# **Impaired Driving Workshops** (as of 3/7/16)

## **Anatomy of a Fatal Collision**

Every crash investigation tells a story and teaches us something new. This workshop will take you to the front line of a real fatal crash investigation, with dash cam video, interviews with the initial officers on scene, and dialogue between law enforcement officers and the prosecutor on the case.

## **Driver Alcohol Detection System for Safety**

In June 2015, NHTSA Administrator Mark Rosekind joined hundreds of volunteers and victims from Mothers Against Drunk Driving for the global launch of the Driver Alcohol Detection System for Safety, or DADSS. The goal is to create a seamless passive technology that prevents a drunk driver from operating a vehicle. This workshop will feature a technical and practical update on the program and its potential to save 7,000 lives annually.

## **Effective Implementation of Ignition Interlock Programs**

Every state uses ignition interlocks in one form or another to prevent drunk driving. However, every state has its own plan for implementing these laws or policies. Explore best practices from around the country to help ensure the public is protected from drunk drivers.

## Impaired Driving Prevention: Focusing on Youth & Charting Progress in Reducing DUI

Youth impaired driving prevention strategies rely heavily on one-shot demonstrations and other activities focusing on the risks and consequences of impaired driving. This session will focus on how the impact of these activities can be greatly enhanced by coordinating them with school-based substance abuse prevention. Also learn how the DWI Dashboard tool can help states chart their progress in reducing impaired driving.

# **Strategies for Addressing Impaired Driving Refusals**

Potential DUI offenders who refuse to cooperate with law enforcement by complying with the request for breath tests pose a serious challenge in reducing drunk driving. This workshop will examine ways to deal with DUI refusals in your community in order to get drunk drivers off the road and effectively prosecute and convict these cases.

### **New & Improved Courtroom Tools to Reduce Impaired Driving**

Courts and prosecution play a critical role in stopping drunk driving. Explore how DUI courts and court monitoring programs can help reduce drunk driving in your community and how you can take advantage of new training opportunities.

### **Research on Drug Impaired Driving**

Several important new studies examine drug-impaired driving. Hear the latest research on the effects of marijuana on driving, the effects of legalizing marijuana, new methods in oral fluid testing, enforcement of drug-impaired driving, and strategies for improving state-level data on drugged driving.

#### **Underutilized DUI Prevention Tools**

Drunk driving continues to claim more than 10,000 lives each year. However, there are tools available in every community that can help lower DUI deaths. Examine what communities can do, including enacting a "dime a drink" alcohol tax, implementing the latest enforcement tools from the National Liquor Law Enforcement Association, and leveraging the new Impaired Driving Assessment tool from the American Parole and Probation Association.

## **Victim Impact Panel**

The purpose of the Victim Impact Panel (VIP) program is to share the long-term effects of traffic deaths, create an empathy and understanding of the tragedy, leave an impression that will change thinking and behavior, and prevent future offenses. Victims have the opportunity to heal by sharing their stories in a meaningful way. At a VIP, victims and survivors speak briefly about the crash and how it impacts their lives. This workshop will feature speakers impacted by drunk, drugged, and distracted drivers.

## What's New in Drug-Impaired Driving

Drug-impaired driving is a growing conversation in traffic safety. Review the latest research on the scope and overall risks of drugged driving, including the questions that must be answered to create effective policy. You'll also hear about new and important reports from the Governors Highway Safety Association and Mothers Against Drunk Driving highlighting the challenges for states and communities and suggesting steps they can take to address the problem.