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BRAIN INJURY SAFETY NET LISTSERV

Webinars and Resources



Happy New Year and welcome to the Brain Injury Safety Net Listserv! Whether you are a returning member or a new one, we want to warmly welcome you to this email list for professionals interested in making a difference regarding concussion awareness and concussion management.

What is the Safety Net Listserv?

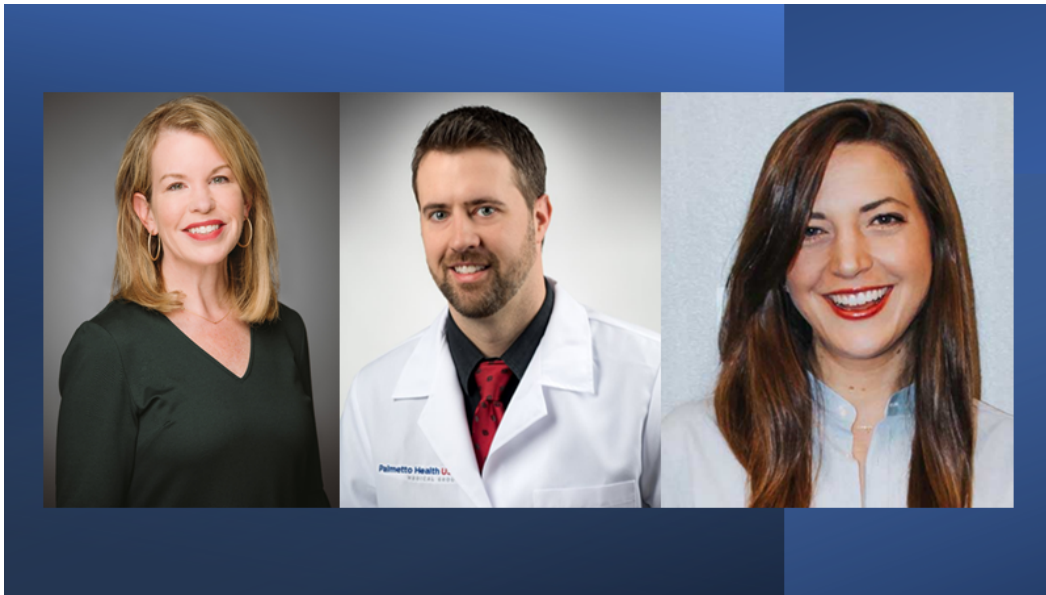
The Safety Net Listserv is a platform for professionals interested and invested in brain health, concussion awareness, and concussion management to share resources as well as presentation, conference, and training opportunities.

This listserv is similar to a newsletter, offered as a free benefit to our colleagues and fellow professionals with a shared interest in brain health. It is a moderated email correspondence focused solely on concussion and brain injury awareness where resources, landmark research, referrals, and opportunities for presentations, collaborations, etc. are shared.

All About the Safety Net Listserv

Click below to learn all about the Safety Net Listserv, how it works, who should join, what the benefits are to you, etc.

www.braininjurysafetynetsc.com/safetynetblog/what-is-the-safety-net-listserv



Brain Injury Safety Net Educational Webinars

The Brain Injury Safety Net Task Force is comprised of an inter-disciplinary team of professionals dedicated to awareness, education, and proper management of concussion-related injuries. Some of our Task Force Members have created brief 15-20 minute webinars to help provide you the information you need to effectively serve youth with concussions.

Check out a new feature of our website, The SafetyNet Blog to read more about our Task Force Members and get access to these free educational webinars!

<https://www.braininjurysafetynetsc.com/safetynetblog>

Concussions in Children: What a Pediatrician Wants You To Know

Dr. Emilie Bartlett



Can you name the three essential steps to approach a potentially serious concussion in a child aged 12 or younger?

No caregiver wants to see the child in their care in pain or hurting. While injuries are just part of growing up and being alive, that doesn't make them any less stressful when they occur -- especially when it comes to young children. What do you do when your child has sustained a potentially serious injury but they don't have advanced communication skills to articulate it? What should you look for to determine whether or not the child has a concussion? What should you do if you suspect a serious injury?

What if you could learn the answers to some of these questions in under just 12 minutes? That's one minute for every year your young child can benefit from this important information.

Join Dr. Emilie Z. Bartlett, mother of twin boys and 20-year pediatrician, for this brief, informative, and straightforward webinar. This webinar is designed for parents, grandparents, guardians, teachers, and anyone who is responsible for a child or children aged 12 and under: [Concussions in Children: What A Pediatrician Wants You To Know](#)

Myths and Facts of Concussions for Youth Serving Professionals Dr. Jeff Holloway



How Well Do You Know Concussions?

Are these statements Myth or Fact?

- If you don't lose consciousness, you don't have a concussion.
- Concussions typically resolve within 28 days.
- Prolonged rest is needed to recover from a concussion.
- Everyone with a concussion needs a CT scan and MRI.

Did you guess correctly?

Find out in this quick 15-minute webinar what is fact and what is not -- the knowledge of which could make a life-changing impact on a child you know with mTBI. Whether you're an expert in the field or just beginning to learn about concussions, this webinar is for you.

Click [Myths and Facts of Concussions for Youth Serving Professionals](#) to view a Brain Injury Safety Net webinar by Dr. Jeff Holloway.

Vision and Concussions

Dr. Katie Davis Tarver



How does a concussion affect the visual system?

What are the signs and symptoms of injury, and what can one do about it?

Recent research suggests that over 50% of patients with concussion or post-concussion syndrome have visual problems that may cause headaches, eye headaches, double vision, eye strain, and/or blurred vision.

Don't wait until a child in your care has a concussion to understand how it can affect their visual system's health. The visual system includes so much more than sight alone -- watch now to learn the steps you can take to help a child with mTBI, and ensure they can look forward to a lifetime of healthy vision.

Click to watch this [brief but essential webinar](#) from subject matter expert Dr. Davis as she educates parents and caregivers on the impact of concussion on the visual system, outlines the signs and symptoms of visual injury, and provides free resources and tools available. You'll also learn how an injury to this region of the nervous system impacts a child's life and how to address, treat, and manage post-injury effects.

How Do I Join? Can I invite someone who would benefit?

Sign up is easy! Simply visit our website and fill out the contact information: <https://www.braininjurysafetynetsc.com/contact>

When filling out the contact form please make sure to include the following information:

- Name
- Organization
- Job Title
- Phone Number
- Email Address

Please feel free to share this resource with colleagues and professionals that would benefit from this information. Any questions can be directed to safetynetcoordinator@biaofsc.com.



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Brain Injury Association of South Carolina
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