Prevention of Injuries
INJURY PREVENTION SAVES LIVES

PREVENTION WORKS!
Bicyclist helmets decrease the incidence of head injuries by 85%

MAGNITUDE OF THE PROBLEM
Annually, injuries involve:
• #1 cause of death in young people
• 1 of 4 Americans
• 145,000 deaths
• 2,590,000 hospital admissions
• 37,000,000 emergency room visits
• $200,000,000,000

INJURIES ARE NOT ACCIDENTS

For more information on injury prevention, visit the Injury Prevention web page @ www.facs.org

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