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#### **In-Person Car Seat Inspection to be Held in Las Cruces**

LAS CRUCES – The New Mexico Department of Transportation Traffic Safety Division (NMDOT TSD) and Safer New Mexico Now will host an in-person **Car Seat Fitting Station from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 7, 2022, at the Sisbarro Buick-GMC, 425 West Boutz Road in Las Cruces**. This free educational event provides parents and caregivers instruction on the proper selection, installation, and use of their car seats from nationally certified child passenger safety technicians.

Technicians will spend approximately 30 minutes per seat educating parents on the proper selection, installation, and use of their car and booster seats. Parents and caregivers will also learn important information regarding common errors in car seat safety and be able to ask questions. If a technician determines a car seat to be recalled, expired, or otherwise unsafe, replacement seats will be available.

To participate in the Car Seat Fitting Station, parents and caregivers should bring their car seat, car seat manual, vehicle manual, and the child should be present if possible. Car seat inspections are by appointment or by walk-in. All participants are required to follow COVID-Safe protocols.

Car Seat Fitting Stations are a free public service funded by the NMDOT TSD and are available to everyone. The child must be present to be considered for a seat replacement. For more information or to make an appointment, please call (800) 231-6145 or (505) 856-6143.

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# 3 out of 4 Car Seats are Used Incorrectly.

Could yours be one of them?

Have your car seat or booster seat inspected for recalls, broken parts, improper installation, and appropriateness for your child.

LAS CRUCES: Car Seat Fitting Station Sisbarro Buick-GMC

425 W. Boutz Rd.

First Thursday of each month 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT PLEASE CALL 800-231-6145

There is no charge for this service, however a car seat replacement fee of \$25 may apply. The child and car seat must be present to be considered for a seat replacement.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT www.CarSeatsNM.org











# 3 de cada 4 Asientos de Seguridad se Usan Incorrectamente.

¿Es el Suyo Uno de Ellos?

Haga inspeccionar su asiento de seguridad o asiento elevador para ver si hay retiros del mercado partes, instalación inadecuada y adecuación para su hijo.

### LAS CRUCES: Car Seat Fitting Station Sisbarro Buick-GMC

425 W. Boutz Rd.

Primer jueves de cada mes De las 3:00 p.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

PARA HACER UNA CITA POR FAVOR LLAME AL 800-231-6145

No hay ningún cargo por este servicio, sin embrago para el asiento de seguridad se puede aplicar una tarifa de reemplazo de \$25

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