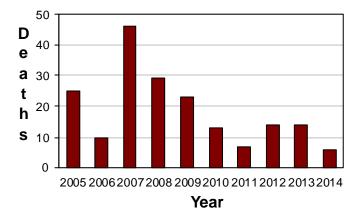
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Did you know in 2014:

- 1,041 motor vehicle crashes occurred in Utah involving a drowsy driver.
- 187 people have died in Utah over the last ten years in drowsy driver crashes.
- 1.9% of the motor vehicle crashes in Utah involved a drowsy driver.

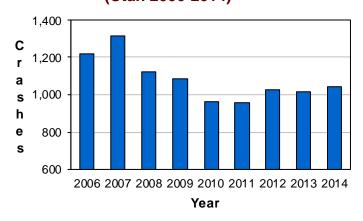
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Drowsy Driver Deaths by Year (Utah 2005-2014)



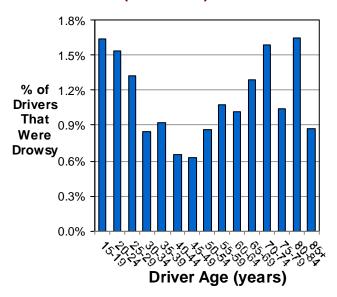
• Over the last ten years, an average of 19 people die each year from drowsy drivers.

Drowsy Driver Crashes by Year (Utah 2006-2014)



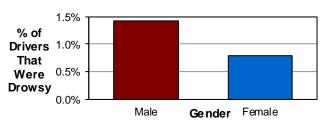
 Over the last nine years, an average of 1,081 crashes occur each year involving a drowsy driver.

Age of Drowsy Drivers in Crashes (Utah 2014)



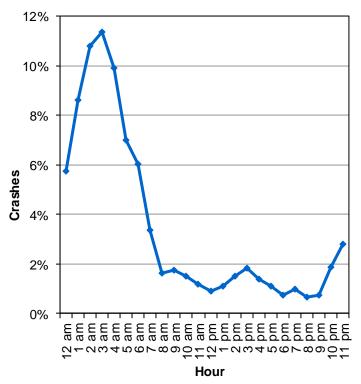
- Drivers aged 15-24,70-74, and 80-84 had the highest percent of drivers in crashes that were drowsy.
- Drivers under age 30 years are involved in over half (52%) of drowsy driving crashes.

Gender of Drowsy Drivers in Crashes (Utah 2014)



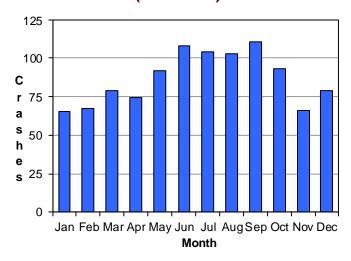
 Males were 1.8 times more likely to be in a drowsy driver crash than females.

Percent of Total Crashes with a Drowsy Driver by Hour (Utah 2014)



- While 2% of total crashes involved a drowsy driver, 8% of crashes occurring during the hours of midnight-6:59 a.m. involved a drowsy driver.
- The highest number of drowsy driver crashes occurred during the hours of 6:00-7:59 a.m. and 3:00-5:59 p.m.

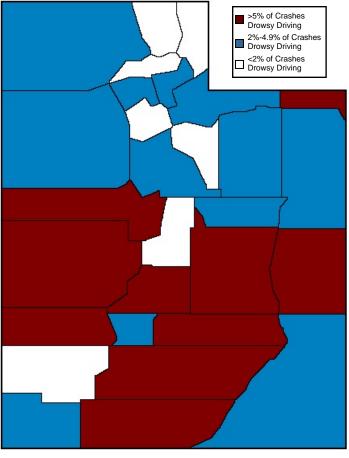
Drowsy Driver Crashes by Month (Utah 2014)



 June through September had the most drowsy driver crashes.

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Percent of Total Crashes with a Drowsy Driver by County (Utah 2014)



- Grand and Juab Counties had the highest percent of crashes involving drowsy drivers.
- Rural crashes were 2.6 times more likely to involve a drowsy driver than urban crashes.

Before driving:

- Get adequate sleep most adults need
 7-9 hours to maintain proper alertness during the day
- Schedule proper breaks about every 100 miles or 2 hours during long trips
- Arrange for a travel companion someone to talk with and share driving
- Avoid alcohol and sedating medications - check your labels or ask your doctor