



State Helmet Laws

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KEY | **Has mandatory helmet use law**
Has law and evidence of compliance limited in lawsuits
No law

State	Citation	Standard
Alabama	32-5A-283	under 16
Alaska	N/A	N/A
Arizona	N/A	N/A
Arkansas	N/A	N/A
California	VC 21212	under 18
Colorado	N/A	N/A
Connecticut	14-286d	15 and under
Delaware	21:4198K	under 18
District of Columbia	Code 50-1605	under 16
Florida	316.2065	under 16
Georgia	40-6-296	under 16
Hawaii	291C-150	under 16
Idaho	N/A	N/A
Illinois	N/A	N/A
Indiana	N/A	N/A
Iowa	N/A	N/A
Kansas	N/A	N/A
Kentucky	N/A	N/A
Louisiana	32:199	under 12
Maine	29-A: 2323	under 16
Maryland	21-1207.1	under 16
Massachusetts	Ch. 85, §11B(2)(iii)	16 or under
Michigan	N/A	N/A
Minnesota	N/A	N/A
Mississippi	N/A	N/A
Missouri	N/A	N/A
Montana	N/A	N/A
Nebraska	N/A	N/A
Nevada	N/A	N/A
New Hampshire	265:144 (X)	under 16
New Jersey	39:4-10.1	under 17
New Mexico	32A-24-3; 32A-24-2	under 18
New York	25: 1238	under 14
North Carolina	20-171.9	under 16
North Dakota	N/A	N/A
Ohio	N/A	N/A
Oklahoma	N/A	N/A
Oregon	814.485	under 16
Pennsylvania	75: 3510	under 12
Rhode Island	31-19-2.1	15 and under
South Carolina	N/A	N/A
South Dakota	N/A	N/A
Tennessee	55-52-105	under 16
Texas	N/A	N/A
Utah	N/A	N/A
Vermont	N/A	N/A
Virginia	46.2-906.1	Counties, cities, and towns are enabled to require helmet use by persons 14 or younger
Washington	N/A	N/A
West Virginia	17C-11A-4	under 15