

UPPER PENINSULA REPORTED RESTRAINT USE - CHILDREN

On July 1, 2008, Michigan law was amended. (<http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-257-710e>)

Any child under four years of age must be in an approved Child Safety Seat (CSS)/Child Restraint Device (CRD), and riding in the rear seat. All children less than 8 years of age AND who are less than 4'9" in height, must be properly restrained in a child restraint system. All children ages 8 through 15 must wear a properly adjusted and fastened seat belt when riding in either the front or back seat of a vehicle.

RESTRAINT USAGE	CHILDREN		FATAL	INJURY		
	Number	% of Total		A	B	C
AGE 0						
Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
No Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Used	1	100.0	0	0	0	1
Child Restraint Not Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	100.0	0	0	0	1
AGE 1						
Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
No Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Used	2	100.0	0	0	2	0
Child Restraint Not Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	2	100.0	0	0	2	0
AGE 2						
Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
No Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Used	3	100.0	0	0	1	2
Child Restraint Not Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	3	100.0	0	0	1	2

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RESTRAINT USAGE	CHILDREN		FATAL	INJURY		
	Number	% of Total		A	B	C
AGE 3						
Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
No Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Used	2	100.0	0	0	1	1
Child Restraint Not Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	2	100.0	0	0	1	1
AGE 4-7						
Belts Used	13	43.3	0	1	3	9
No Belts Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Used	13	43.3	0	3	1	9
Child Restraint Not Used	3	10.0	0	1	2	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	1	3.3	0	0	1	0
TOTAL	30	100.0	0	5	7	18
AGE 8-15						
Belts Used	43	89.6	1	1	7	34
No Belts Used	5	10.4	2	0	1	2
Child Restraint Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Child Restraint Not Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Restraint Failed	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	48	100.0	3	1	8	36

Information about uninjured passengers is not required to be reported by the officer on the crash report, thus these tables relate the experience of only those children with injuries in crashes

Note: Safety equipment usage is often self-reported and may not reflect actual usage.