



Safety Starts with you

Better Hearing Month

Healthy hearing means not waiting to check your hearing until hearing loss is so significant it is impacting your ability to participate in your work, social events you enjoy, or conversations with loved ones. Subtle changes in hearing may not be immediately noticeable but can make a big difference in quality of life. Audiologists can check our hearing and make recommendations for improving hearing health and function and can offer tips for protecting your hearing to make sure it can serve you well for a lifetime.

AUDIOLOGISTS
ARE ALL EARS...



NO MATTER
WHAT.



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[American Academy of Audiology](#)



[UW-EHS General Hearing
Protection Training](#)
NetID required to access training



Motorcycle Safety

Motorcycle riders continue to be overrepresented in fatal traffic crashes. In 2021, there were 5,932 motorcyclists killed – 14% of all traffic fatalities. NHTSA data show that this is the highest number of motorcyclists killed since at least 1975. To keep everyone safe, we urge drivers and motorcyclists to share the road and be alert, and we're reminding motorcyclists to make themselves visible, to use DOT-compliant motorcycle helmets, and to always ride sober.

[National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
\(NHTSA\)](#)



National Water Safety Month

Research shows that we are more successful at meeting goals when we join forces with others. Join the movement to reinforce the importance of water safety. *Take the pledge*, spread the message, and become an advocate in your community today.

“I’m a Safe Swimmer” Pledge:

- I pledge to never swim alone.
- I pledge to never play or swim near drains or suction fittings.
- I pledge to always dive feet first.
- I pledge to obey the pool rules.

[American Red Cross Swim Safety](#)



Wisconsin Boat License

Wisconsin law requires those born on or after January 1, 1989, to pass a boater safety course and to carry a boater education card if operating a motorboat or PWC in Wisconsin.

<https://www.boat-ed.com/wisconsin/>

National Water Safety Month is an annual awareness campaign coordinated by the **Pool & Hot Tub Alliance** with support from the **American Red Cross, National Drowning Prevention Alliance, National Recreation and Park Association, and World Waterpark Association.**

**Graduate
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