


Child Injury Prevention Newsletter

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- "Road Safety Week 2011" — 21st to 27th November. To order resources to help you promote it go to www.roadsafetyweek.org
- "IMPS celebrates 10 year anniversary!" The Bradford IMPS is the largest of its kind in the country and teaches 5800 children per year. Over the last 10 years more than 50,000 10 and 11 year olds have been trained in 1st aid and resuscitation skills. As reported in the T&A recently these skills have been put into action, an example of this was 11 year old Jack Clayton whose father collapsed 1 week after he had attended IMPS. Jack immediately knew what to do and put his dad into the recovery position and called 999.The IMPS logo features a cartoon character in a green shirt and orange pants, holding a first aid kit. The text "IMPS" is written in a green, stylized font above the character. Below the character, the text "INJURY MINIMIZATION PROGRAMME for SCHOOLS" is written in a smaller, black, sans-serif font.
- FSID—Risks re bed sharing: 3 fold risk of death if bed sharing, even if non smoker.
- Child Safety Week 2011: In June this year there was a multiagency response to Child safety week with an event being held in the Kirkgate centre in Bradford and various events at children centres across the District.
- www.which.co.uk Phil and Teds pushchairs recall. (Explorer and hammerhead models). Risk of injury due to failing brakes. New frames offered.
- Dr Renu Arya—Doing a study into cardio respiratory function in term and pre term infants while seated in a car seat
- 2 zam zam water warning: the Food Standards Agency advises people to avoid drinking bottled water labelled/described as zam zam water

Training Dates

- Fitting home safety equipment course for staff employed by children and family centres

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- ROSPA—Home Safety Symposium 2011 1st November 2011, Birmingham

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