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FTA Issues Advisory to Improve Safety for

Pedestrians and Cyclists Around Buses

Today, FTA issued a [safety advisory](#) to recommend that transit agencies take action to reduce bus-to-person collisions, which remain a top safety concern. Between 2008 and 2021, bus-to-person collisions accounted for 15 percent of all transit fatalities.

To improve bus safety, transit agencies should identify hazards that may cause or contribute to bus-to-person collisions, assess the associated safety risk and implement mitigations to reduce the likelihood and severity of those collisions.

Find fact sheets, guidance and training available for [transit providers](#) on identifying safety hazards, completing a safety risk assessment and developing mitigations at FTA's website. FTA has also posted a [Bus-to-Person Collision webpage](#) with information about the advisory and available data.

FTA will host a webinar Thursday, October 5, 2023 at 2 p.m. ET to review key elements from the safety advisory and share resources to assist transit agencies with safety risk assessments and strategies to minimize bus-to-person collisions. [Register now](#).

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