Core State Injury Prevention Program
CDC’s Injury Center Uses Data and Research to Save Lives

Our Mission
CDC works with states and communities to put injury prevention research findings into public health action.

Core SIPP aims to increase protective factors and reduce risk factors, focusing on:
- Adverse childhood experiences (ACEs)
- Traumatic brain injury (TBI)
- Transportation Safety

Core SIPP includes strategies to:
1. Implement data surveillance
2. Strengthen strategic collaborations and partnerships
3. Conduct assessment and evaluation

CDC Supports States and Communities
CDC has committed about $33.5 million over 5-years to implement Core SIPP.

This funding goes to 23 state injury prevention programs from 2021–2025:
- Each recipient receives approximately $250,000 annually to use data and research to implement public health actions that prevent injury.
- Recipients can use up to 25% of their award to address local priority injury topics, such as drowning, older adult falls, or suicide.
- Six recipients received $150,000 in enhanced or additional funding to expand the injury and violence prevention evidence base and demonstrate public health impact. Example activities include:
  - Educating communities on policies that strengthen economic resilience (Colorado)
  - Implementing ACEs prevention activities that aim to create change at the structural and community levels (North Carolina)
  - Using transportation safety virtual checkpoints for parents and first year teen drivers (Tennessee)
  - Operationalizing CDC’s Mild TBI Guidelines (Tennessee)

Most events that result in injury or death could be prevented if communities used evidence-based public health strategies, practices, and policies.

In the United States
Injuries are the leading cause of death for children and adults ages 1–45.

More than 270,000 people in the United States die each year because of injuries (2020).

About 23 million people suffer non-fatal injuries requiring emergency department visits annually (2020).

Injuries cost the United States $4.2 trillion annually (2019).

(Health care, work loss, lost quality of life, and lives lost estimates.)

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Funded States
Non-Funded States
Enhanced Component

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