Use the right car seat. Or risk losing everything.

### 4.4.4. <br> 3 out of 4

3 out of 4 kids are not as secure as they should be because their car seats are not being used correctly. According to a NHTSA study.

## Toke your time

Keep your child rear-facing as long as possible. And, keep your child in the back seat at least through age 12 .


Child restraints in the vehicle saved the lives of an estimated 9,310 children ages 4 and under from 1975 to 2009.


As children grow, how they sit in your car will change. Make sure you use a car seat that properly fits your child's size, age and maturity.


## Rear-facing

I Height: Up to 46" I Weight: Up to 50 lbs. I Age: 0-3 Years
The best seat for young children. Has a harness and, in a crash, cradles and moves with your child to reduce the stress to their fragile neck and spinal cord.


## Forward-facing

I Height: 40.5-5 1.5" | Weight: 38.5-69 lbs. I Age: 2-7 Years
Has a harness and tether that limits forward movement during a crash.


## Booster

I Height: 51.5-63" I Weight: 69-130 lbs. I Age: 4-12 Years
Positions the seat belt so it fits properly over your child's shoulder and upper thighs.

## Seat Belt

## I Height: 4' 9" or Taller I Age: 8-Adult

Keep your child in a booster seat until he or she is big enough to fit in a seat belt properly.

