

Safe Kids Clayton County (SKCC), led by the **Clayton County Board of Health**, is a 501(c) (3) non-profit community coalition dedicated to developing a safe and healthy community for children in Clayton County. SKCC is one of 28 coalitions across the state and one of more than 600 Safe Kids affiliates across the nation dedicated to reducing childhood unintentional injuries in children, the leading killer of children 14 and under.



Mission:

Safe Kids Clayton County is committed to developing a safe and healthy community through partnership, public awareness, policy advocacy, and education.



Vision:

A community working together to provide a safe place for our children to play and grow, free from unintentional injuries.

We accomplish our mission and vision by targeting six focus areas:

- Child Passenger Safety
- Bike/Wheeled Sport Safety
- Pedestrian Safety
- Water Safety
- Fire and Burn Safety
- Home Safety



Past accomplishments benefitting Clayton County Public School students:

- SKCC hosted a student pedestrian safety event with Callaway Elementary in observance of International Walk to School Day (Oct. 2011).
- SKCC was awarded a \$25,000 safety improvement grant from FedEx, which was used to install new pedestrian crosswalks and crossing signs along Rex Road near the Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center (June 2012).

Safe Kids Clayton County seeks to:

- Create collaborative community partnerships to promote the Safe Kids Clayton County vision and mission.
- Increase public awareness of safety issues and the hazards facing children.
- Educate and assist caregivers and children on safety practices and proper safety equipment use.

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