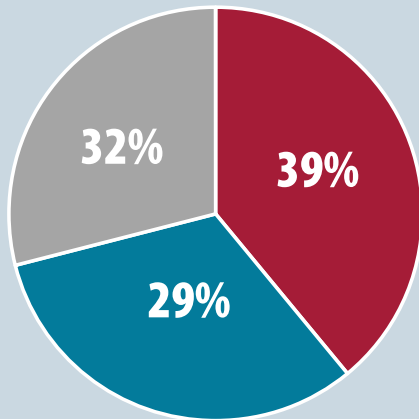




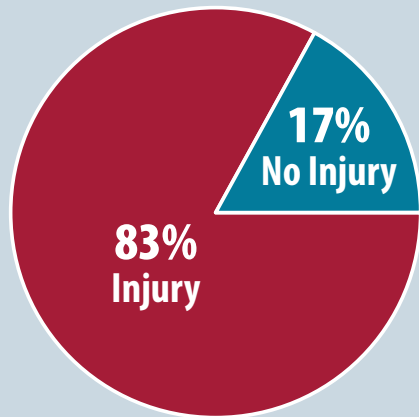
Traffic Crashes Involving Bicyclists



What factors contribute most?

- Motorist failure to yield when making a turn
- Bicyclist riding on sidewalk* ■ Other Factors

* Riding a bicycle on the sidewalk is legal. Bicycle safety educators generally warn against it, because of the danger from turning motor vehicles. However, in most cases bicyclists ride on the sidewalk because there aren't good places to ride in the street.



Most traffic crashes result in injury to the bicyclist.

What can we do?

- design intersections to slow turning vehicles
- educate drivers and bicyclists about operating safely
- enforce the 3-foot law for safe passing of bicyclists

Chattanooga police use this specially equipped bicycle to enforce the 3-foot law, educating drivers at the same time.



View the pedestrian and bicyclist crash map: <https://maps.knoxmpc.org/MapSeries/bikepedcrash.htm>