



### **Child Passenger Safety Event Host Requirements**

The Safe Kids Lincoln-Lancaster County's Child Passenger Safety Task Force appreciates your interest in hosting a child passenger safety event. Approximately 90% of car seats in Lancaster County are not properly installed or used correctly. This may significantly decrease the protection the seat is designed to provide in the event of a crash. Allowing families to attend a child passenger safety event at no charge is an incentive that creates safer travel for children in Lincoln and Lancaster County.

#### **A few requirements are necessary when hosting an event:**

- ▶ Adequate parking area with good traffic flow
- ▶ Hold the event for a minimum of 2.5 – 3 hours
- ▶ Event Coordinator who helps with logistics of event and works with the Safe Kids Child Passenger Safety Task Force
- ▶ A staging area with tables for technicians to complete paperwork
- ▶ \$350 donation that pays for a number of car seats available to families who attend with no or unsafe car seats and a meal for the technicians who volunteer their time to work the event
- ▶ 3-5 volunteers to help with traffic flow
- ▶ Promotion of event through appropriate media/community outlets

#### **Safe Kids Child Passenger Task Force will provide:**

- ▶ Certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians
- ▶ Child passenger safety check forms and clip boards
- ▶ Scheduling of appointments for the event
- ▶ Ordering of food for volunteer technicians
- ▶ Promotion of event on the Safe Kids Nebraska website and our local coalition website, [www.safekidslincoln.org](http://www.safekidslincoln.org)

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