Ticketing Grandma & Grandpa: The Vital Role of Law Enforcement in Identifying Medically At-Risk Drivers
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The Role of Law Enforcement in Identifying Medically At-Risk Drivers
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Law Enforcement’s Role
• Conduct/document traffic stops
• Source for helpful aging driver information
• Identify and refer at-risk drivers to licensing agencies

Training Programs

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DOSCI

Laminated Card
Smartphone App

Nine Questions

1. What is your date of birth? Month, day and year required; must match documents
2. What is your full home address? Answer must match document; if not, prompt for address listed on documents
3. What state are we in now?
4. What city/town are we in now? Within reasonable proximity
5. Without looking at your watch, can you estimate what time it is now? Answer must be plus or minus one hour of correct time
6. What day of the week is it? Prompt for correct day, if needed
7-9. What is today's date? Prompt for month, day and year

- Month
- Day
- Year
Scoring Recommendations

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• Documentation; history identifies patterns of unsafe driving
• Demonstrates concern for driver’s safety and safety of others
• Provides valuable information to family and health care provider
• Re-exam does not automatically mean loss of driving privilege

Online Training Videos

Available at [http://treds.ucsd.edu/law-enforcement](http://treds.ucsd.edu/law-enforcement)

• Driver Orientation Screen for Cognitive Impairment
  10-minute video training of DOSCI and smartphone app

• Recognizing Cognitive Impairment in Drivers
  9-minute video demonstrates use of the DOSCI during a traffic contact

• Identifying and Referring Cognitively Impaired Drivers
  30-minute video shift change training

• Medical Conditions that Can Affect Driving
  15-minute video discusses medical conditions that interfere with driving and how to recognize those conditions

Driver Re-examination

Education for Aging Road Users

• Aging and Driving
• Collision Factors
• Safe Driving Strategies
• Licensing Information
• Self-Assessment and Resources

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