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Parent and Caregiver Presentation: Facilitator's Guide

Direction questions to curriculum@cpsac.org.

Purpose: To provide child passenger safety technicians (CPSTs) with an easy to use, adaptable presentation for parents and caregivers.

Preparation: Review your technician manual, this facilitator's guide and handouts. Contact us if you have any questions at info@cpsac.org.

Format: PDF slides to be used as a slide presentation. PDF viewers are available for download for both MAC and PC. Choose "full screen" and then flip through the slides as you would for a PowerPoint presentation.

Time allotted: 30 mins - 2 hours depending on the level of detail you discuss, and what (if any) props you bring with you for demonstration. Allow time for questions from your audience. You could use this presentation to give a very concise 30 minute talk with few questions, or you could use it in conjunction with in-person demonstrations and props to fill two hours or more.

Materials & Equipment:

To present: Laptop, LCD projector, slide presentation file, printed slides with key points to use as speaker's notes.

Optional: Car seats, dolls, and other props that may demonstrate the messages of this presentation.

Optional print materials for participants:

[Slide handout with notes](#)

[CPSAC Tri-fold brochure](#)

[Summary of Provincial & Territorial Laws](#)

[Infant Seats](#)

[Rear-facing Seats](#)

[Forward-facing Seats](#)

[Booster Seats](#)

[Child Seat Belts](#)

Local resources (if available)

Evaluation form (optional)

How do I use this presentation?

Use these slides to prompt discussion points. Use the key points as a starting point for what to discuss on each slide.

During the presentation: Introduce yourself, explain that you are a CPST and briefly describe what that means. Hand out and explain the resources. Know your limits. If you don't know the answer to a question, you can say something like: "I don't know but will find out."

At the end of the presentation: Provide participants with a list of local resources, which you have compiled. Provide participants with information about upcoming clinics or events. Ask participants to complete an evaluation for your own information (optional, see page 3).

Please note: Under no circumstances can the images of the children in the slide presentation be used for purposes other than this presentation. If you need a poster to advertise this presentation, you will find a template here: <http://www.cpsac.org/style-guide/>

Frequently Asked Questions:

Who can present with this slide set?

This presentation may be used by any current CPSAC member.

Who is this presentation for?

This presentation is intended for parents and caregivers but would also be suitable for community groups, or anyone who transports children. Installation is only discussed in a general sense.

I want to add more pictures or show a video. Can I edit the slide set?

Do not edit the slide set in any way. You can be prepared to show additional photos or videos cued up on your computer and flip between them as needed. We recommend you print and add notes to the speaking notes to prompt yourself when to switch to additional resources. Make sure that any additional photos or videos are in line with the content in the CPST Manual, and that you have permission to use any images or videos in this way.

Do I have to show every slide?

No, you may skip over slides that aren't necessary for your audience. You may wish to go quickly through certain topics, or spend more time on others depending on your target audience. A talk to a prenatal group will have a different focus than a talk to parents of kindergarten children.

The photos are great! Can I use them on a different presentation or share them on my Facebook page?

No. Unfortunately, we do not have permission to use the images in any other way.

Can I print the slides and give them as a handout?

You may print the notes file with speakers notes. This is a PDF file that has the slides and key points, with additional space to make notes.

Evaluation: Parent and Caregiver Presentation

Presenter(s): _____ Date: _____

Please rate the following items on a scale from 1 to 5 by circling the appropriate number:
 1= STRONGLY DISAGREE and 5= STRONGLY AGREE

I felt that the presentation was well organized and the main points were well covered and clarified.	1	2	3	4	5
I felt that the instructor demonstrated comprehensive knowledge of the subject matter.	1	2	3	4	5
I felt the presentation helped me understand more about transporting children safely.	1	2	3	4	5
I felt the presentation presented ideas clearly and the material was informative and easy to understand.	1	2	3	4	5
I gained useful information and will be able to apply what I learned to my professional or personal life.	1	2	3	4	5
What was the most valuable aspect of the workshop?					
What could have been done to improve the workshop?					
Additional comments or suggestions:					