

Safety Briefing

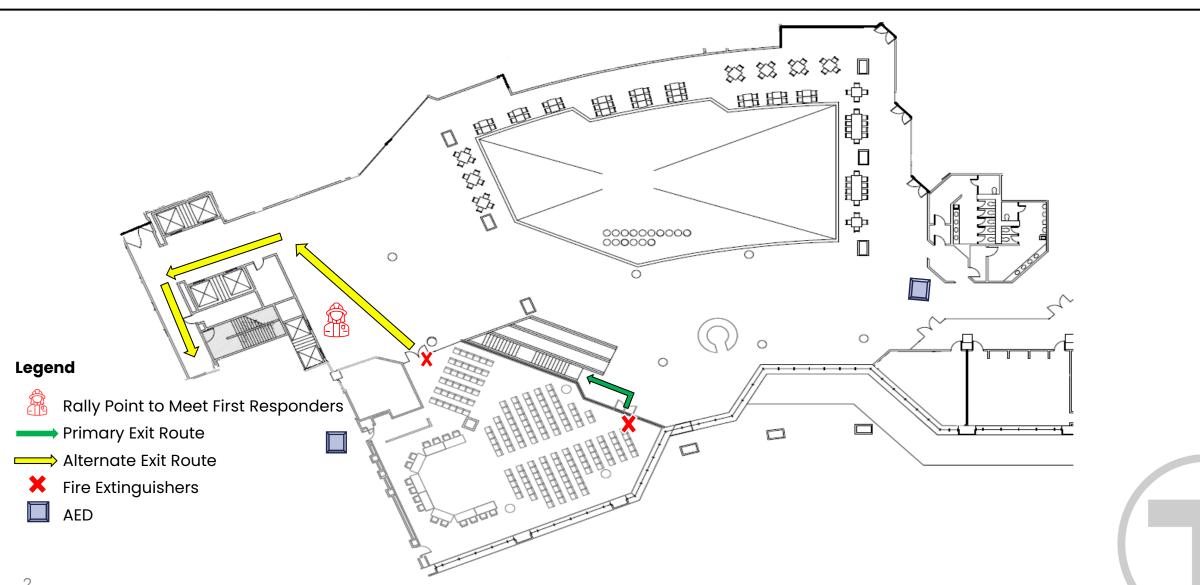
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November 14th: National Seat Belt Day Seat Belt Facts

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA):

- On average, every 47 minutes someone not wearing a seat belt dies in a car crash.
- In 2022, more unrestrained passenger vehicle occupants died in traffic crashes at night (6,252) than during the day (4,949).
- In 2022, 57% of passenger vehicle occupants killed at night (6 p.m.-5:59 a.m.) were not wearing seat belts.
- Among young adults 18 to 34 killed while riding in passenger vehicles in 2022, more than half (60%) were completely unrestrained.
- Men make up the majority of those killed in traffic crashes.



Buckle Up, Phone Down

We want to create a safer environment by decreasing the number of crashes that result in serious injuries and/or fatalities due to unrestrained and distracted drivers. We want to help you be prepared and aware when you drive your car.

- Use your seat belt every trip and put down the phone when driving.
- Buckling up is the single most effective thing you can do to protect yourself in a car crash.
- Secure children in the proper child safety seat.
- Safety belt use isn't just a good idea, IT'S THE LAW!



Thank you!