

PARTICIPATING POLICE DEPARTMENTS
"TAKE CONTROL" IS OFFERED BY THE MONTVILLE POLICE
DEPARTMENT, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OTHER MEDINA
COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENTS.

Brunswick Hills Police
 505 Substation Road
 Brunswick, OH 44212

Medina Sheriff's Office
 555 Independence Drive
 Medina, OH 44256

Spencer Police
 109 N. Main St
 Spencer, OH 44275

Brunswick Police
 4095 Center Road
 Brunswick, OH 44212

Medina Township Police
 3801 Huffman Road
 Medina, OH 44256

Seville Police
 120 Royal Crest Dr.
 Seville, OH 44273

Hinckley Police
 1410 Ridge Road
 Hinckley, OH 44233

Montville Police Department
 6665 Wadsworth Road
 Medina, Ohio 44256

Westfield Police
 6701 Greenwich Road
 Westfield Center, OH 44254

Lodi Police
 110 Ainsworth Street
 Lodi, OH 44254

Ohio State Highway Patrol:
 Medina Post
 3149 Frantz Road
 Medina, OH 44256

Wadsworth Police
 120 Maple Street
 Wadsworth, OH 44281

Medina City Police
 150 West Friendship St.
 Medina, OH 44256

Medina County local law enforcement wants to help Medina County teens and parents take control by offering advanced driver education and hands-on experience, which has the potential to prevent teen driving crashes and citations.

TAKE CONTROL

a free advanced teen driver training program, taught by certified police officers



THIS FREE ADVANCED DRIVER TRAINING COURSE IS AVAILABLE THROUGH THE SUPPORT OF THE FOLLOWING GENEROUS SPONSORS:



SUPPORTING PARTNER:



TAKE CONTROL

You passed Driver's Ed. You passed your road test. But are you really prepared to drive yourself, your family and your friends? What can you do to take control?

Safe driving is more than learning the rules of the road. Safe driving takes practice. In addition to classroom instruction, "Take Control" puts drivers behind the wheel with certified police driving instructors to practice the following techniques:

- The relationship between eye positioning and driving
- Vehicle pivot points in forward and reverse
- Shuffle steering
- Skid recovery
- Collision avoidance
- Emergency braking

You are driving down the road, you hit a patch of ice and suddenly your car is skidding out of control. What can you do to take control?

Many teens aren't experienced driving in Ohio's weather conditions. "Take Control" offers a car equipped with Drift Lift® technology, which allows all participants to practice reacting and regaining control of a skidding vehicle.

You may be eligible for a discount on car insurance for attending this defensive driving program! Some restrictions may apply. Check with your agent to determine if a discount is offered, and if your household is eligible.



ENROLLMENT

REQUIREMENTS:

- Participants must:
- have a valid driver's license
 - be between the ages of 16 and 19

FEE:

\$0 (donations accepted). Similar advanced driver training courses typically cost \$250 or more, but Medina County offers training for free! Donations can be made to Montville Police Department, memo: Take Control.

DATES, LOCATION AND TIME:

Offered the third Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at Westfield Insurance - One Park Circle, Westfield Center, OH 44251

TO REGISTER:

Call the Montville Police Department (330.661.0122). Be prepared to provide your e-mail address to receive required waiver and release forms (must be returned seven days in advance). Space is limited. Medina County residents are given priority; out of county participants are considered as space allows.

WEATHER POLICY AND DRESS:

Rain, shine or snow. Dress appropriately for weather as part of class is conducted outside. Do not wear sandals.

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT:

Parents will not be allowed to participate in the program; however, parents are encouraged to observe the program.

"Take Control" is an expansion of the Medina County Juvenile Diversion program. Since 2008 Medina County local law enforcement has offered a similar advanced driver training to teens who have received their first traffic citation, in lieu of a traditional fine, thanks to the support of:

MEDINA COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
The Honorable Judge John J. Lohn

Please note: teens with a first time traffic citation are encouraged to take the Medina County Juvenile Diversion program also operated by the Montville Police Department. Participation in Take Control will not expunge your driving record of a citation.