



T2

Training and Technical Assistance Center

**Connecticut
Transportation
Institute**

**CT Training &
Technical
Assistance(T2)
Center**

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Who Are We and Why Are We Here?

For over **40** years, the T2 Center has been a grant funded program at the University of Connecticut in the CT Transportation Institute. We are funded by CTDOT and the FHWA.

We provide training, technical assistance & resources to all 169 cities and towns in Connecticut.

Our focus areas:

- Worker Safety
- Road Safety
- Infrastructure Management
- Organizational Excellence



How do
we help?





Educational Programs:

- Public Works Academy
- Road Master
- Road Scholar
- Local Traffic Authority
- Transportation Leadership Program
- Safety Academy
- Traffic Signal Academy
- Traffic Signal Technicians Level I, II and III
- Custom Training Programs
- Green Snow Pro Program

Technical Assistance:

- Safety Circuit Rider
- Traffic Signal Circuit Rider
- Pavement Related Technical Assistance
- Equipment Loan
- Complete Streets Spotlights
- Road Safety Briefs
- Tailgate Talks
- CT Crossroads
- Leadership Lessons

Special Programs:

- Listservs
- Creative Solutions Award
- Speed Feedback Sign Program
- Strategic Highway Safety Plan Web Page & Resources
- Leaders to Watch
- Coffee & Conversations
- New England Chapter Connects



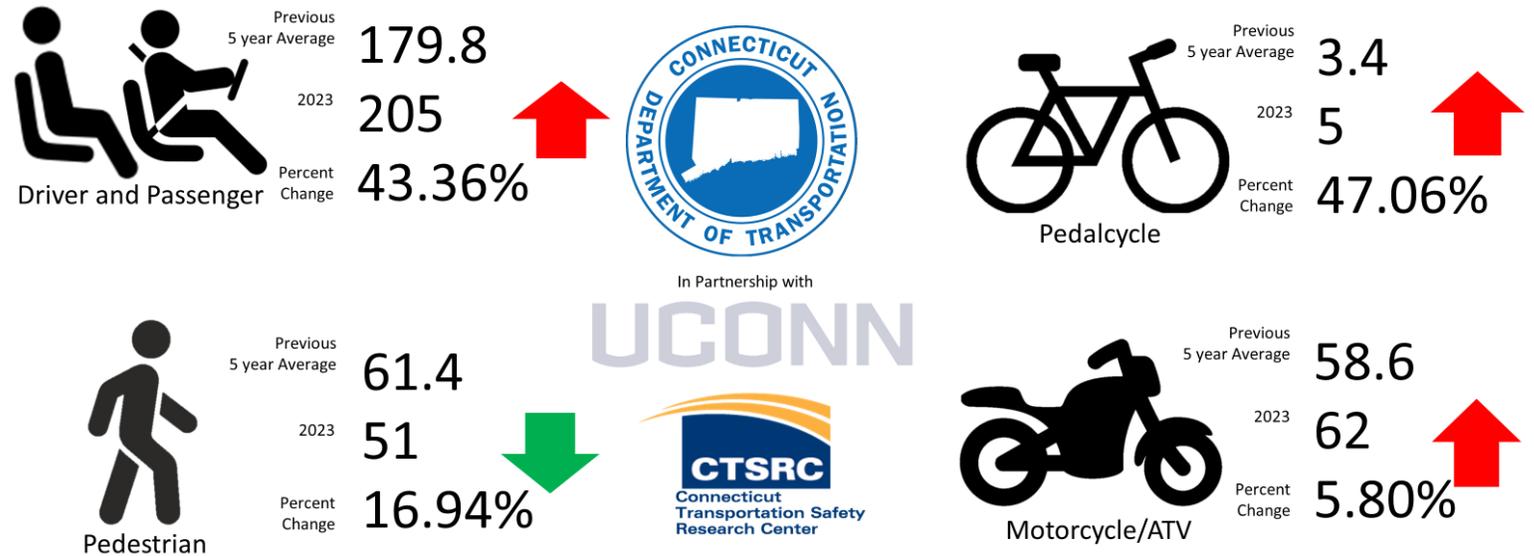
Visit us at: www.t2center.uconn.edu

Professional Development for your teams through 10 Certificate Programs:



We want to support you as you work on important issues.

Fatalities by Person Type Year to date as of December 31, 2023



In Partnership with

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**We Need to Work Together
Towards Vision Zero**



For information and assistance with making your roads safer, contact Melissa Evans, Safety Circuit Rider, at melissa.evans@uconn.edu and Jason Hughes, Safety Technical Associate, at jason.hughes@uconn.edu

Legislation Requires Training of LTAs

On June 26, 2023, Governor Ned Lamont signed Senate Bill 904. Section 5 of the bill requires Local Traffic Authorities, or their designee, to attend a training program, through the University of Connecticut's T2 Center, to provide them with critical knowledge and skills to better serve in this important role.



Developed the
LTA 101
Training – Both
In-Person and
Virtual Options
Available and
FREE



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T2 Center Training
Director



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Educational Program
Coordinator

Sessions will be offered each year and other timely topics offered as a part of our LTA certificate program. We are in the process of scheduling for 2024!

The T2
Center Safety
Circuit Rider
Program

Melissa Evans
Safety Circuit Rider



Jason Hughes
Safety Technical
Associate





Many Ways They Can Help!

- ▶ Technical Assistance – Meet with your town to discuss your road safety needs and help you develop your new Local Road Safety Plan
- ▶ Road Safety Assessments (RSAs)
- ▶ Crash Data Illustrations and Analysis
- ▶ Training & Roundtable Discussions
- ▶ Technical Resources
- ▶ Coffee & Conversations on Hot Topics

Free Equipment Loan Program

- Sign Retroreflectorometer
- Traffic Counters (Radar)
- Ball Bank Indicators
- Speed Feedback Signs
- Range Finders
- Radar Guns
- NEW Pavement Marking Retroreflectorometer

Equipment Loan Program

The equipment loan program is designed to provide tools, at no cost, to local agencies to assist them in improving local road safety. We offer a range of equipment, including those that support initiatives that assist in reducing crashes and improving traffic management. Our program aims to promote safer road environments by ensuring that the necessary equipment is accessible to municipalities across Connecticut.

We empower communities and road safety advocates to make an impact without the financial burden of purchasing expensive equipment. Whether it's collecting traffic counts, implementing a speed management program or ensuring your road signs meet retroreflectivity guidelines, our program supports your goals of fostering a culture of road safety, ultimately saving lives and promoting responsible driving behavior.



Online Request Form

s.uconn.edu/t2-equip-request

Available Equipment



ADA Compliance Toolkit
Determine first-hand whether or not your community is accessible. Toolkit includes simulation tools and equipment.



Ball Bank Indicator
A Ball Bank Indicator can be used to determine advisory speed limits.



Digital Level
The level can be used for estimating road and sidewalk grades and cross slope.



Manual Traffic Counter
Manual intersection traffic counters can be used to count turning movements.



Pavement Marking Reflectometer
Measure the retroreflectivity of pavement markings to ensure they are in compliance.



Special Equipment Programs

- Work Zone Safety Equipment Packages and Training
- Speed Feedback Sign Program
 - 2 signs per municipality
 - Rural, Urban and Tribal



Connecticut Safety Examples Repository

Web Library of Safety Examples from Connecticut Municipalities
and CTDOT

Countermeasures By Type & By Municipality

[Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Enhancements](#)

[Planning and Policies](#)

[Roadway Improvements](#)



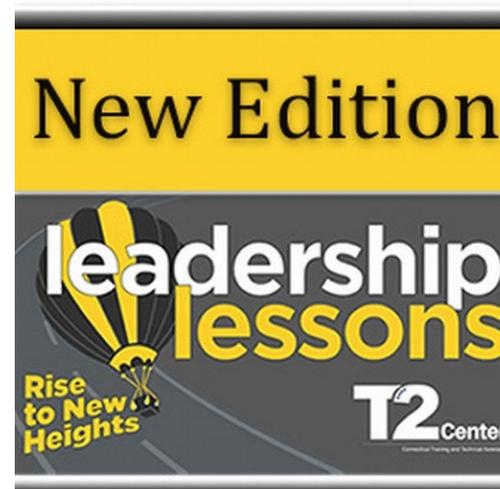
How Can you Keep Connected?

Listservs – Great way to receive information and share questions with your peers.

- Public Works/Engineering Listserv
- Local Traffic Authority Listserv
- Traffic Signal Listserv

Helpful Newsletters

Email: Regina.Hackett@uconn.edu



See you on
February 8th!

COST's Town Meeting 2024

February 8, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM



The Voice of Small Towns

- Legislative & Regulatory Advocacy
- Compliance Assistance
- Municipal Resources
- Conferences & Workshops
- Networking Opportunities





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