

SAFETY FOCUS

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APRIL 2022

FACILITIES

This year, we will be working with you to encourage safety participation from everyone at your location.

ACTION ITEMS

- 1 Complete the DTU training
- 2 Review and share the safety topic with your people
- 3 Leave feedback



INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 Print out this Focus, review the information, and **complete the action items**.
- 2 Each section has action items to help you and your team complete this Safety Focus. **Review each section carefully.**
- 3 The Safety Leader will need to **complete the DTU training module** for the month. You will be required to complete a course test following the training module.
- 4 Once all the action items are completed, **have a group discussion** about your findings and answer your feedback questions as a team.

FEEDBACK ON THIS MONTH'S TOPIC

All feedback must be submitted through the Safety Feedback Portal.

Safety Leader: You will find the feedback questions at the end of this Safety Focus.

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AVOID COMMON DISTRACTIONS WHILE DRIVING

Every day, about 8 people in the United States are killed in crashes that are reported to involve a distracted driver.

Distracted driving is driving while doing another activity that takes your attention away from driving. Distracted driving can increase the chance of a motor vehicle crash.



Types of Driving Distractions and how to avoid them

Visual	Physical	Cognitive
 Keep your eyes on the road. Pull over to read directions. Put your phone in "Do Not Disturb" mode.	 Keep your phone out of reach. Make all adjustments before driving. Don't reach for items while driving.	 Avoid phone calls, even hands-free. Stay focused on the road. Keep your emotions in check.
		



Call to action: Share this information with your people.

Tips To Help You Focus On The Road

- Do not use cell phones while driving
- If you must use your cell phone for emergency situations, pull over and stop your vehicle
- If you are drowsy, pull off the road and onto a safe place
- Avoid eating while driving
- If another activity demands your attention, pull off the road and stop your vehicle
- Take your time driving, there is no rush



DRIVING SAFELY, DRIVING SMARTER

DTU EXTENDED LEARNING

This course will provide general defensive driving techniques to reduce your chances of being involved in a motor vehicle accident.

 **Call to action:** Complete the Driving Safely, Driving Smarter training module and share what you learned with your people.

Contact dtu_learning@discounttire.com for troubleshooting.

For **first time logging in to the Extended Learning Catalog**, follow the instructions by [clicking here](#)



The screenshot shows a web-based training module for 'Transportation (US Edition)'. The module title is 'Driving Safely, Driving Smarter'. The due date is listed as 'Due: Apr 30, 2022'. There is a small information icon (i) next to the title.

INSPECTION READINESS

This month, the stores are focusing on inspecting the Balancers and Conveyors.

Balancer:

- Balancer lift is attached and functional

Conveyor:

- All cleats are present and secured
- Emergency stop is working properly
- Both top and bottom controls are operational
- Conveyor is bolted to the ground

FEEDBACK ON THIS MONTH'S TOPIC

1. What did you learn in the Driving Safely, Driving Smarter module that you can incorporate into your everyday routine?