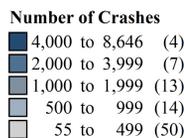


Map and Table: 2016-2018 At-Fault Teen Crashes

OSHP District	Number of Crashes
District 1	9,173
District 2	4,481
District 3	21,033
District 4	8,604
District 5	10,575
District 6	14,710
District 7	4,304
District 8	18,471
District 9	3,510
Total	94,861



Crashes Involving Teen Drivers¹

- From 2016-2018, there were 132,744 traffic crashes in Ohio involving at least one teen driver, about 15% of all crashes. According to the Federal Highway Administration, only 4% of licensed drivers in the US were aged 19 or younger in 2017.
- An action on the part of the teen driver contributed to 71% (94,861) of these crashes. At-fault teen driver crashes resulted in 255 deaths and 39,476 injuries from 2016-2018. This represents 8% of people killed and 12% of people injured in traffic crashes during this period.
- Of at-fault, teen driver crashes, 35% were caused by the teen driver following too closely/ACDA². Another 21% of crashes were caused by failure to yield/ran red light or stop sign. Leading causes of at-fault, teen driver fatal crashes include failure to yield/ran red light or stop sign (20%), improper lane change (18%), left of center (16%) and unsafe speed (15%).
- Male teenage drivers were more likely than their female counterparts to be at-fault in crashes (54% vs. 45%). In fatal crashes, males made up 67% of the at-fault drivers. Also, in 73% of teen at-fault crashes, the teen driver was the sole occupant of the vehicle. This drops to 56% for fatal crashes.
- Overall, only 2% of at-fault teen drivers were drug and/or alcohol impaired at the time of the crash. However, in fatal crashes, 18% of at-fault teen drivers were impaired.

¹Drivers aged 15-19. ²Assured Clear Distance Ahead. Data provisional as of 3/21/2019.