



Labor Day Holiday 2009

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Oklahoma Highway Safety Facts

Labor Holiday 2009 102 Hours Friday, September 4, 2009 (6 p.m.) through Monday, September 7, 2009 (Midnight)									
Injury Severity	All Crashes		Alcohol-Related Crashes		Restraint Use Among Fatality Victims				
	Crashes	Persons	Crashes	Persons	Person Type	Unknown	In Use	Not In Use	Total
Fatal	7	9	4	6	Driver			3	3
Injury	190	301	28	42	Passenger	1	1	2	4
Total	465	928	64	97	Total	1	1	5	7
Injury severity includes incapacitating, non-incapacitating and possible injury.					One motorcyclist and one ATV rider excluded from above.				

Crashes Fatalities & Injuries

The Labor Day Holiday period in 2009 was a total of 102 hours which began at 6 p.m. on Friday, September 4 and ended at midnight on Monday, September 7. During this time period there were nine persons killed in seven fatal crashes. Six of the nine fatalities occurred in alcohol-related crashes.

Fatalities & Safety Equipment

Of the nine fatalities, two were in an SUV, five were in a pickup truck, one was a motorcyclist and one was an ATV rider. Five of the seven vehicle occupant fatalities were unrestrained and restraint was unknown for one occupant.

Both the motorcycle and ATV fatalities were not wearing a safety helmet.

