Du, Y., Stallones, L.

**Non-fatal injury rates among the "left-behind children" of rural China** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 244-247

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.019869>

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**Prevention factors for suicide ideation among abused pre/early adolescent youths** [Article]

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020966>

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Website: <http://www.nhc.health.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexcm/nhc-workprogramme-caregivers>

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**Recent trends in television tip over-related injuries among children aged 0–9 years** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 240-243

This study explored the incidence of television tip over injuries in the United States.

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Editorial on the burden of disability and the need for rehabilitation following childhood injury in the special themed issue of the Bulletin of the World Health Organization on childhood injury and violence.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.who.int/bulletin/volumes/87/5/09-057067.pdf>

7346

**Rise** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Social Development, ISBN: 1178-4717

Latest issue: **September 2009, no.8, 33pp.**

This is the Ministry of Social Development's flagship magazine showcasing its activities. It is available in hard copy and can be downloaded in two parts - see link below. It is also available as a Word document from the website. The theme of this issue is Ingenuity.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/rise-issue-eight.html>

Website: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/index.html>

5670

**Travelwise Newsletter** [Newsletter] Auckland. N.Z. Auckland Regional Transport Authority (ARTA)

Latest issue: **Issue 19, Term 3, 2009, 4pp.**

Road safety and walking school bus newsletter published for schools in the Auckland region.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.travelwise.org.nz/NewsAndEvents/index.cfm?id=1110>

8290

Irwin, C.C., Irwin, R.L., Ryan, T.D., Drayer, J.

**Urban minority youth swimming (in)ability in the United States and associated demographic characteristics: toward a drowning prevention plan** [Article]

**Injury Prevention**, August 2009, 15(4): 234-239

This study found that poor minority children and adolescents in US cities are disadvantaged in relation to swimming ability.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020461>

8296

Rosenbaum, D.A., Silvis, M.L., Williams, J.E., Davis, S.W.

**Variation in injury risk over the course of a two-day youth club soccer tournament** [Article]

**Injury Prevention**, August 2009, 15(4): 266-269

This US based study recorded injury rates for two-day soccer tournaments involving children and young people aged 9 to 18. The results were inconclusive.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.019497>

662

**Wanganui Child Injury Prevention Project: CIPP Newsletter** [Newsletter]

Wanganui: Public Health Centre, Whanganui District Health Board,

Latest issue: **August 2009, no.46, 4pp.**

Child injury prevention tips and news from the Wanganui Child Injury Prevention Project

In this issue: ACC Safety Week; Time for fresh batteries; Noisy toys; Is your TV secure; Electric blanket safety; Safekids Campaign; Be Sharp / take the edge off; New fire hazard labels; project news;

Introducing Karli Kaea-Norman.

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*Bulletin of the World Health Organization*, May 2009, 87(5): 399

Part of a roundtable discussion in the special themed issue of the Bulletin of the World Health Organization on childhood injury and violence.

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**World report on child injury prevention: a wake-up call** [Editorial]

*Injury*, May 2009, 40(5): 469-470

An editorial on the burden of injury on children highlighted in the World Report on Child Injury Prevention published in 2008. The report is available via the IPLit database.

Location: E-journals

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## Community

8311

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**MOSAIC (MOthers' Advocates In the Community): protocol and sample description of a cluster randomised trial of mentor mother support to reduce intimate partner violence among pregnant or recent mothers** [Article]

*BMC Public Health*, 2009, 9(1): 159

This article describes a study based in disadvantaged Melbourne suburbs and includes an intervention with Vietnamese women in the area. This article is freely available online.

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## Disability

8271

**Brainlink: a newsletter of Brain Injury New Zealand** [Newsletter]

Auckland, N.Z. Brain Injury Association of New Zealand, August 2009, issue 43, 6pp.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

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## Falls

8293

Xia, Q.H., Jiang, y., Niu, C.J., Tang, C.X., Xia, Z.L.

**Effectiveness of a community-based multifaceted fall-prevention intervention in active and independent older Chinese adults** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 248-251

An 18 month community based programme conducted in Shanghai was evaluated. This article is freely available through the BMJ unlocked scheme.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020420>

## Family Violence

8322

Koziol-McLain, J., Adams, J., Garrett, N., Sharma, P.

**Hospital responsiveness to family violence: 30 month follow-up evaluation** [Report]

Auckland, N.Z. Interdisciplinary Trauma Research Unit, Auckland University of Technology, November 2007, 60pp. ISBN: 1177 - 4347

Report no.7

Results of the 30 month follow-up audit indicate that significant progress continues to be made in programme development for responding to both partner abuse and child abuse and neglect. A shorter version of the report can be downloaded via the website link.

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/6566/\\$File/familyviolence-30monthreport-feb08.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/6566/$File/familyviolence-30monthreport-feb08.pdf)

Website: <http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexmh/familyviolence-guidelinesreports>

8323

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8313

Haldane, H.J.

**The provision of culturally specific care for victims of family violence in Aotearoa / New Zealand**

[Article]

*Global Public Health*, 4(5): 477-489

This study was conducted by a US based researcher. From interviews with frontline workers in Auckland the author concludes there is a distance between policy and daily front-line service delivery.

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17441690902930816>

## Home

8319

Chan, E.Y., Kim, J.H., Ng, Q., Griffiths, S., Lau, J.T.

**A descriptive study of nonfatal, unintentional home-based injury in urban settings: evidence from Hong Kong**

[Article]

*Asia Pacific Journal of Public Health*, 2008, 20: 39-48

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6720

**Community Update** [Newsletter]

New Plymouth: New Plymouth Injury Safe,

Latest issue: **August 2009, no.45: 1pp.**

Newsletter from New Plymouth Injury Safe, participating in the WHO Safe Communities programme. Contact Channa Perry at NPIS to receive this newsletter by email.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.npis.org.nz/newsletters.htm>

8302

Peek-Asa, C., Defrancesco, S., Gallagher, s., sattin, R.

**Help put "injury" prevention and care into healthcare reform** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 285

A plea from SAVIR for the injury prevention sector to engage in the US healthcare reform debate. SAVIR suggests that using the phrase "We want a society where people can live to their full potential" can help change public perceptions.

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**Injury Control Alberta** [Newsletter]

Edmonton, Alberta: Alberta Centre for Injury Control and Research, ISBN: 1481-8817

Latest issue: **August 2009, 11(12), 4pp.**

Newsletter of the Alberta Centre for Injury Control and Research based at the School of Public Health, University of Alberta. Find issues via Newsletters link on the Centre's homepage.

Website: <http://www.acicr.ualberta.ca/>

8310

Bates, L., Hansen, R.

**Parliamentary committees turn road safety research and ideas into practice: examples from Australia** [Article]

*International Journal of Health Promotion Education*, 2009, 46(4): 123-127

This article highlights the role researchers can play in influencing law makers.

Location: E-journals

7326

**Safe Community Monthly News** [Newsletter]

Stockholm: Karolinska Institutet,

Latest issue: **no.26, September 2009, 6pp.**

Monthly news from and for Safe Communities around the world. Continues Safe Community News and replaces Safe Community Weekly News. First published in 2007.

Online at: [http://www.phs.ki.se/csp/pdf/newsletter/scmn\\_26.pdf](http://www.phs.ki.se/csp/pdf/newsletter/scmn_26.pdf)

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## Injury Surveillance

8295

Lehto, M., Murucci-wellman, H., Corns, H.

**Bayesian methods: a useful tool for classifying injury narratives into cause groups** [Article]

***Injury Prevention***, August 2009, 15(4): 259-265

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.021337>

8317

Hatcher, S., Sharon, C., Collins, N.

**Epidemiology of intentional self-harm presenting to four district health boards in New Zealand over 12 months, and comparison with official data:** [Article]

*Australian and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry*, 43(7): 659-665

This study examined hospital records of four district health boards: Northland, Waitemata, Counties Manukau and Capital & Coast, which together serve a third of the New Zealand population, to investigate the epidemiology of self-harm. The researchers conclude that the official statistics underestimate the incidence of intentional self-harm.

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/00048670902970833>

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An analysis of the burden of disease for young people aged 10 - 24 around the world. Traffic accidents were the largest cause and accounted for 14% of male and 5% of female deaths. Other prominent causes included violence (12% of male deaths) and suicide (6% of all deaths). Maternal conditions, HIV/AIDS and tuberculosis were other leading causes of death in this age group, with 97% of the deaths in this age group occurring in low-income and middle-income countries.

Location: E-journals

Website: <http://www.thelancet.com>

8298

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A study conducted in the Auckland region involving passengers and drivers involved in car crashes followed up at 5 and 18 months.

Location: E-journals

## Occupational Injury

8294

Smith, P.M., Chen, c., Mustard, C.

**Differential risk of employment in more physically demanding jobs among a recent cohort of immigrants to Canada** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 252-258

The findings of this study suggests that migrants may find themselves in more physically demanding jobs and may be at greater risk of workplace injury.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.021451>

8312

Davies, R., Jones, P., Nunez, I.

**The impact of the business cycle on occupational injuries in the UK** [Article]

*Social Science and Medicine*, 2009, epub

This article explores the complex relationship between reported workplace injuries and the economic cycle.

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2009.04.033>

8329

**Keeping work safe: the Department of Labour's policy on enforcing the Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. Department of Labour, April 2009, 28pp.

Online at: <http://dol.govt.nz/PDFs/keeping-work-safe.pdf>

Website: <http://www.dol.govt.nz/publication-view.asp?ID=286>

8270

**Safeguard Update** [Newsletter]

Wellington, N.Z. Brookers, ISBN: 1175 3161

Latest issue: **7 September 2009, issue 370, 4pp.**

Fortnightly briefing on health and safety in New Zealand

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.safeguard.co.nz>

8318

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/02640410902785487>

8314

Tompa, E., Dolinschi, R., de Oliveira, C., Irwin, E.

**A systematic review of occupational health and safety interventions with economic analyses** [Article]

*Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine*, 2009, epub

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1097/JOM.0b013e3181b34f60>

8327

Clemes, S.A., Haslam, C.O., Haslam, R.A.

**What constitutes effective manual handling training? A systematic review** [Article]

*Occupational Medicine*, 2009, epub

The evidence examined in this systematic review indicates that manual handling training is mostly ineffective in reducing back pain and back injury. High priority should be given to developing and evaluating multidimensional interventions, incorporating exercise training to promote strength and flexibility, which are tailored to the industrial sector

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/occmed/kqp127>

## Older People

8293

Xia, Q.H., Jiang, y., Niu, C.J., Tang, C.X., Xia, Z.L.

**Effectiveness of a community-based multifaceted fall-prevention intervention in active and independent older Chinese adults** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 248-251

An 18 month community based programme conducted in Shanghai was evaluated. This article is freely available through the BMJ unlocked scheme.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020420>

8325

Foliaki, S.A., Nosa, V., Birkenhead, S., Kanongata'a, H., Fa'amoe, T.A.

**Qualitative study of elderly Pacific informal caregivers of a young person with an illness or disability** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Health Committee, July 2009, .93pp.

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Website: <http://www.nhc.health.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexcm/nhc-workprogramme-caregivers>

## Public Health & Health Promotion

8302

Peek-Asa, C., Defrancesco, S., Gallagher, s., sattin, R.

**Help put "injury" prevention and care into healthcare reform** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 285

A plea from SAVIR for the injury prevention sector to engage in the US healthcare reform debate. SAVIR suggests that using the phrase "We want a society where people can live to their full potential" can help change public perceptions.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2009.023358>

## Recreation and Sport

8328

Heggie, T.W.

**Geotourism and volcanoes: health hazards facing tourists at volcanic and geothermal destinations** [Article]

*Travel Medicine and Infectious Disease*, 2009, 7(5): 257-261

This article written from by a US based researcher may be of interest to those working in active volcanic or geothermal areas.

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.tmaid.2009.06.002>

8304

**Safety in Sports: EU** [Website]

The European Network for Sports Injury Prevention in conjunctio with the European Commission has launched this website to disseminate information on best practice injury prevention in sport. The initial focus will be on handball and basketball.

Location: Electronic Source

Website: [http://www.safetyinsports.eu/front\\_content.php](http://www.safetyinsports.eu/front_content.php)

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8316

Sullivan, S.J., Bourne, L., Choie, S., Eastwood, B., Isbister, S., McCroy, P., Gray, A.

**Understanding of sport concussion by the parents of young rugby players: a pilot study** [Article]

*Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine*, 2009, 19(3): 228-230

Research undertaken by researchers at the University of Otago found that parents had a good understanding of the symptoms of concussion and could play an important role in identifying post game concussion.

Location: E-journals

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Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020461>

8296

Rosenbaum, D.A., Silvis, M.L., Williams, J.E., Davis, S.W.

**Variation in injury risk over the course of a two-day youth club soccer tournament** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 266-269

This US based study recorded injury rates for two-day soccer tournaments involving children and young people aged 9 to 18. The results were inconclusive.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.019497>

## Research Issues

8295

Lehto, M., Murucci-wellman, H., Corns, H.

**Bayesian methods: a useful tool for classifying injury narratives into cause groups** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 259-265

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.021337>

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## Road Safety

8321

Ministry of Transport.

**2008 speed survey results summary** [Fact sheet]

Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Transport, 2009, 9pp.

Provides survey data for calendar years 1995 - 2008. Includes car speeds - open road and urban, Regional results - open road and urban; Heavy vehicle speeds

Location: V/F - Road Safety

Online at: [http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/Speed\\_survey\\_results\\_2008.pdf](http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/Speed_survey_results_2008.pdf)

Website: <http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/SpeedSurveys/>

8289

Snowdon, A., Rothman, L., Slater, M., Kolga, C., Hussein, A., Boase, P., Howard, A.

**A comparison of booster seat use in Canadian provinces with and without legislation** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 230-233

This Canadian study did find higher use of booster seats in jurisdictions with booster seat legislation but booster seat use was still low throughout the surveyed areas.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020537>

8276

Mackie, H.

**"I want to ride my bike": overcoming barriers to cycling to intermediate schools** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, August 2009, 94pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-34667-1

NZ Transport Agency research report, 380

The objective of this research was to identify the barriers to students cycling to school for six intermediate schools (three in Auckland and three outside Auckland) and recommend specific interventions for the schools, along with more general, national level recommendations.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/380.pdf>

8275

Jackett, M.J., Frith, W.J.

**Measurement of the reflection properties of road surfaces to improve the safety and sustainability of road lighting** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, 2009, 77pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-35214-6

NZ Transport Agency research report, 383

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/383.pdf>

8303

Sobel, R.

**On hopes for a historic road safety meeting** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 287

This article comments on the Global Meeting of Nongovernmental Organizations for Road Safety and Road Victims hosted by WHO in May 2009. The WHO Global Status Report on Road Safety is highlighted on the preceding page. That report can be accessed via the IPLit database.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2009.023333>

8324

Brookland, R., Begg, D., Langley, J., McDowell, A., Ameratunga, S., Broughton, J.

**The opinions of newly licensed drivers and parents in New Zealand on the minimum car driver licensing age. A paper presented at the 18th Australasian Epidemiological Association Scientific Meeting (AEA). Dunedin, 30 August - 1 September 2009** [Conference paper]

The researchers investigated newly licensed drivers and their parents' opinions toward the minimum car driver licensing age in New Zealand. Their findings suggest that increasing the minimum age for licensing has reasonable levels of support from newly licensed drivers and also parents of young drivers. The abstract for this conference paper can be accessed via the weblink.

Website: <http://ipru3.otago.ac.nz/Publications3/Public/Detail.php?Code=1184>

8283

Watson, B.C., King, M.J.

**Opportunities for enhancing the Australian national road safety strategy** [Article]

*Journal of the Australasian College of Road Safety*, 2009, 20(3): 17-19

Commenting on the development of the next National Road Safety Strategy in Australia, some points may also be of relevance to New Zealand's new strategy.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://eprints.qut.edu.au/27220/>

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8274

Rural Policing Support, New Zealand Police.

**Rural drink-drive enforcement in the Southern Police District** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, July 2009, 52pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-34660-2

NZ Transport Agency research report, 377

the study sought to consider the problem of rural drink-driving, as understood by a number of local community and district-level stakeholders in a case-study location within the Southern Police District. Second, the study sought to examine stakeholder perceptions of the effectiveness of police countermeasures in responding to the problem of rural drink-driving in the case-study area. To address the above issues, a mixed method qualitative case-study approach was adopted.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/377.pdf>

7460

**Safety Visions** [Newsletter] Brisbane, Qld: Centre for Accident Research & Road Safety, Queensland University of Technology,

Latest issue: **Winter 2009, 6pp.**

Occasional newsletter highlighting research and activities of the Centre for Accident Research & Road Safety, Queensland University of Technology (CARRS). In this issue: Sleepiness: a critical risk for young drivers; New profile of injury prevention in Queensland; Two new studies to target driveway run-overs; Researcher in focus: Dr Kirsteen Titchener.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: [http://www.carrsq.qut.edu.au/documents/newsletter\\_Winter\\_2009.pdf](http://www.carrsq.qut.edu.au/documents/newsletter_Winter_2009.pdf)

Website: <http://www.carrsq.qut.edu.au/publications/newsletter.jsp>

8282

Smith, S., Horswill, M., Chambers, B., Wetton, M.

**Sleepiness and hazard perception while driving** [Report]

Canberra, ACT: Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional development and Local Government, April 2009, 27pp.

A sample of 34 young, and inexperienced, drivers (aged 17-24 years, with less than three years driving experience) and 33 older, and experienced, drivers (aged 28-36 years, with at least ten years driving experience) completed a video-based hazard perception task, in which they were instructed to anticipate a range of genuine traffic conflicts. The young, inexperienced drivers were significantly slower at identifying hazards than were the older, experienced drivers. While no overall effect of sleepiness on hazard perception was found, inexperienced drivers were slower on this measure at night.

Location: E-journals

Online at: [http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/pdf/RSRG\\_2009001.pdf](http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/pdf/RSRG_2009001.pdf)

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5670

**Travelwise Newsletter** [Newsletter]

Auckland. N.Z. Auckland Regional Transport Authority (ARTA)

Latest issue: **Issue 19, Term 3, 2009, 4pp.**

Road safety and walking school bus newsletter published for schools in the Auckland region.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.travelwise.org.nz/NewsAndEvents/index.cfm?id=1110>

## Road Traffic Injury

8288

Warsh, J., Rothman, L., Slater, M., Steverango, C., Howard, A.

**Are school zones effective? An examination of motor vehicle versus child pedestrian crashes near schools** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 226-229

This Canadian study identified that the area density of pedestrian/vehicle collisions, particularly fatal ones, was highest near schools. This is not an evaluation of reduced speed zones around schools.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020446>

8320

Ministry of Transport.

**Motor vehicle crashes in New Zealand 2008: statistical statement calendar year 2008** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Transport, 2009, 175pp. ISBN: 1176 3949

Official road traffic statistics for the 2008 calendar year. Contents: Reported injury crashes 2008; National health statistics for road users; Breath and blood alcohol statistics; Blood alcohol levels for fatally injured drivers; International comparisons for road deaths; Road user behaviour surveys; Driver licence and vehicle fleet statistics; Legislation [timeline 1965-2008]. Ethnicity data is available in Section 9. The report can be downloaded as a single document or downloaded by section via the website link.

Online at: [http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/MOT\\_Motor%20vehicle%20crashes%202008\\_Full%20version.pdf](http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/Documents/MOT_Motor%20vehicle%20crashes%202008_Full%20version.pdf)

Website: <http://www.transport.govt.nz/research/MotorVehicleCrashesinNewZealand2008>

8300

Begg, D., Langley, J., Broughton, J., Brookland, R., Ameratunga, S., McDowell, A.

**New Zealand Drivers Study: a follow-up study of newly licensed drivers** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 281

This outline of the New Zealand Drivers Study is included in this issue of *Injury Prevention* as a one page study protocol. It is expanded in a 10-page article published online only.

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Location: E-journals

8301

Beyer, F.R., Ker, K.

**Street lighting for prevention of road traffic injuries** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 282

A recent Cochrane Review is highlighted. This Cochrane Review can be accessed via the IPLit database.

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## Suicide and Deliberate Self-Harm

8317

Hatcher, S., Sharon, C., Collins, N.

**Epidemiology of intentional self-harm presenting to four district health boards in New Zealand over 12 months, and comparison with official data:** [Article]

*Australian and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry*, 43(7): 659-665

This study examined hospital records of four district health boards: Northland, Waitemata, Counties Manukau and Capital & Coast, which together serve a third of the New Zealand population, to investigate the epidemiology of self-harm. The researchers conclude that the official statistics underestimate the incidence of intentional self-harm.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/00048670902970833>

8284

Ministry of Health.

**New Zealand suicide prevention action plan 2008-2012 report on progress: year one** [Strategy document]

Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Health, September 2009, 84pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-31949-0

This report provides a snapshot of the key developments in the first year of implementing the New Zealand Suicide Prevention Action Plan 2008-2012 (the Action Plan), which was published in March 2008. The introduction provides an outline of the latest suicide statistics and trends and information about the structures set up to implement the Action Plan. Progress to date on implementing each goal of the Action Plan is described in Part One. Part Two contains a table that summarises the progress made on milestones set under each goal of the Action Plan.

Location: Books and Reports - Suicide

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9523/\\$File/suicide-prevention-action-plane-report-1.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9523/$File/suicide-prevention-action-plane-report-1.pdf)

Website: <http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexmh/nz-suicide-prevention-action-plan-2008-2012-progress-report-year1?Open>

8299

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*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 278-280

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020966>

## Traumatic Brain Injury

8271

**Brainlink: a newsletter of Brain Injury New Zealand** [Newsletter]

Auckland, N.Z. Brain Injury Association of New Zealand, August 2009, issue 43, 6pp.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

8280

Schluter, P.J., Cameron, C.M., Davey, T.M., Civil, I., Orchard, J., Dansey, R., Hamill, J., Naylor, H., James, C., Dorrian, J., Christey, G., Pollard, C., McClure, R.J.

**Contemporary New Zealand coefficients for the trauma injury severity score: TRISS(NZ)** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 11 September 2009, 122(1302), 11pp.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1302/3774/>

8279

Keijriwal, R., Civil, I.

**Time to definitive care for patients with moderate and severe traumatic brain injury—does a trauma system matter?** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 11 September 2009, 122(1302), 7pp.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1302/3776/>

8281

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**Using trauma injury severity score (TRISS) variables to predict length of hospital stay following trauma in New Zealand** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 11 September 2009, 122(1302), 14pp.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1302/3775/>

## Violence

8315

Lee, K.H.

**Interpersonal violence and facial fractures** [Article]

*Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery*, 4 April 2008, 67(9): 1878-1883

This study, also reported in the New Zealand Medical Journal in 2008, examined the experience of the Christchurch Hospital in treating facial fractures over an 11 year period. An increase in the number of facial fractures due to interpersonal violence during the period is of particular concern. Young male adults were the most effected demographic group.

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Online at: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.joms.2009.04.117>

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## Youth

8309

Buettner, C.K., Anderew,D.W., Glassman, M.

**Development of a student engagement approach to alcohol prevention: the pragmatics project** [Article]

*Journal of American College Health*, July / August 2009, 58(1): 33-38

The Pragmatics Project based on the engagement model used an innovative course piloted in the Human Development and Family Science department of a US midwestern university.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.3200/JACH.58.1.33-38>

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Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

**Doing better for children** [Report]

Paris: OECD, September 2009, 191pp. ISBN: 978-92-64-05933-7

This OECD report compares child wellbeing across OECD countries. Some sections including key points on how New Zealand compares can be accessed from the website.

Website: [http://www.oecd.org/document/12/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34819\\_43545036\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/12/0,3343,en_2649_34819_43545036_1_1_1_1_00.html)

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Patton, G.C., Coffey, C., Sawyer, S., Viner, R.M., Haller, D.M., Bose, K., Vos, T., Ferguson, J., Mathers, C.D.

**Global patterns of mortality in young people: a systematic analysis of population health data**

[Article]

**Lancet**, 12 September 2009, 374:881-892

An analyse of the burden of disease for young people aged 10 - 24 around the world. Traffic accidents were the largest cause and accounted for 14% of male and 5% of female deaths. Other prominent causes included violence (12% of male deaths) and suicide (6% of all deaths). Maternal conditions, HIV/AIDS and tuberculosis were other leading causes of death in this age group, with 97% of the deaths in this age group occurring in low-income and middle-income countries.

Location: E-journals

Website: <http://www.thelancet.com>

8276

Mackie, H.

**"I want to ride my bike": overcoming barriers to cycling to intermediate schools** [Report]

Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, August 2009, 94pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-34667-1

NZ Transport Agency research report, 380

The objective of this research was to identify the barriers to students cycling to school for six intermediate schools (three in Auckland and three outside Auckland) and recommend specific interventions for the schools, along with more general, national level recommendations.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/380.pdf>

8300

Begg, D., Langley, J., Broughton, J., Brookland, R., Ameratunga, S., McDowell, A.

**New Zealand Drivers Study: a follow-up study of newly licensed drivers** [Article]

**Injury Prevention**, August 2009, 15(4): 281

This outline of the New Zealand Drivers Study is included in this issue of Injury Prevention as a one page study protocol. It is expanded in a 10-page article published online only.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2009.021998>

8324

Brookland, R., Begg, D., Langley, J., McDowell, A., Ameratunga, S., Broughton, J.

**The opinions of newly licensed drivers and parents in New Zealand on the minimum car driver licensing age. A paper presented at the 18th Australasian Epidemiological Association Scientific Meeting (AEA). Dunedin, 30 August - 1 September 2009** [Conference paper]

The researchers investigated newly licensed drivers and their parents' opinions toward the minimum car driver licensing age in New Zealand. Their findings suggest that increasing the minimum age for licensing has reasonable levels of support from newly licensed drivers and also parents of young drivers. The abstract for this conference paper can be accessed via the weblink.

Website: <http://ipru3.otago.ac.nz/Publications3/Public/Detail.php?Code=1184>

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Smith, S., Horswill, M., Chambers, B., Wetton, M.

**Sleepiness and hazard perception while driving** [Report]

Canberra, ACT: Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional development and Local Government, April 2009, 27pp.

A sample of 34 young, and inexperienced, drivers (aged 17-24 years, with less than three years driving experience) and 33 older, and experienced, drivers (aged 28-36 years, with at least ten years driving experience) completed a video-based hazard perception task, in which they were instructed to anticipate a range of genuine traffic conflicts. The young, inexperienced drivers were significantly slower at identifying hazards than were the older, experienced drivers. While no overall effect of sleepiness on hazard perception was found, inexperienced drivers were slower on this measure at night.

Location: E-journals

Online at: [http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/pdf/RSRG\\_2009001.pdf](http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/pdf/RSRG_2009001.pdf)

Website: [http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/RSRG\\_2009001.aspx](http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/roads/safety/publications/2009/RSRG_2009001.aspx)

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Sullivan, S.J., Bourne, L., Choie, S., Eastwood, B., Isbister, S., McCroy, P., Gray, A.

**Understanding of sport concussion by the parents of young rugby players: a pilot study** [Article] *Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine*, 2009, 19(3): 228-230

Research undertaken by researchers at the University of Otago found that parents had a good understanding of the symptoms of concussion and could play an important role in identifying post game concussion.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1097/JSM.0b013e3181a41e43>

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Irwin, C.C., Irwin, R.L., Ryan, T.D., Drayer, J.

**Urban minority youth swimming (in)ability in the United States and associated demographic characteristics: toward a drowning prevention plan** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 234-239

This study found that poor minority children and adolescents in US cities are disadvantaged in relation to swimming ability.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.020461>

8296

Rosenbaum, D.A., Silvis, M.L., Williams, J.E., Davis, S.W.

**Variation in injury risk over the course of a two-day youth club soccer tournament** [Article]

*Injury Prevention*, August 2009, 15(4): 266-269

This US based study recorded injury rates for two-day soccer tournaments involving children and young people aged 9 to 18. The results were inconclusive.

Location: Journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/ip.2008.019497>

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