

2026 Safety Summit | Hyatt Regency Lexington | May 20-22

Day 1 (May 20)					
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration Open				
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Traffic Incident Management Course (Todd Kelley & Tim Hazelette)				
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Below 100 (Troy Dye & Kim Schlau)				
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Governor's Executive Committee on Highway Safety Meeting (Invitation Only)				
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Opening General Session				
1:00 PM - 1:10 PM	Honor Guard (KSP) & National Anthem (Eric Bowman)				
1:10 PM - 1:30 PM	KYTC Transportation Secretary				
1:30 PM - 1:40 PM	Welcome & Safety Briefing from Ryan Fisher, Director, Kentucky Office of Highway Safety & Valerie Januski, Director, Secretary's Office of Safety				
1:40PM - 2:20 PM	Kim Schlau				
2:20 PM - 2:55 PM	How Much Does a Burn Really Cost (Chuck Tiemann)				
2:55 PM - 3:30 PM	Preventive Care for Mental Health (Mary Jane Cowherd)				
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break				
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Breakout 1- Enforcement (Thoroughbred 1)	Breakout 2- Engineering (Thoroughbred 2)	Breakout 3- Education (Regency 1)	Breakout 4- Emergency Response (Regency 2)	Breakout 5- Employee Safety (Regency 3)
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Move Over Law / Distracted Driving (Lt. Chris Vanbrackel)	All Way Stops (Adam Hedges, HDR & Matthew Holder & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)	SS4A (Adam Kirk, KTC & Area Development Districts)	EMS Systems Update (Wayne Briscoe, Kentucky Board of EMS)	KYTC Backing Policy and FAQ's (Tim Preston, SOS & Scott Toler, KYTC)
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Reception with Exhibitors				
Day 2 (May 21)					
7:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration Open				
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Breakfast				
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Breakout Sessions				
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Breakout 1- Enforcement	Breakout 2- Engineering	Breakout 3- Education	Breakout 4- Emergency Response	Breakout 5- Employee Safety
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Kentucky's Law Enforcement Phlebotomy Program (Jenny True Reed, KY Unified Prosecutorial System)	Turning RSAs into Action (Katie Rowe, Gresham Smith & Adam Hedges, HDR & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)	Highway Safety Grantee IGX Training Session (Nate Dean, KOHS)	Kentucky's High Five Program Evaluation Results (Ed Harding, KOHS & Kim Elliott & Mark Solomon, Preusser Research Group, Inc.)	Stop the Bleed (Jason Mike & Stacy Shannon, DOCJT)
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Break with Exhibitors				
10:30 AM - 11:30 PM	Over View of KSP Collision Reconstruction Program - A resource for the Commonwealth (Hunter Martin, KSP)	Safe System Approach (Jill Asher & Jeff Jasper, KTC)	Work Zone Safety Initiatives (Positive Protection) (Derrick Dennison, KYTC)	Stop the Bleed (Jason Mike & Stacy Shannon, DOCJT)	Highway Safety Improvements Program Funding / Automated Flagging Devices (Tim Preston, SOS & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Lunch & Safety Awards				
1:10 PM - 2:10 PM	Forged in Scars & Stripes (Bob Bemis, PA State Police Dept.)	Advancement in Safety Research (Jarrod Stanley, KYTC & Gabe Dadi, Catherine Keathley, Andrew Martin, KTC)	CPS Basics for Law Enforcement (Sharon Rengers, KOHS)	Law Enforcement Officers in Work Zones (Todd Morrison, KTC)	Overview of KYTC Electrical Requirements (Aaron Wathen & Chad Wellman, SOS)
2:20 PM - 3:20 PM	Protecting the Pedestrian Officer (Bob Bemis, PA State Police Dept.)	Speed Management Action Plan Update (Will Conkin, Palmer & Rob Frazier, HDR & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)			What To Expect During a Kentucky OSH Compliance Investigation (Rick Brown & Chad Wellman, SOS)
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break with Exhibitors				
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Oral Fluids / SoToxa - Abbot Labs (Rob Duckworth)	Kinetic Energy & Center Line Buffers (Allison Caudill, HDR & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)	Stroke Specialty Care & Recognition (Lacy Shumway, UK)	The Fundamentals of Kentucky US&R (Doug Hargreaves, KY Emergency Management)	Work Zone Safety Initiatives (Positive Protection) (Derrick Dennison, KYTC)
Day 3 (May 22)					
7:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Registration Open				
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Breakfast				
8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Breakout Sessions				
8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Breakout 1- Enforcement	Breakout 2- Engineering	Breakout 3- Education	Breakout 4- Emergency Response	Breakout 5- Employee Safety
8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Camera Assisted Speed Enforcement (Derrick Dennison & John Moore, KYTC)	Pavement Friction Measurement and Analysis (Ryland Potter, WDM USA & Sheldon Spears, Skidabrader & Mike Vaughn, KYTC)	Department of Vehicle Regulation (Matt Cole, DVR)	Louisville's Prehospital Blood Transfusion Program: Kentucky's First (Major Spryka, Louisville Metro EMS)	KRS 189 Updates and Investigated Violations Outcomes (Jeff Hulker, KYTC)
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Break				
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	General Session				
10:00 AM - 10:40 AM	Round Table - Overweight Vehicle Enforcement on Non-Interstate Routes, Bob Yeager				
10:40 AM - 11:20 AM	Carrollton County Bus Crash (Quinton Higgins)				
11:20 AM - 12:00 PM	Deputy State Highway Engineer, Jason Siwula				